

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# SIXTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE.

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HOUSE.

No. 99.

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## STATE OF MAINE.

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

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AN ACT to excuse corporations, which have ceased  
to transact business, from publishing semi-annual  
statements and filing annual returns.

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

The Attorney general, upon application by any  
2 corporation, and satisfactory proof that such cor-  
3 poration has ceased to transact all business, shall  
4 file a certificate of the fact with the secretary of  
5 state, and upon being paid reasonable compensa-  
6 tion for his services, shall give a duplicate thereof  
7 to the corporation; and thereupon such corpora-  
8 tion shall be excused from thereafter publishing  
9 semi-annual statements, and filing annual returns  
10 with the secretary of state, as now required by  
11 law, so long as its franchises remain unused.



STATE OF MAINE.

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IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, }  
February 16, 1883. }

Reported by Mr. HALE, from the Committee on the Judiciary, and  
ordered printed.

ORAMANDAL SMITH, *Clerk.*