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H. P. 230

House of Representatives, January 17, 1961.

Referred to Committee on Claims. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Berman of Houlton.

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STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
SIXTY-ONE

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**RESOLVE, Authorizing John W. McGuire to Bring Action Against the State of Maine.**

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**John W. McGuire; authorized to sue the State of Maine. Resolved:** That John W. McGuire of Houlton and State of Maine, who rendered services and materials on typewriters to the Department of Agriculture in Caribou, be authorized to bring an action in the Superior Court for the County of Aroostook within one year from the first day of August, 1961, at any time thereof against the State of Maine for the fair value of his services and materials, if any, of the State of Maine, and the complaint issuing out of said Superior Court under the authority of this resolve shall be served on the Secretary of State by attested copy 30 days before a term of said court by the sheriff or either of his deputies in any county of the State of Maine; and the conduct of said action shall be according to the practice of actions and proceedings between parties in said Superior Court, and the liabilities of the parties and elements of damage, if any, shall be the same as the liabilities and elements of damage between individuals; and the Attorney General is authorized and designated to appear, answer and defend said action. Any judgment that may be recovered in such action shall be payable from the General Fund of the State of Maine on final process issued by said Superior Court or, if appealed, the Supreme Judicial Court, and costs may be taxed for the said John W. McGuire, if he recovers in said action. Any recovery in said action shall not be in excess of \$700 including costs. Hearing thereon shall be before a Justice of the Superior Court, with a jury.