

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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Sixty-Eighth Legislature.

HOUSE.

No. 280.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED
AND NINETY-SEVEN

AN ACT to amend Sections 6 and 8, of Chapter 81 of the
Revised Statutes, relating to Endorsement of Writs.

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

Section 1. Section six (6) of chapter eighty-one (81) of
2 the Revised Statutes is hereby amended so that the same, as
3 amended, shall read as follows:

‘Section 6. Every writ original, of scire facias, of error,
5 of audita querela, petition for writ of certiorari, for review,
6 or for partition, and bill in equity shall when the plaintiff,
7 petitioner or complainant is not an inhabitant of the State,
8 upon motion filed in court at the first term, as of course, be
9 indorsed by some sufficient inhabitant of the State, or secur-

10 ity for costs furnished by deposit in court, in such amount
11 as the court shall direct; and if pending such suit the plain-
12 tiff, petitioner or complainant removes from the State, such
13 an indorser shall be procured or security for costs furnished
14 on motion of the defendant or other party to the suit; but
15 if one of such plaintiffs, petitioners or complainants is an
16 inhabitant of the State, no indorser or security shall be
17 required except by special order of court.'

Sect. 2. Section eight (8) of said chapter eighty-one (81)
2 is hereby amended so that the same, as amended, shall read
3 as follows:

'Section 8. If pending such suit, petition or process, any
5 such indorser or deposit becomes insufficient or such
6 indorser removes from the State, the court may require a
7 new and sufficient indorser or additional deposit, and by
8 consent of the defendant the name of the original indorser
9 may be struck out; and such new indorser shall be liable or
10 such deposit holden for all costs from the beginning of the
11 suit; and if such new indorser is not provided or security
12 furnished within the time fixed by the court, the action shall
13 be dismissed and the defendant shall recover his costs.'

STATE OF MAINE.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

March 11, 1897.

Reported by Mr. HILL of Portland, from Committee on Legal Affairs,
and ordered printed under joint rules.

W. S. COTTON, *Clerk.*