

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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

CHESTER T. WINSLOW, Secretary.

Presented by Senator Campbell of Kennebec.

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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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**AN ACT Relating to Civil Actions Against Heads of Institutions Under the  
Control of the Department of Mental Health and Corrections.**

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

**R. S., c. 27, § 1, amended.** Section 1 of chapter 27 of the Revised Statutes, as amended, is further amended by adding at the end a new paragraph to read as follows :

**‘Heads of institutions under the control of the Department of Mental Health and Corrections shall not be held personally liable in any civil action, for damages arising out of the acts or omissions of employees, staff members, patients, inmates or prisoners of such institutions.’**