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1 FIRST REGULAR SESSION

2 Corrected Copy 1/3/83

3 ONE HUNDRED AND ELEVENTH LEGISLATURE

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5 Legislative Document

No. 22

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7 S.P. 21

In Senate, January 5, 1983

8 Reference to the Committee on Legal Affairs suggested and ordered
9 printed.

10 JOY J. O'BRIEN, Secretary of the Senate

Presented by Senator Charette of Androscoggin.

Cosponsors: Senator Violette of Aroostook, Senator Dutremble of York
and Representative Martin of Van Buren.

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12 STATE OF MAINE

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14 IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD
15 NINETEEN HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-THREE

16
17 AN ACT Relating to the Annual Observance
18 of Saint Jean-Baptiste.
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20 Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as
21 follows:

22 1 MRSA §120 is enacted to read:

23 §120. Saint Jean-Baptiste Day

24 June 24th of each year shall be designated as
25 Saint Jean-Baptiste Day and the Governor shall annu-
26 ally issue a proclamation inviting and urging the
27 people of the State to observe this day in suitable
28 places with appropriate ceremonies. Saint
29 Jean-Baptiste Day shall commemorate the feast of
30 Saint John the Baptist as an important observance and
31 show of appreciation for the significant cultural,
32 economic and civic contributions made by
33 Franco-Americans which has served to enrich the cul-

1 ture and life style of this State.

2 STATEMENT OF FACT

3 The purpose of this bill is to establish an
4 annual observance with appropriate ceremonies for
5 Saint Jean-Baptiste Day.

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