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## ONE HUNDRED AND FIRST LEGISLATURE

## Legislative Document

No. 85

H. P. 61 House of Representatives, January 9, 1963
Referred to Committee on Legal Affairs. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Berman of Houlton.

### STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED SIXTY-THREE

### AN ACT Requiring Safeguards for Public Beaches.

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

R. S., c. 141, § 30, additional. Chapter 141 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding a new section 30 to read as follows:

'Sec. 30. Safeguards for bathers at public places. Owners or operators of any bathing beaches, bath houses or other places charging a fee to the public for the use of such facilities shall provide adequate safeguards for the protection of persons bathing in waters adjacent to such premises. Whoever violates this section shall be punished by a fine of not less than \$25 nor more than \$100 for each offense, or by imprisonment for not more than 11 months, or by both.'