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SEVENTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE

HOUSE NO. 574

House of Representatives, March 15, 1917.

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W. R. ROIX, Clerk.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED AND SEVENTEEN

AN ACT to amend Section 65 of Chapter 126 in relation to the appointment of cruelty officers.

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

Section sixty-five of chapter one hundred twenty-six of the

- 2 Revised Statutes of Maine is hereby amended by adding
- 3 after the word "town" in the second line thereof, the words
- 4 'the county commissioners of any county,' so that said sec-
- 5 tion as amended shall read as follows:

'Sect. 65. Upon application by the mayor and aldermen of

- 2 any city, the selectmen of any town, the county commission-
- 3 ers of any county, or the president and three directors of any

- 4 society for the prevention of cruelty to animals, the governor
- 5 and council shall issue a badge and commission to any per-
- 6 son designated, to arrest any person charged with violating
- 7 any of the preceding twenty-one sections, the same as any
- 8 sheriff, deputy sheriff or constable can do, and whose juris-
- 9 diction shall extend throughout the state.'