

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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**Legislative Document**

**No. 213**

H. P. 150

House of Representatives, January 11, 1961.

Referred to Committee on Labor. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed 750 copies.

HARVEY R. PEASE Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Hancock of Nobleboro.

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**STATE OF MAINE**

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
SIXTY-ONE

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**AN ACT Making Unlawful Picketing Violence Which Prevents Delivery of  
Necessary Supplies or Services.**

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

R. S., c. 136, § 35, additional. Chapter 136 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding a new section 35, to read as follows:

**'Unlawful Picketing Violence.**

Sec. 35. Unlawful picketing violence. It shall be unlawful for any person, acting individually or in concert with others, by mass picketing, threat, intimidation, force, coercion, interference with the entrance to any place of employment or interference with the use of any street, sidewalk or railway, to prevent or attempt to prevent, directly or indirectly, the delivery to any public, commercial or industrial enterprise of any supply, commodity or service necessary for the proper maintenance of any of the buildings, equipment, machinery or fixtures constituting such enterprise or necessary to keep any of such buildings, equipment, machinery or fixtures from deteriorating or being damaged by fire, freeze up or otherwise or necessary to feed people employed at such enterprise. For the purpose of this section, "person" means any individual, corporation or unincorporated association, including partnerships and labor organizations. Whoever violates this section shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$5,000 or by imprisonment for not more than 2 years, or by both.'