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Referred to Committee on Liquor Control. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk

Presented by Mr. MacGregor of Eastport.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED SIXTY-THREE

AN ACT Decreasing the Excise Tax on Malt Liquor.

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

R. S., c. 61, § 22, amended. The 2nd sentence of section 22 of chapter 61 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by chapter 443 of the public laws of 1955 and by chapter 371 of the public laws of 1961, is further amended to read as follows:

'A wholesale licensee who imports malt liquor shall pay an excise tax of 25e 16c per gallon and at a like rate for any multiple or fraction thereof.'

STATEMENT OF FACTS

There apparently would be a loss of revenue to the State of approximately \$1,000,000 based upon the comparative figures of the year preceding the tax increase and the fiscal year recently completed.