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Seventy-first Legislature.

SENATE. No. 136

STATE OF MAINE.

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED AND THREE.

AN ACT relating to the authority of courts over guardians ad litem or next friend.

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

Section 1. No settlement of any suit brought in behalf of

- 2 an infant by next friend shall be valid unless approved by 3 the court in which the action is pending, or to which the writ
- 4 is returnable, or affirmed by an entry of judgment. The
- 5 court may make all necessary orders for protecting the inter-
- 6 ests of the infant, and may require the guardian ad litem,
- 7 or next friend, to give bond to truly account for all money
- 8 received in behalf of the infant.

Sect. 2. This act shall take effect when approved.



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STATE OF MAINE.

IN SENATE, February 27, 1903.
Reported by Mr. GOODWIN from Committee on Revision of Statutes, and laid on table to be printed under joint rules.

KENDALL M. DUNBAR, Secretary.