

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ONE HUNDRED AND THIRD LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 53

H. P. 33 House of Representatives, January 11, 1967
Referred to Committee on Judiciary. Sent up for concurrence and ordered
printed.

BERTHA W. JOHNSON, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Darey of Livermore Falls.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SIXTY-SEVEN

AN ACT Relating to Assistant County Attorneys.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., T. 30, § 553, repealed and replaced. Section 553 of Title 30 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by section 2 of chapter 506 of the public laws of 1965, is repealed and the following enacted in place thereof:

§ 553. Assistant county attorneys; duties; term

A county attorney, or an acting county attorney appointed under section 551 or 552, may appoint one or more assistants as authorized by the Legislature. The appointment shall be approved by a Justice of the Superior Court resident in the county or by the Chief Justice of the Supreme Judicial Court. Assistants shall take the oath prescribed for county attorneys and file qualifications with the Secretary of State. Assistants shall perform such duties as may be assigned by the county attorney and act for the county attorney in his absence. Assistants shall hold office during the term of the county attorney, or acting county attorney, by whom he was appointed, subject to removal by the Chief Justice of the Supreme Judicial Court.

County attorneys are authorized to appoint assistants as follows:

Androscoggin	2
Aroostook	1
Cumberland	3
Kennebec	1
Penobscot	2
York	1

Sec. 2. R. S., T. 30 § § 554-558, repealed. Sections 554 to 558 of Title 30 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by chapter 79; section 2 of chapter 407; and section one of chapter 420, all of the public laws of 1965, are repealed.