

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# FIFTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE.

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HOUSE.

No. 84.

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## STATE OF MAINE.

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IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-TWO.

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AN ACT abolishing all law discriminating between female and male suffrage in the election of president and vice president of the United States.

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*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows :*

SECTION 1. Every female citizen of the United States  
2 of the age of twenty-one years and upwards, with the  
3 same exception as is applied to male citizens in section  
4 one of article second of the constitution of this state,  
5 having her residence established in this state for the  
6 term of three months next preceding any election for  
7 president and vice president of the United States, shall  
8 be an elector for president and vice president of the  
9 United States, in the city, town or plantation where  
10 her residence is so established, in the same manner as

11 now provided by law for male citizens in such elec-  
12 tions.

SECT. 2. The provisions of sections seventy-eight  
2 and seventy-nine of chapter four of the revised stat-  
3 utes, shall apply to this act so far as may be necessary  
4 to carry the same into full effect.

STATE OF MAINE.

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IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }  
February 19, 1872. }

Read three times, and pending its passage to be engrossed, laid  
on the table and ordered to be printed.

S. J. CHADBOURNE, *Clerk.*