

SIXTIETH LEGISLATURE.

HOUSE.

No. 146.

STATE OF MAINE.

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

AN ACT to amend chapter two hundred and five of the public laws of eighteen hundred and eighty, in relation to registry of deeds from the state.

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

Section one, of chapter two hundred and five, of 2 the public laws of eighteen hundred and eighty, is 3 hereby amended by striking out of said section the 4 words "and approved by the governor, or certified 5 by the secretary of state and approved by the 6 governor," in the fifth, sixth and seventh lines of 7 said section, and inserting instead thereof, the 8 words "or other legal custodian of such records," 9 so that said section as amended will read as fol-10 lows:

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11 Sect. 1. A copy from the records now in the 12 land office of a deed from the state, of the land 13 of the state, or of a deed from the state and the 14 commonwealth of Massachusetts, of the undivided 15 lands of the state and said commonwealth, certified 16 by the land agent or other legal custodian of such 17 records, as a true copy of such record, may be filed 18 and recorded in the registry of deeds in the county 19 where the land lies, and shall have the same effect 20 as if the deed itself had been recorded, and certi-21 fied copies thereof from such registry, shall be 22 evidence when the original would be.

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In House of Representatives, March 4, 1881.

Reported by Mr. FLINT, from Committee on Judiciary, and ordered printed under Joint Rule.

ORAMANDAL SMITH, Clerk.