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**STATE OF MAINE**

**IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
SIXTY-THREE**

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**AN ACT Relating to Search Warrants.**

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

**R. S., c. 146, § 16, repealed and replaced.** Section 16 of chapter 146 of the Revised Statutes is repealed and the following enacted in place thereof:

**'Sec. 16. Warrants for search.** A judge may issue a search warrant to seize the following property:

- I. Stolen property. Stolen or embezzled property.**
- II. Unlawful possession. Property, the possession of which is unlawful.**
- III. Means to commit a crime. Property used or possessed with intent to be used as the means of committing a crime or offense or concealed to prevent a crime or offense from being discovered.**
- IV. Evidence of a crime. Property constituting evidence of a crime or tending to show that a particular person committed a crime.**

The property described in this section, or any part thereof, may be seized from any place where such property may be located or from the person or possession or control of any person who shall be found to have such property in his possession or under his control.'