

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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FIRST REGULAR SESSION

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTEENTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

NO. 537

H.P. 403 House of Representatives, February 24, 1987
Reference to the Committee on Judiciary suggested and
ordered printed.

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

Presented by Representative WARREN of Scarborough.

Cosponsored by Representatives MARSANO of Belfast,
STEVENS of Bangor and PARADIS of Augusta.

STATE OF MAINE

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

1 AN ACT Concerning the Attachment of Real
2 Property and Personal Property.
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4 Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as
5 follows:

6 14 MRSA §4601, as amended by PL 1981, c. 279, §6,
7 is further amended by adding at the end a new para-
8 graph to read:

9 An attachment of personal property shall expire
10 at the end of 5 years from the date of filing the at-
11 achment in the office where filed unless the office
12 within that period, at the request of the plaintiff
13 or his attorney, brings forward the attachment and at
14 the expiration of 5 years from the time of the first
15 or any subsequent bringing forward, the attachment
16 shall expire, unless within that period it is again
17 brought forward.

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STATEMENT OF FACT

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This bill nullifies all attachments of personal
3 property after 5 years, the same as in the case of
4 real property.

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