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ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 196

H. P. 141

House of Representatives, January 14, 1971

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

BERTHA W. JOHNSON, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Faucher of Solon.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SEVENTY-ONE

AN ACT to Eliminate Moose River from the Maine Forestry District.

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

R. S., T. 12, § 1201, amended. The last sentence of the 8th paragraph of section 1201 of Title 12 of the Revised Statutes, as repealed and replaced by section 34 of chapter 226 of the public laws of 1965, is amended to read as follows :

Municipalities: ~~Moose River~~ Moscow, Bridgton Plantation, Caratunk Plantation, Dennistown Plantation, Highland Plantation, Pleasant Ridge Plantation, The Forks Plantation, West Forks Plantation.

STATEMENT OF FACT

It is the intent of this legislation to gain some relief for the Town of Moose River from paying this highly discriminating tax. The board of selectmen for the Town of Moose River feel it is highly irregular that so few towns are singled out to pay this tax. Moose River is responsible for $\frac{1}{2}$ of 1% of its state valuation in case of fire and in 1970 they paid \$2,955 with a valuation of \$720,000 which is nearly the full amount of liability.