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ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 1114

S. P. 378 In Senate, March 2, 1971 Referred to Committee on Judiciary. Sent down for concurrence and ordered printed.

HARRY N. STARBRANCH, Secretary Presented by Senator Shute of Franklin.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED SEVENTY-ONE

AN ACT Relating to Powers of Liquor Inspectors Concerning Disorderly Conduct.

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

R. S., T. 28, § 55, sub-§ 14, amended. The 4th sentence of subsection 14 of section 55 of Title 28 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by section 18-A of chapter 425 of the public laws of 1965, is further amended to read as follows:

Their power and duties shall include the duty to inquire into and arrest for violations of any of the provisions of this Title, to arrest for violations of Title 17, chapter 69, and Title 17, section 3953, to arrest for violations of Title 29, section 2182, to arrest for impersonation of or interference with liquor inspectors, and to arrest for disturbances of the peace in the pursuance of their duties relating to liquor under this Title and to serve all processes necessary for and pertaining to enforcement of any of the provisions of this Title.

STATEMENT OF FACT

The purpose of this bill is to give the power of arrest to liquor inspectors for disorderly conduct whenever a person, who is not intoxicated, interferes with the inspector's duties.