

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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House of Representatives, April 27, 1971

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BERTHA W. JOHNSON, Clerk

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STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
SEVENTY-ONE

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**AN ACT Relating to Selling Certain Drugs.**

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

R. S., T. 22, § 2210-A, additional. Title 22 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding a new section 2210-A to read as follows:

§ 2210-A. Sale of certain drugs

It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to sell, furnish or give away, or offer to sell, furnish or give away, any drug, preparation or compound containing belladonna, atropine, scopolamine, or any of their salts, alkaloids or derivatives, unless said drug, preparation or compound is sold or furnished personally by a registered pharmacist or qualified assistant pharmacist, practicing within a licensed pharmacy. This section shall not apply to medical practitioners, hospitals or manufacturers, and wholesalers who may sell, furnish and transfer said drugs, compounds and preparations within the normal channels of distribution.

Whoever violates any provision of this section shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$1,000 or by imprisonment for not more than 6 months, or by both.