

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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3 ONE HUNDRED AND ELEVENTH LEGISLATURE
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5 Legislative Document

No. 155

7 H.P. 147

House of Representatives, January 12, 1983

8 On Motion of Representative Nadeau of Lewiston referred to the
9 Committee on Election Laws. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

10 EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

Presented by Representative Willey of Hampden.
Cosponsor: Senator Perkins of Hancock.

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14 IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD
15 NINETEEN HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-THREE
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17 AN ACT to Require Proof of Residency
18 for Voter Registration.
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20 Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as
21 follows:

22 21 MRSA §241, sub-§3, as enacted by PL 1973, c.
23 414, §7, is amended to read:

24 3. Residence. In order to vote in any election,
25 he shall have established a residence in this State
26 and in the municipality in which he resides and pro-
27 vide proof thereof. Rent receipts for a dwelling in
28 that municipality or a motor vehicle operator's li-
29 cence with an address in that municipality shall con-
30 stitute a sufficient means, but not the only means,
31 of proof of residency.

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STATEMENT OF FACT

This bill requires a prospective voter registrant to provide proof of residency in the municipality in which he seeks to register to the registrar.

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