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HARRY N. STARBRANCH, Secretary

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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 Chiropractic Treatment under Workmen's  
Compensation Law.

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

**R. S., T. 39, § 52, amended.** Section 52 of Title 39 of the Revised Statutes, as amended, is further amended by inserting after the first paragraph the following new paragraph:

An employee sustaining a personal injury by accident arising out of and in the course of his employment, provided said injury consists of a lumbar, sacral or cervical strain shall be entitled to reasonable chiropractic treatment for the relief thereof. Such treatment shall consist of palpating and adjusting the segments and articulations of the human spinal column by hand. A duly licensed chiropractor shall be considered competent to testify before the Industrial Accident Commission.