

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ONE HUNDRED AND FOURTH LEGISLATURE

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House of Representatives, January 9, 1969

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

BERTHA W. JOHNSON, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Birt of East Millinocket.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SIXTY-NINE

AN ACT Providing Presidential Preferences in Primary Elections.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., T. 21, § 401, sub-§ 2, ¶ C-1, additional. Subsection 2 of section 401 of Title 21 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding a new paragraph C-1, to read as follows :

C-1. Delegates to national convention. Receive and act upon nominations from the district committees for delegates and alternates to the national convention of the party, those being bound to vote for the candidate for the United State Presidency as nominated by a plurality or more of voting citizens at the preceding primary so long as such person is a candidate for that office.

Sec. 2. R. S., T. 21, § 441, amended. The first paragraph of section 441 of Title 21 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows :

The nomination of a candidate for any state or county public office and the Presidency of the United States with the names of candidates for that office who qualify in accordance with subsequent sections of this chapter being printed on the ballot ~~excluding presidential elector~~ must be made by primary election.