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S.P. 159

In Senate, January 28, 1997

**An Act to Change the Laws Pertaining to the Issuance of Copies of Birth,
Marriage or Death Certificates by Towns.**

Reference to the Committee on State and Local Government suggested and ordered printed.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Joy J. O'Brien".

JOY J. O'BRIEN
Secretary of the Senate

Presented by Senator MICHAUD of Penobscot.

Cosponsored by Senator NUTTING of Androscoggin, Representative: STANLEY of Medway.

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

4 **Sec. 1. 30-A MRSA §2652, first ¶,** as amended by PL 1989, c.
104, Pt. C, §§8 and 10, is further amended to read:

6 Except as provided in Title 11 and this section, the clerk
8 shall charge for services according to the following fee schedule:

10 **Sec. 2. 30-A MRSA §2652, sub-§3, ¶A,** as amended by PL 1993, c.
405, §1, is further amended to read:

12 A. Certificate of birth, marriage or death, the clerk may
14 charge \$7 for the first copy and \$3 for each additional
16 copy; and

18 **SUMMARY**

20 This bill provides that a town clerk may charge \$7 for the
22 first copy of a birth, marriage or death certificate and \$3 for
each additional copy. Current law requires a clerk to charge
these fees.