

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SEVENTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE

HOUSE.

No. 143

STATE OF MAINE.

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

AN ACT to amend Chapter five hundred eighty-eight of the Private and Special Laws of one thousand eight hundred and seventy one, entitled "An Act to incorporate the Grand Lodge of the Independent Order of Good Templars of Maine."

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

Section 1. The title of said act is hereby amended by
2 striking out the word "Independent" and inserting in place
3 thereof the word 'International,' so that the title of said
4 act shall read as follows:

'An Act to incorporate the Grand Lodge of the Interna-
6 tional Order of Good Templars of Maine.'

Sect. 2. Section one of chapter five hundred eighty-eight
2 of the private and special laws of eighteen hundred seventy-
3 one is hereby amended by striking out the word “Inde-
4 pendent” in the sixth line of said section and inserting in
5 place thereof the word ‘International,’ so that said section
6 as amended shall read as follows:

‘Sect. 1. Joshua Nye, Smith Baker, Jr., B. F. Hamilton,
8 Sumner Basford, Henry N. Shorey, W. L. Hathorn and
9 their associates and successors, be and are hereby incorpo-
10 rated a body politic by the name of the Grand Lodge of
11 the International Order of Good Templars of Maine, with
12 power to sue and be sued, to have a common seal, to make
13 any by-laws for the management of their affairs not repug-
14 nant to the laws of this State, and shall have such powers
15 and privileges and be subject to such duties as are provided
16 for similar corporations; may elect such officers as may
17 be deemed necessary for the management of the corporation,
18 and may hold, sell and convey property, real and personal,
19 to an amount not exceeding fifty thousand dollars.’

Sect. 3. The Constitution and By-Laws of the Grand and
2 Subordinate Lodges, Independent Order of Good Templars
3 of Maine, as approved by the Committee on Constitutions
4 of said Grand Lodge of Maine, October 11, 1906, are hereby
5 ratified and approved as the Constitution and By-Laws of
6 the Grand and Subordinate Lodges, International Order
7 of Good Templars of Maine.

Sect. 4. This act shall take effect when approved.



STATE OF MAINE.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Augusta, February 8, 1907.

Reported by Mr. DOW from Committee on Temperance and ordered
printed under joint rules.

E. M. THOMPSON, *Clerk.*