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House of Representatives, February 14, 1991

Reference to the Committee on Judiciary suggested and ordered printed.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Ed Pert".

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

Presented by Representative COLES of Harpswell. (By Request)
Cosponsored by Representative JACQUES of Waterville.

STATE OF MAINE

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

An Act Regarding Proceedings of the Board of Overseers of the Bar.



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

4 MRSA c. 17, sub-c. IV is enacted to read:

SUBCHAPTER IV

BOARD OF OVERSEERS OF THE BAR

§906. Hearings; public proceedings

Any hearing conducted by the Board of Overseers of the Bar on charges of misconduct by an attorney must be conducted as an open proceeding. Any findings or recommendations resulting from the hearing must also be delivered in an open proceeding.

STATEMENT OF FACT

This bill requires that any hearing by the Board of Overseers of the Bar involving charges of attorney misconduct must be conducted as an open proceeding.