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An Act To Make Supplemental Allocations from the Highway Fund and Other Funds for the Expenditures of State Government and To Change Certain Provisions of State Law Necessary to the Proper Operations of State Government for the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2007

Emergency preamble. Whereas, acts and resolves of the Legislature do not become effective until 90 days after adjournment unless enacted as emergencies; and

Whereas, the 90-day period may not terminate until after the beginning of the next fiscal year; and

Whereas, certain obligations and expenses incident to the operation of state departments and institutions will become due and payable immediately; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts create an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution of Maine and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore,

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows:

PART A

Sec. A-1. Supplemental allocations. There are allocated from the various funds for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2007, to the departments listed, the following sums.

ADMINISTRATIVE AND FINANCIAL SERVICES, DEPARTMENT OF

Buildings and Grounds Operations 0080

Initiative: Provides funding for anticipated increased costs relating to new utility rate contracts beginning in 2007 when kilowatt charges are expected to be double the current rate. It also provides funding for the increased cost in heating fuel based on previously negotiated contract rates.

HIGHWAY FUND All Other	2006-07 \$200,000	2007-08 \$0	2008-09 \$0
HIGHWAY FUND TOTAL	\$200,000	\$0	\$0
ADMINISTRATIVE AND FINANCIAL SERVICES, DEPARTMENT OF DEPARTMENT TOTALS	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09

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Expenditures of State Gove	ernment and To Change Cert	ain Provisions of S	State Law Necessary
to the Proper Operation	s of State Government for the	e Fiscal Year Endi	ng June 30, 2007
HIGHWAY FUND	\$200,000	\$0	\$0
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DEPARTMENT TOTAL - ALL FUNDS \$200,000	\$0	\$0
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PUBLIC SAFETY, DEPARTMENT OF

State Police 0291

Initiative: Provides funding for increased vehicle fuel expenditures.

HIGHWAY FUND	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09
All Other	\$114,660	\$0	\$0
HIGHWAY FUND TOTAL	\$114,660	\$0	\$0

State Police 0291

Initiative: Provides funding for repairs and maintenance of State Police vehicles.

HIGHWAY FUND	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09
All Other	\$89,817	\$0	\$0
HIGHWAY FUND TOTAL	\$89,817	\$0	\$0

State Police 0291

Initiative: Provides funding for hiring law enforcement officers. Pursuant to the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 25, section 2808, the Maine State Police are required to reimburse local law enforcement agencies if officers sent by those agencies to the Maine Criminal Justice Academy are hired as State Troopers.

HIGHWAY FUND	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09
All Other	\$159,250	\$0	\$0
HIGHWAY FUND TOTAL	\$159,250	\$0	\$0

Traffic Safety - Commercial Vehicle Enforcement 0715

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HIGHWAY FUND Capital Expenditures	2006-07 (\$304,800)	2007-08 \$0	2008-09 \$0
HIGHWAY FUND TOTAL	(\$304,800)	\$0	\$0
PUBLIC SAFETY, DEPARTMENT OF DEPARTMENT TOTALS	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09
HIGHWAY FUND	\$58,927	\$0	\$0
- DEPARTMENT TOTAL - ALL FUNDS	\$58,927	\$0	\$0

SECRETARY OF STATE, DEPARTMENT OF THE

Administration - Motor Vehicles 0077

Initiative: Provides funding for the increase for Office of Information Technology Bull mainframe costs.

HIGHWAY FUND	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09
All Other	\$188,981	\$0	\$0
HIGHWAY FUND TOTAL	\$188,981	\$0	\$0

Administration - Motor Vehicles 0077

Initiative: Provides funding for an approved reorganization that upgrades 3 Clerk IV positions to 3 Motor Vehicle Branch Manager I positions.

HIGHWAY FUND	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09
Personal Services	\$3,826	\$0	\$0
All Other	(\$3,826)	\$0	\$0
HIGHWAY FUND TOTAL	\$0	\$0	\$0

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DEPARTMENT OF THE DEPARTMENT TOTALS 2006-07 2007-08 2008-09 HIGHWAY FUND \$188,981 \$0 \$0 DEPARTMENT TOTAL - ALL FUNDS \$188,981 \$0 \$0

TRANSPORTATION, DEPARTMENT OF

Callahan Mine Site Restoration Z007

Initiative: Provides funding for continued mitigation expenses of the Callahan Mine site.

OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09
All Other	\$1,000,000	\$0	\$0
OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS TOTAL	\$1,000,000	\$0	\$0

Fleet Services 0347

Initiative: Provides funding for the increased cost of fuel.

FLEET SERVICES FUND	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09
All Other	\$2,600,766	\$0	\$0
FLEET SERVICES FUND TOTAL	\$2,600,766	\$0	\$0

Highway and Bridge Improvement 0406

Initiative: Reduces funding for capital improvement projects based upon available resources.

HIGHWAY FUND	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09
Capital Expenditures	(\$14,200,000)	\$0	\$0
HIGHWAY FUND TOTAL	(\$14,200,000)	\$0	\$0

Island Ferry Service 0326

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ISLAND FERRY SERVICES FUND	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09
All Other	\$400,000	\$0	\$0
ISLAND FERRY SERVICES FUND TOTAL	\$400,000	\$0	\$0

Maintenance and Operations 0330

Initiative: Provides funding for the increased cost of heating oil, diesel, salt and plow steel.

HIGHWAY FUND	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09
All Other	\$4,000,000	\$0	\$0
HIGHWAY FUND TOTAL	\$4,000,000	\$0	\$0

Marine Highway Transportation Z016

Initiative: Provides funding for the increased cost of fuel for the Maine State Ferry Service.

HIGHWAY FUND	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09
All Other	\$400,000	\$0	\$0
HIGHWAY FUND TOTAL	\$400,000	\$0	\$0

Railroad Assistance Program 0350

Initiative: Provides funding to correct negative allocation resulting from Public Law 2005, chapter 248.

OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09
All Other	\$20,000	\$0	\$0
OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS TOTAL	\$20,000	\$0	\$0

TRANSPORTATION, DEPARTMENT OF

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HIGHWAY FUND OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS FLEET SERVICES FUND ISLAND FERRY SERVICES FUND –	(\$9,800,000) \$1,020,000 \$2,600,766 \$400,000	\$0 \$0 \$0 \$0	\$0 \$0 \$0 \$0		
DEPARTMENT TOTAL - ALL FUNDS	(\$5,779,234)	\$0	\$0		
SECTION TOTALS	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09		
HIGHWAY FUND OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS FLEET SERVICES FUND	(\$9,352,092) \$1,020,000 \$2,600,766	\$0 \$0 \$0	\$0 \$0 \$0		
ISLAND FERRY SERVICES FUND	\$400,000	\$0 	\$0		
SECTION TOTAL - ALL FUNDS	(\$5,331,326)	\$0	\$0		

PART B

Sec. B-1. Supplemental allocations. There are allocated from the various funds for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2007, to the departments listed, the sums identified in the following, in order to provide funding for approved reclassifications and range changes.

ADMINISTRATIVE AND FINANCIAL SERVICES, DEPARTMENT OF

Buildings and Grounds Operations 0080

Initiative: Reclassifications

HIGHWAY FUND Personal Services All Other	2006-07 \$12,708 (\$12,708)	2007-08 \$0 \$0	2008-09 \$0 \$0
HIGHWAY FUND TOTAL	\$0	\$0	\$0
ADMINISTRATIVE AND FINANCIAL SERVICES, DEPARTMENT OF DEPARTMENT TOTALS	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09

HP0262, LD 327, item 1, 123rd Maine State Legislature An Act To Make Supplemental Allocations from the Highway Fund and Other Funds for the Expenditures of State Government and To Change Certain Provisions of State Law Necessary to the Proper Operations of State Government for the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2007 HIGHWAY FUND \$0 \$0 \$0 \$0

DEPARTMENT TOTAL - ALL FUNDS \$0 \$0 \$0

SECRETARY OF STATE, DEPARTMENT OF THE

Administration - Motor Vehicles 0077

Initiative: Reclassifications

HIGHWAY FUND Personal Services All Other	2006-07 \$36,302 (\$36,302)	2007-08 \$0 \$0	2008-09 \$0 \$0
HIGHWAY FUND TOTAL	\$0	\$0	\$0
SECRETARY OF STATE, DEPARTMENT OF THE DEPARTMENT TOTALS	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09
HIGHWAY FUND	\$0	\$0	\$0
DEPARTMENT TOTAL - ALL FUNDS	\$0	\$0	\$0

