

# ONE HUNDRED AND THIRD LEGISLATURE

### Legislative Document

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In Senate, February 8, 1967

Referred to Committee on Liquor Control. Sent down for concurrence and ordered printed.

JERROLD B. SPEERS, Secretary

Presented by Senator Beckett of Washington.

## STATE OF MAINE

# IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED SIXTY-SEVEN

#### AN ACT Directing Review of the Liquor Laws.

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

Sec. 1. Review of general statutes relating to liquor authorized. The Attorney General is authorized, during the fiscal years commencing July 1, 1967 and terminating June 30, 1969, to study and present general provisions to the statutes relating to liquor and in particular Title 28 of the Revised Statutes, and to report to the next regular session of the Legislature such changes and amendments as may appear to be necessary or desirable to bring up to date and revise such statutes so as to eliminate obsolete and confusing provisions now found in the law and to make such statutes more readily understandable and useful to the persons affected thereby. For this purpose the Attorney General may employ such technical and clerical assistance as he may find necessary.

Sec. 2. Advisory committee. The Attorney General is further authorized to appoint an advisory committee of not more than 9 persons to consult with him and advise during the progress of such study; the members of such committee to be paid necessary expenses actually incurred in attending such meetings as shall be called by the Attorney General.

One member of the committee shall be a member of a temperance organization. One member shall be a representative of manufacturers or distributors of intoxicating liquor. The Liquor Commission shall name a person to be a member of the committee, ex officio.

Sec. 3. Appropriation. There is appropriated from the Unappropriated Surplus of the General Fund the sum of \$7,500 to carry out the purposes of this Act, and said sum shall not lapse but shall remain as a carrying account until the purposes of this Act have been accomplished.