

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 739

H. P. 560

House of Representatives, February 8, 1973

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

E. LOUISE LINCOLN, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Whitzell of Gardiner.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SEVENTY-THREE

AN ACT Eliminating Waiting Period under Employment Security Law.

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

R. S., T. 26, § 1192, sub-§ 4, repealed. Subsection 4 of section 1192 of Title 26 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by chapter 409 of the public laws of 1965, is repealed.

STATEMENT OF FACT

Many of Maine's citizens are employed in light industries who for the most part have established a routine of closing their plant for inventories of stock on either a yearly or bi-yearly basis. Such closings cause an undue hardship on the employees who must lose their wages for the period in question. The enactment of this legislation will provide a sense of well-being and prevent further financial hardships on these employees, while forcing management to innovate a better and more fair method of achieving their goal.