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STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED SIXTY-FIVE

AN ACT Relating to Arbitration Agreements.

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

R. S., T. 14, c. 704, additional. Title 14 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding a new chapter 704 to read as follows:

'CHAPTER 704

ARBITRATION ACT

§ 5871. Validity of arbitration agreement

A written agreement to submit any existing controversy to arbitration or a provision in a written contract to submit to arbitration any controversy thereafter arising between the parties is valid, enforceable and irrevocable, save upon such grounds as exist at law or in equity for the revocation of any contract.'