STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED FIFTY-FIVE

AN ACT to Provide Training to Organized Fire Companies.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 41, § 11-A, additional. Chapter 41 of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 11-A, to read as follows:

'Sec. 11-A. Training to organized fire companies. The State Board of Education is authorized and empowered to provide training in firefighting and safety techniques for organized fire companies throughout the State, and for this purpose, to provide and employ mobile training equipment and accessories, the State Board of Education is hereby declared to be the state agency designated to cooperate with the United States Government in the receipt and use of federal funds and equipment and such other property and facilities as may from time to time be made available to carry out or implement the training program prescribed herein.'

Sec. 2. Appropriation. There is hereby appropriated from the unappropriated surplus of the general fund the sum of $15,900 to carry out the purposes of this act, of which $11,100 is to be made available for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1956, and $4,800 to be made available for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1957.