

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SEVENTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE

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HOUSE

NO. 358

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*House of Representatives, Feb. 20, 1917.*

*Referred to Committee on Labor and fifteen hundred copies ordered printed. Sent up for concurrence.*

*W. R. ROIX, Clerk.*

*Presented by Mr. Garcelon of Auburn.*

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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 eight of Chapter three hundred fifty of the Public Laws of one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, entitled An Act relative to the hours of employment of women and minors.

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

Section eight of Chapter three hundred fifty of the Public  
2 Laws of one thousand nine hundred and fifteen is hereby  
3 amended by inserting after the word "apply" in the second  
4 line thereof the words 'to females employed in harvesting,  
5 packing, curing, canning or drying any variety of perishable

6 fruit or vegetables, or to females employed in candy fac-  
7 tories,' so that said section as amended shall read as follows:

'Sect. 8. Nothing in the seven preceding sections shall  
2 apply to females employed in harvesting, packing, curing,  
3 canning or drying any variety of perishable fruits or vege-  
4 tables, or to females employed in candy factories, or to any  
5 manufacturing establishment or business, the materials and  
6 products of which are perishable and require immediate  
7 labor thereon to prevent decay thereof or damage thereto.'