

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTH LEGISLATURE

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**Legislative Document**

**No. 501**

H. P. 386

House of Representatives, February 2, 1971

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

BERTHA W. JOHNSON, Clerk

Presented by Mrs. Boudreau of Portland.

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STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
SEVENTY-ONE

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**AN ACT** Relating to Qualifications of Candidates in Primary Elections.

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

**R. S., T. 21, § 444, amended.** Section 444 of Title 21 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding at the end the following new sentences:

**He must be enrolled, on April 1st, in the party named in the petition. The registrar of voters in his municipality of residence shall certify to that fact upon the petition.**

STATEMENT OF FACT

This bill is intended to prohibit cross filing in primary elections.