TRANSPORTATION, DEPARTMENT OF

Administration 0339

Initiative: Reclassifications

HIGHWAY FUND	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09
Personal Services	\$64,091	\$0	\$0
All Other	(\$64,091)	\$0	\$0
HIGHWAY FUND TOTAL	\$0	\$0	\$0

Fleet Services 0347

Initiative: Reclassifications

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Personal Services All Other	\$3,968 (\$3,968)	\$0 \$0	\$0 \$0
FLEET SERVICES FUND TOTAL	\$0	\$0	\$0
Highway and Bridge Improvement	0406		
Initiative: Reclassifications			
HIGHWAY FUND Personal Services All Other	2006-07 \$51,225 (\$51,225)	2007-08 \$0 \$0	2008-09 \$0 \$0
HIGHWAY FUND TOTAL	\$0	\$0	\$0
FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND Personal Services All Other	2006-07 \$29,514 (\$29,514)	2007-08 \$0 \$0	2008-09 \$0 \$0
FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND TOTAL	\$0	\$0	\$0
Maintenance and Operations 0330			
Initiative: Reclassifications			
HIGHWAY FUND Personal Services All Other	2006-07 \$97,803 (\$97,803)	2007-08 \$0 \$0	2008-09 \$0 \$0
HIGHWAY FUND TOTAL	\$0	\$0	\$0
FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND Personal Services All Other	2006-07 \$4,806 (\$4,806)	2007-08 \$0 \$0	2008-09 \$0 \$0

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Public Transportation 0443

Initiative: Reclassifications

FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09
Personal Services	\$4,462	\$0	\$0
All Other	(\$4,462)	\$0	\$0
- FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND TOTAL	\$0	\$0	\$0

Suspense Receivable - Transportation 0344

Initiative: Reclassifications

OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS Personal Services All Other	2006-07 \$646 (\$646)	2007-08 \$0 \$0	2008-09 \$0 \$0
OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS TOTAL	\$0	\$0	\$0
TRANSPORTATION, DEPARTMENT OF			
DEPARTMENT TOTALS	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09
HIGHWAY FUND FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS FLEET SERVICES FUND	\$0 \$0 \$0 \$0	\$0 \$0 \$0 \$0	\$0 \$0 \$0 \$0
DEPARTMENT TOTAL - ALL FUNDS	\$0	\$0	\$0
SECTION TOTALS	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09
HIGHWAY FUND FEDERAL EXPENDITURES FUND	\$0 \$0	\$0 \$0	\$0 \$0

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Expenditures of State Governr	nent and To Change C	ertain Provisions of	State Law Necessary
to the Proper Operations of	State Government for	the Fiscal Year End	ing June 30, 2007
OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS	\$0	\$0	\$0
FLEET SERVICES FUND	\$0	\$0	\$0
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SECTION TOTAL - ALL FUNDS	\$0	\$0	\$0
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PART C

Sec. C-1. Transfer from Personal Services to All Other and Capital Expenditures; Administration - Motor Vehicles. Notwithstanding the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 5, section 1585 or any other provision of law, Personal Services balances in fiscal year 2006-07 in the Administration - Motor Vehicle program Highway Fund carrying account within the Department of the Secretary of State may be transferred to All Other and Capital Expenditures by financial order upon the recommendation of the State Budget Officer and approval of the Governor.

Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this legislation takes effect when approved.

SUMMARY

This bill does the following.

PART A

Part A makes supplemental allocations of funds for fiscal year 2006-07.

PART B

Part B makes supplemental allocations of funds for approved reclassifications and range changes.

PART C

Part C authorizes the transfer of Personal Services balances in fiscal year 2006-07 in the Administration - Motor Vehicle program Highway Fund carrying account within the Department of the Secretary of State to All Other and Capital Expenditures by financial order upon recommendation of the State Budget Officer and approval of the Governor.