

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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H. P. 1394

House of Representatives, April 13, 1977

On motion of Mr. Curran of South Portland, referred to the Committee on State Government. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Raymond of Lewiston.

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STATE OF MAINE

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IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
SEVENTY-SEVEN

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**AN ACT to Provide that the Chairman of the State Liquor Commission shall be Director of the Bureau of Alcoholic Beverages.**

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

Sec. 1. 28 MRSA § 52, as last amended by PL 1975, c. 770, § 130, is further amended by inserting after the 2nd sentence the following new sentence to read:

In appointing a chairman, consideration shall be given to the following qualifications: Sound judgment, practical experience and ability in merchandising, executive administration, salesmanship and sound business principles.

Sec. 2. 28 MRSA § 57, as enacted by PL 1975, c. 741, § 4, is repealed and the following enacted in its place:

§ 57. Director of the Bureau of Alcoholic Beverages

The chairman of the State Liquor Commission shall serve as the Director of the Bureau of Alcoholic Beverages. The salary of the director shall be fixed by the Governor.

STATEMENT OF FACT

This bill provides that the chairman of the State Liquor Commission shall serve as the Director of the Bureau of Alcoholic Beverages, provides that the director's salary is fixed by the Governor and establishes qualifications for an appointee to the position of chairman of the State Liquor Commission.