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H. P. 360 House of Representatives, January 18, 1961 Referred to Committee on Taxation. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Stevens of Portland by request.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED SIXTY-ONE

AN ACT Exempting Certain Elderly Persons from Real Estate Taxes.

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

- R. S., c. 91-A, § 10, sub-§ VI, ¶ E, additional. Subsection VI of section 10 of chapter 91-A of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by section 1 of chapter 399 of the public laws of 1955, is amended by adding a new paragraph E, to read as follows:
 - 'E. The real estate of all persons 65 years of age and over and who have been legal residents of Maine for at least 5 years. To be eligible for such an exemption, the person if married and living with his spouse, shall not have total income, including pensions and retirement benefits of any nature, in excess of \$3,000; if single, shall not have such total income in excess of \$1,700.'