

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ONE HUNDRED AND FIRST LEGISLATURE

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**Legislative Document**

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H. P. 396

House of Representatives, January 23, 1963

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

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Thaanum of Winthrop.

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STATE OF MAINE

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IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
SIXTY-THREE

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**RESOLVE, to Provide Retirement Credit for Seth A. Whitcomb of Readfield.**

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**Retirement credit for Seth A. Whitcomb. Resolved:** That Seth A. Whitcomb, of Readfield, be given credit toward retirement under the Revised Statutes, chapter 63-A, for the period of 2 years when he was loaned by the State Highway Department to a road contractor in order that his services could be utilized to the fullest for the war effort, and a period of 9 years when he was prevented from returning to the employ of the State due to illness, making a total of 11 years' credit toward retirement.

STATEMENT OF FACTS

Mr. Whitcomb is 58 years of age and has 11 years' service with the State Highway Department prior to July 1, 1962, and has been a contributing member since July, 1954. In 1936, he sustained an injury during the course of his employment with the State of Maine on highway construction. The injuries sustained appeared minor at the time but medical complications developed which resulted in 9 years' total disability. The other 2 years that he was absent from state employ were occasioned by the fact that the State Highway Commission loaned his services to a general contractor in order to expedite the installation of a railroad system at the South Portland shipyard during World War II years.