

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

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H. P. 236

House of Representatives, January 21, 1971

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

BERTHA W. JOHNSON, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Cooney of Webster.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SEVENTY-ONE

**AN ACT Relating to Basic Training at the Maine Police Academy
for All Law Enforcement Officers.**

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

R. S., T. 25, § 2805, additional. Title 25 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding a new section 2805 to read as follows:

§ 2805. Basic training

As a condition to the continued employment of any person as a full-time law enforcement officer by any law enforcement agency, such person shall complete, during the first year of his employment as a law enforcement officer, a basic training course approved by the Board of Commissioners at the Maine Police Academy. The board of commissioners shall determine by rule and regulation what constitutes a full-time law enforcement officer and application of this requirement to those already employed for more than one year.

STATEMENT OF FACT

It is the intent of this legislation that all law enforcement officers receive training at the Maine Police Academy in order that a more uniform system of law enforcement may be attained.