

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 465

H. P. 357

House of Representatives, January 28, 1971

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

BERTHA W. JOHNSON, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Slane of Portland.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SEVENTY-ONE

AN ACT Relating to Sale of Wine in Retail Stores.

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

R. S., T. 28, § 751-A, amended. Section 751-A of Title 28 of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by chapter 91 of the public laws of 1967 and as last repealed and replaced by section 51 of chapter 590 of the public laws of 1969, is amended to read as follows:

§ 751-A. Payment for sales in retail stores

For the purpose of receiving payment at the check-out counters for the sale of malt liquor or table wine in retail stores, the age of such employee receiving the payment shall not be under 17 years of age ~~for malt liquor and 18 years for table wine~~, provided that an employee who is 20 years of age or older is present in the retail store in a supervisory capacity.

STATEMENT OF FACT

Presently a retail sales clerk must be 18 years of age to ring up table wines and 17 years of age to ring up malt liquor. This bill would make the age requirement for a clerk to sell both table wine and malt liquor uniform at age 17.