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ONE HUNDRED AND FOURTH LEGISLATURE

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House of Representatives, March 11, 1969

Referred to Committee on Liquor Control. Sent up for concurrence and 1,000 ordered printed.

BERTHA W. JOHNSON, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Starbird of Kingman Township.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SIXTY-NINE

AN ACT Increasing Certain Liquor License Fees.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., T. 28, § 604, amended. The last sentence of the first paragraph of section 604 of Title 28 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:

The fee therefor shall be ~~\$300~~ \$400 per year, which sum shall accompany the application for such certificate.

Sec. 2. R. S., T. 28, § 651, amended. The first sentence of section 651 of Title 28 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:

Licenses for the sale and distribution of malt liquor at wholesale under such regulations as the commission may prescribe may be issued by the commission upon an application in such form as they may prescribe and upon payment of an annual fee of ~~\$300~~ \$400 for the principal place of business, and ~~\$300~~ \$400 for each additional warehouse maintained by such wholesale licensee, except that the commission may issue special permits, upon application in writing, for the temporary storage of malt liquors under such terms and upon such conditions as the commission may prescribe.

Sec. 3. R. S., T. 28, § 701, amended. The 2nd paragraph of section 701 of Title 28 of the Revised Statutes, as repealed and replaced by section 54 of chapter 513 of the public laws of 1965, is amended to read as follows:

Population shall be determined according to each Federal Decennial Census as shown by any official report authorized by the Federal Census Act and shall apply to the licensing period next following such official report.

Hotel—Malt liquor		\$200.00
Club—Spirituos and vinous	200.00	300.00
Club—Malt liquor	100.00	200.00
Public service—Spirituos and vinous		200.00
Public service—Malt liquor		100.00
Restaurant, class A—Spirituos and vinous		750.00
Restaurant—Malt liquor only	200.00	300.00
Restaurant—Vinous liquor only		200.00
Tavern—Malt liquor only		300.00
Tavern, class A—Malt liquor only		400.00
Retail store—Malt liquor only		
If merchandise is groceries only	100.00	200.00
If other stock of merchandise		200.00

Sec. 4. R. S., T. 28, § 902, amended. Section 902 of Title 28 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:

§ 902. License; fee; renewals

Such salesman shall apply to the commission for a license disclosing the person, firm or corporation for whom he is employed. The license fee shall be ~~\$10~~ \$50 and shall expire on the last day of December of the year in which it is obtained. It may be renewed annually on payment of ~~\$10~~ \$50.

STATEMENT OF FACTS

It is estimated that the increase in this Act will produce about \$267,000 increased revenue each year.