

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ONE HUNDRED AND TENTH LEGISLATURE

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H. P. 780

House of Representatives, February 19, 1981

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

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

Presented by Representative Paul of Sanford.

STATE OF MAINE

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

**AN ACT to Abolish the Position of County Treasurer in York County and Create a Finance Officer.**

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

**Sec. 1.** 30 MRSA § 2, sub-§ 1, ¶ P, sub-¶ (2), as repealed and replaced by PL 1977, c. 657, § 3, is repealed as follows:

~~(2) Treasurer~~

3,182

**Sec. 2.** 30 MRSA § 601, first sentence is amended to read:

A treasurer shall be elected for each county, **except York County**, by the legally qualified voters thereof.

**Sec. 3.** 30 MRSA § 601-A is enacted to read:

**§ 601-A. York County; finance officer**

**The county commissioners of York County shall appoint a finance officer to serve at their pleasure and with such compensation as they set. The finance officer shall be qualified in matters of business administration and finance. The finance officer has all the authority granted to treasurers under this subchapter and is subject to all requirements of this subchapter. The finance officer shall devote his entire time to the duties of his office.**

STATEMENT OF FACT

This bill replaces the elected treasurer of York County with a full-time appointed finance officer.