

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ONE HUNDRED AND THIRD LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 1330

H. P. 921

House of Representatives, March 2, 1967

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

BERTHA W. JOHNSON, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Trask of Milo.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SIXTY-SEVEN

AN ACT Providing for a Recess Committee to Study the Feasibility for a Severance Tax on Timber Products.

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

Sec. 1. Committee. There is created a committee to study the feasibility for a severance tax on timber products, to be composed of the following members: Two members of the Senate, to be appointed by the President of the Senate, 2 members of the House, to be appointed by the Speaker of the House, one person to be appointed by the Governor, 2 landowners to be appointed by the Governor, the Forest Commissioner and the Director, School of Forestry, University of Maine. The committee shall elect its chairman.

Sec. 2. Report. The committee shall file a report of its findings with the 104th Legislature, together with its recommendations and proposed drafts of recommended legislation.

Sec. 3. Appropriation. The sum of \$1,000 is appropriated from the Un-appropriated Surplus of the General Fund to carry out the purposes of this Act and any balance of this fund as of June 30, 1968 shall not lapse but shall be carried forward to be used for the same purposes until June 30, 1969.