

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTH LEGISLATURE

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**Legislative Document**

**No. 1101**

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S. P. 375

In Senate, February 28, 1973

Referred to the Committee on Legal Affairs. Sent down for concurrence and ordered printed.

HARRY N. STARBRANCH, Secretary

Presented by Senator Conley of Cumberland.

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**STATE OF MAINE**

**IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
SEVENTY-THREE**

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**AN ACT Authorizing Housing Authorities to Act as Urban  
Renewal Authorities.**

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

**Sec. 1. R. S., T. 30, § 4802, amended.** The first paragraph of section 4802 of Title 30 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:

A municipality may create an Urban Renewal Authority or authorize a functioning Housing Authority to act as an Urban Renewal Authority under this subchapter as follows:

**Sec. 2. R. S., T. 30, § 4802, sub-§ 5, additional.** Section 4802 of Title 30 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding a new subsection 5, to read as follows:

5. Housing authority to act as urban renewal authority. A municipality in which a Housing Authority has been activated pursuant to section 4601 may authorize the Housing Authority to exercise all powers and perform all duties of an Urban Renewal Authority. The procedures shall be the same as in subsection 1, except that the question for the voters shall be as follows:

“Shall the municipality adopt the provisions of the urban renewal law, Revised Statutes, Title 30, chapter 239, subchapter III, and authorize the housing authority within this municipality to exercise all powers and perform all duties of an Urban Renewal Authority?”

STATEMENT OF FACT

The purpose of this bill is reflected in the title.