

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# EIGHTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE

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House Document

No. 521

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H. P. 1486 House of Representatives, February 28, 1929.

Referred to Committee on Revision of Statutes and 500 copies ordered printed. Sent up for concurrence.

CLYDE R. CHAPMAN, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Holman of Farmington.

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## STATE OF MAINE

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IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE  
HUNDRED AND TWENTY-NINE

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AN ACT Relative to Service of Writs on Corporations.

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

Section nineteen of chapter eighty-six of the revised  
2 statutes as amended by chapter one hundred ninety-one of  
3 the public laws of nineteen hundred seventeen, relative to  
4 service of writs on corporations, is hereby amended by  
5 striking out all of said section and by substituting in place  
6 thereof the following:

'Sect. 19. *Service on county, town or other corporation,*  
2 *how made; time of service.* In actions at law other than  
3 by original summons, service shall be made by leaving a  
4 separate summons, and in all proceedings in equity, an at-

5 tested copy of the writ, bill, petition, or other process, as  
6 follows: Against a county, with one of the county com-  
7 missioners, or their clerk; against a town, parish, religious  
8 society, or school district with the clerk, or one of the select-  
9 men or assessors, if there is any such officer; if not, with  
10 a member of such corporation; and against any other cor-  
11 poration, however created, with its president, clerk, cashier,  
12 treasurer, agent, director, or attorney; if there is no such  
13 officer, agent or attorney found within the county where  
14 such corporation is established, or where its records or  
15 papers are by law required to be kept, with any member  
16 thereof or at the office or place of business of such com-  
17 pany or corporation within this state; and in each case it  
18 shall unless otherwise ordered by the court, be served four-  
19 teen days before the return day thereof when made re-  
20 turnable to the supreme judicial or superior courts, and  
21 seven days when made returnable to a municipal court or  
22 trial justice.