

## ONE HUNDRED AND FOURTH LEGISLATURE

## Legislative Document

No. 191

S. P. 68 In Senate, January 16, 1969 Referred to Committee on Judiciary. Sent down for concurrence and ordered printed.

JERROLD B. SPEERS, Secretary Presented by Senator Violette of Aroostook.

## STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED SIXTY-NINE

## AN ACT Permitting Acceptance of Personal Recognizances by Allagash Wilderness Waterway Rangers.

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

**R. S., T. 12, § 675, amended.** Section 675 of Title 12 of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by section 1 of chapter 496 of the public laws of 1965, is amended by by adding at the end, 2 new paragraphs, as follows:

Authorized agents or representatives of the commission making an arrest for any violation of this chapter may accept the personal recognizance of the prisoner in a sum exceeeding \$250 and a deposit in money to the amount of the recognizance for his appearance before the appropriate District or Superior Court on a specified date. The authorized agent or representative shall forthwith report all such recognizances and forward all such deposits to the court to which the recognizance is returnable.

If such person fails to appear in court on the day specified either in person or by counsel, the court shall order the recognizance and money deposited forfeited and shall enter such person's default, and shall notify the commission of the default and forfeiture.