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CHESTER T. WINSLOW, Secretary

Presented by Senator Jacques of Androscoggin.

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STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
SIXTY-ONE

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**AN ACT Relating to Passage of Ordinances by Lewiston City Council.**

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

**P. & S. L., 1939, c. 8, Art. V, § 2, amended.** Section 2 of Article V of chapter 8 of the private and special laws of 1939, as amended by chapter 19 of the private and special laws of 1945, is further amended to read as follows:

**'Sec. 2. Ordinances.** The power to enact, amend or repeal ordinances shall vest in the city council. Every ordinance, before final passage, shall be published, marked "City of Lewiston, Proposed Ordinance" in the daily newspapers published in Lewiston at least 48 hours before the meeting at which such action is taken and shall take effect at the expiration of 30 days after ~~it shall have been approved by a justice of the supreme judicial court~~ final passage by the city council except emergency ordinances which shall become effective immediately upon final passage. Every ordinance shall require on final passage the affirmative vote of at least 4 aldermen. The foregoing provisions shall govern procedure for the amendment or repeal of an ordinance; provided, however, that for the repeal of an ordinance the publication of such ordinance shall be by title only.'