

## ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTH LEGISLATURE

## Legislative Document

## No. 1628

H. P. 1251 House of Representatives, March 26, 1973 Referred to the Committee on Veterans and Retirement. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

E. LOUISE LINCOLN, Clerk

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Presented by Mr. Brown of Augusta.

# STATE OF MAINE

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

#### AN ACT Relating to Retirement of Liquor Enforcement Officers.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., T. 5, § 1095, amended. Section 1095 of Title 5 of the Revised Statutes, as amended, is further amended by adding at the end the following new paragraph:

Each liquor inspector or the director of liquor enforcement who is an incumbent in a position described in section 1121, subsection 4, paragraph D shall contribute at the rate of  $7\frac{1}{2}\%$  of earnable compensation.

Sec. 2. R. S., T. 5, § 1121, sub-§ 4, ¶ D, repealed and replaced. Paragraph D of subsection 4 of section 1121 of Title 5 of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by chapter 414 of the public laws of 1965 and as amended, is repealed and the following enacted in place thereof:

D. Any member who is a liquor inspector, including the director of liquor enforcement, and in any case has at least 20 years of creditable service in his respective capacity, or cumulatively in any combination of such employment, may be retired on a service retirement allowance, but must be retired at the attainment of age 55, which will be equal to  $\frac{1}{2}$  of his current final compensation. Notwithstanding the provisions of this paragraph, any person employed as a liquor inspector on or before August 15, 1968 who has been employed continuously as such and who will not attain the 20 years of creditable service at age 55, shall be permitted to continue in his employment as a liquor inspector in order to obtain the 20 years of creditable service necessary, at which time such liquor inspector must be retired.

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#### STATEMENT OF FACT

The purpose of this bill is to make the retirement provisions of enforcement personnel within the Department of Public Safety more uniform and to have liquor enforcement officers retirement on a par with that of other enforcement agencies.