

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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House of Representatives, February 22, 1967

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

BERTHA W. JOHNSON, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Gaudreau of Lewiston.

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**STATE OF MAINE**

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
SIXTY-SEVEN

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**AN ACT Relating to Retirement Benefits for Police Officers Under State Retirement System.**

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

**Sec. 1. R. S., T. 5, § 1095, amended.** Section 1095 of Title 5 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by section 1 of chapter 288, section 3 of chapter 337 and sections 1 and 2 of chapter 445, all of the public laws of 1965, is further amended by adding at the end thereof the following paragraph:

**Each police officer, including the chief of a police department, shall be required to contribute 8% of earnable compensation beginning with the first full payroll period after the effective date of this Act as long as he is employed as a police officer.**

**Sec. 2. R. S., T. 5, § 1121, sub-§ 9, additional.** Section 1121 of Title 5 of the Revised Statutes, as amended, is further amended by adding a new subsection 9, as follows:

**9. Police officers.** Any member who is a police officer, including the chief of a police department, who has at least 25 years of service as a police officer shall be permitted to retire upon attainment of age 55. The service retirement allowance shall be equal to 66  $\frac{2}{3}$ % of his current final compensation.