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FIRST SPECIAL SESSION

ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 2007

H. P. 1842

House of Representatives, January 19, 1976

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

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Greenlaw of Stonington.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SEVENTY-SIX

**AN ACT Concerning the Provision of Legal Services by Third-Year
Law Students.**

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

4 MRSA § 807, last ¶, as enacted by PL 1969, c. 396, is amended to read:

Notwithstanding any of the other provisions of this chapter, a senior law student in a law school in this State approved by the American Bar Association or a senior law student who is a Maine resident and who is enrolled in a law school which is in another state and which is approved by the American Bar Association, may appear in the courts of the State on behalf of the State or an agency thereof, or under the supervision of an organization providing legal services to the indigent approved by the Supreme Judicial Court on behalf of an individual receiving services through such organization, under rules promulgated by the Supreme Judicial Court stating the conditions under which such appearances may be made, including a specification of the courts and types of cases in which such appearances may be permitted.

STATEMENT OF FACT

This bill will permit a 3rd-year law student who is a Maine resident and who is enrolled in an American Bar Association approved law school located outside of Maine to appear in the courts of this State and to provide legal services to indigent persons under supervision.