

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ONE HUNDRED AND SECOND LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 746

H. P. 576

House of Representatives, January 27, 1965

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

JEROME G. PLANTE, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Beane of Moscow.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SIXTY-FIVE

AN ACT Relating to Relief of Paupers in Deorganized Places.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., T. 22, § 4468, amended. The first sentence of section 4468 of Title 22 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:

'Persons found in places not incorporated or in townships which have become deorganized through an Act to surrender their organization passed by the Legislature, and needing relief are under the care of the overseers of the oldest incorporated adjoining town or the nearest incorporated town where there are none adjoining, who shall furnish relief to such persons as if they were found in such towns.'

Sec. 2. R. S., T. 22, § 4468, amended. The last paragraph of section 4468 of Title 22 of the Revised Statutes is repealed as follows:

'This section shall not apply to administrative responsibility for relief of persons found in townships which have become deorganized through an Act to surrender their organization passed by the Legislature. All persons found in such deorganized places needing relief are under the care of the Department of Health and Welfare. The State shall recover for relief furnished persons in deorganized towns from the towns of their settlement, if any within the State. If such persons have no settlement within the State, the Department of Health and Welfare shall have the same rights and privileges as to location, care, support and earnings of such persons as are set forth in this section relative to persons found in unorganized townships.'