

# ONE HUNDRED AND SECOND LEGISLATURE

### Legislative Document

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EDWIN H. PERT, Secretary

Presented by Senator Violette of Aroostook.

## STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED SIXTY-FIVE

#### AN ACT Relating to Membership of Judicial Council.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., T. 4, § 451, amended. The 2nd sentence of section 451 of Title 4 of the Revised Statutes is repealed and the following enacted in place thereof:

'The council shall be composed of the Chief Justice of the Supreme Judicial Court, who shall also serve as chairman, the Attorney General, the Chief Judge of the District Court, and the Dean of the University of Maine School of Law, each to serve ex officio, and an active or retired Justice of the Supreme Judicial Court, 2 Justices of the Superior Court, one Judge of the District Court, one judge of a probate court, one clerk of the judicial courts, 2 members of the bar, and 3 laymen, to be appointed by the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council.'

Sec. 2. R. S., T. 4, § 453, amended. The last sentence of section 453 of Title 4 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:

'The Chief Justice shall be ex officio chairman of said council, and said The council may appoint one of its members or some other suitable person to act as secretary for said council.'