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ONE - HUNDRE DTH LEGISLATURE

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No. 637

S. P. 233

In Senate, January 24, 1961.

Referred to Committee on Legal Affairs. Sent down for concurrence and ordered printed.

CHESTER T. WINSLOW, Secretary

Presented by Senator Jacques of Androscoggin.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SIXTY-ONE

**AN ACT Relating to the Employment of the Industrial Development Director
of the City of Lewiston.**

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

P. & S. L., 1939, c. 8, Art. VIII, § 12, amended. Section 12 of article VIII of chapter 8 of the private and special laws of 1939, as amended by section 2 of chapter 209 of the private and special laws of 1949, is further amended to read as follows:

Sec. 12. Appointments. They shall appoint a controller who shall be the executive officer and clerk of the board; a collector of taxes and a city treasurer both of which may be held by the same person; and a chief auditor; all of which appointments shall be for one year or until their respective successors are appointed and qualified. They shall also appoint a board of assessors of 3 members whose term shall be 3 years save that when appointing the first board, they shall designate the member whose term shall expire at the expiration of each period of one year for 3 years thereafter, provided that in the first instance a board of assessors shall not be appointed until the then existing board of assessors shall have completed the assessment of taxes for the current year and shall have issued their warrant of commitment as provided by section 81 of chapter 13 of the Revised Statutes of Maine of 1930. The assessors shall make report to the board of finance at least once a month of all abatement of taxes by them granted. Vacancies occurring in any of the offices so appointed shall be filled by appointment by the board of finance for the unexpired term. They shall have authority to employ such clerical or other assistants as may be required for the administration of the affairs of their office, **and such personnel as they**

deem necessary for the industrial growth and development of the city, prescribe their duties, fix their compensation, and terminate their employment at pleasure.

The board of finance shall appoint a full-time civil engineer, who shall be subject to the authority of said board. The board of finance shall prescribe his duties and assign him to any department of the city for such time or times and under such rules and regulations as they may order, fix his compensation and terminate his employment at pleasure.'