

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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FIRST REGULAR SESSION

ONE HUNDRED AND TENTH LEGISLATURE

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No. 94

S. P. 67

In Senate, January 7, 1981

Referred to the Committee on Local and County Government. Sent down for concurrence and ordered printed.

MAY M. ROSS, Secretary of the Senate

Presented by Senator Najarian of Cumberland.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-ONE

AN ACT to Increase the Percentage Retained for the County by the Register of Deeds on Real Estate Transfers.

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

36 MRSA § 4641-B, 5th ¶, as amended by P&SL 1975, c. 78, § 21, is further amended to read:

Each register of deeds shall, on or before the 10th day of each month, pay over to the State Tax Assessor ~~85%~~ 80% of the tax collected during the previous month. The remaining ~~15%~~ 20% shall be retained for the county by the register of deeds and accounted for to the county treasurer as reimbursement for services rendered by the county in collecting the tax.

STATEMENT OF FACT

The purpose of this bill is to increase the percentage retained for the county by the registers of deeds on real estate transfers from 15% to 20%.