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ONE HUNDRED AND SECOND LEGISLATURE

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H. P. 534 House of Representatives, January 27, 1965 Referred to Committee on Retirements and Pensions. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

JEROME G. PLANTE, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Gaudreau of Lewiston.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED SIXTY-FIVE

AN ACT Relating to Retirement Benefits for Fire Fighters Under State Retirement System.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., T. 5, § 1095, amended. Section 1095 of Title 5 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding at the end, a new paragraph, as follows:

'Each fire fighter, including the chief of a fire department, shall be required to contribute 7% of earnable compensation beginning with the first full payroll period after the effective date of this Act as long as he is employed as a fire fighter.'

- Sec. 2. R. S., T. 5, § 1121, sub-§ 8, additional. Section 1121 of Title 5 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding a new subsection 8, to read as follows:
- '8. Fire fighters. Any member who is a fire fighter, including the chief of a fire department, who has at least 25 years of service as a fire fighter shall be permitted to retire upon attainment of age 55. The service retirement allowance shall be equal to $66 \ 2/3\%$ of his current final compensation.'