

NINETY-THIRD LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

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S. P. 73 In Senate, January 16, 1947. Referred to Committee on Temperance. Sent down for concurrence and ordered printed.

CHESTER T. WINSLOW, Secretary. Presented by Senator Cleaves of Cumberland.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED FORTY-SEVEN

AN ACT Amending the Law Relative to Publication of Notice of Hearing on Applications for Liquor Licenses.

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

R. S., c. 57, § 22, amended. Section 22 of chapter 57 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 22. Hearings on applications for liquor licenses. The municipal officers, or in case of unincorporated places, the county commissioners of the county wherein such unincorporated place is located, shall hold public hearing for the consideration of all applications for liquor licenses requiring their approval, after giving public notice at the applicant's expense, which shall be prepaid, by causing a notice, stating the name and business address of the applicant and the time and place of hearing in a daily newspaper published in the city or town in which the premises proposed to be licensed are situated; or, if no daily newspaper is so published, the notice shall be printed for the same period in a daily newspaper is published in such town or county, then the notice shall be printed for 2 consecutive weeks prior to the date of hearing in a weekly newspaper

published in the county or, if no daily newspaper-is so published, the notice shall be printed for 2 consecutive weeks prior to the date of hearing in a weekly newspaper published in such city or town; or, if no daily or weekly newspaper is published in such city or town the notice shall be printed for at least 6 consecutive days in a daily newspaper published in the county in which the premises are situated or for 2 consecutive weeks prior to the date of hearing in a weekly newspaper published in that county.'