

ONE HUNDRED AND SECOND LEGISLATURE

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STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED SIXTY-FIVE

AN ACT Shortening the Period of Real Estate Mortgage Foreclosure.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., T. 14, § 6202, amended. Section 6202 of Title 14 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 6202. Redemption in 6 months. Possession obtained in either of these 3 modes and continued for one year 6 months forever forecloses the right of redemption.'

Sec. 2. R. S., T. 14, § 6204, amended. The first and 2nd paragraphs of section 6204 of Title 14 of the Revised Statutes are amended to read as follows:

'The mortgagor or person claiming under him may redeem the mortgaged premises within one year 6 months after the first publication or the service of the notice mentioned in section 6203, and if not so redeemed, his right of redemption is forever foreclosed.

The mortgagor and mortgagee may agree upon any period of time not less than one year 6 months in which the mortgage shall be forever foreclosed, which agreement shall be inserted in the mortgage and be binding on the parties, their heirs, legal representatives and assigns and shall apply to all the modes of foreclosure of mortgages on real estate.'