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## ONE HUNDRED AND FIRST LEGISLATURE

## Legislative Document

No. 670

H. P. 466 House of Representatives, January 24, 1963 Referred to Committee on Judiciary. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Knight of Rockland.

## STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED SIXTY-THREE

AN ACT Providing that the Legislative Research Committee Study the Creation of a District Court System for Probate Courts.

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

- Sec. 1. Creation of a District Court System for Probate Courts; study. The Legislative Research Committee is authorized to study the desirability of creating an integrated probate court system. The committee is authorized to employ such expert and professional advisers and counsel and such clerical and office personnel as in its judgment it may determine within the limits of funds provided.
- **Sec. 2. Appropriation.** The sum of \$25,000 is appropriated from the Unappropriated Surplus of the General Fund and any balance of this fund as of June 30, 1964 shall not lapse but shall be carried forward into the 1964-1965 year to be used for the same purpose.
- Sec. 3. Donations. Any donation from any individual, foundation or corporation may be accepted by the committee and used for the purposes of this act.