

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 1092

H. P. 833

House of Representatives, February 23, 1973

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

E. LOUISE LINCOLN, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Stillings of Berwick.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SEVENTY-THREE

**AN ACT to Provide the Attorney General with Access to Government Files
for Official Use.**

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

R. S., T. 5, § 200-A, amended. Section 200-A of Title 5 of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by section 1 of chapter 58 of the public laws of 1967, is amended by adding at the end a new sentence to read as follows:

Information in the files of any department, commission or agency of State Government, regardless of any statute relating to confidentiality, shall be available to the Attorney General for use in carrying out his official duties.

STATEMENT OF FACT

The purpose of this bill is to allow the Attorney General to obtain information in possession of state agencies without incurring additional expenses in subpoenaing persons and papers before the Grand Jury.