

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SEVENTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE

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HOUSE

NO. 242

*House of Representatives, Feb. 9, 1917.*

*Referred to Committee on Taxation and five hundred copies ordered printed. Sent up for concurrence.*

*W. R. ROIX, Clerk.*

*Presented by Mr. Brewster of Portland.*

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STATE OF MAINE

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IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE  
HUNDRED AND SEVENTEEN

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AN ACT to amend Section 4 of Chapter 8, Revised Statutes of  
1916, relatives to Duties of State Assessors.

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*Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:*

Section 4 of Chapter 8, Revised Statutes, is amended by  
2 the addition of the following sentence after the first sentence  
3 thereof:

In apportioning the State Taxes among the several Cities  
2 and Towns, of the State, such apportionment shall be upon  
3 the last annual return of the Assessors of Cities and Towns.

So that as amended said section shall read:

'Sect. 4. The board of state assessors shall constitute  
2 a state board of equalization, whose duty it shall be to  
3 equalize the state and county taxes among the several towns  
4 and unorganized townships in the manner hereinafter pro-  
5 vided, and to apportion the state taxes among the several  
6 towns of the state. In apportioning the State Taxes among  
7 the several cities and towns of the State, such appor-  
8 tionment shall be upon the last annual return of the Assessors  
9 of Cities and Towns. They shall exercise and perform such  
10 other powers and duties as may be required or imposed upon  
11 them by law.'