

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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EIGHTY - THIRD LEGISLATURE

Senate Document

No. 89

S. P. 222

In Senate, Feb. 16, 1927.

On motion by Mr. Oakes of Cumberland, reference reconsidered, and on further motion by same senator, referred to Committee on Judiciary and 500 copies ordered printed. Sent down for concurrence.

ROYDEN V. BROWN, Secretary.

Presented by Senator Oakes of Cumberland.

STATE OF MAINE

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

AN ACT to Amend Chapter Three Hundred Forty-six of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred Five Relating to the Probation Officer and Assistant for the County of Cumberland.

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

Section 1. Section one of chapter three hundred forty-
2 six of the private and special laws of nineteen hundred five
3 as amended by chapter twenty-seven of the private and
4 special laws of nineteen hundred fifteen is hereby amended
5 by striking out the words, "the judge of the superior court
6 for the county of Cumberland," and inserting in place there-

7 of the words, 'a resident justice of the circuit court and,
8 if none, by the chief justice,' and by striking out the word
9 "superior" in eighth line thereof and inserting in place
10 thereof the word 'circuit,' and by striking out the word "su-
11 perior" in the twelfth line thereof and inserting in place
12 thereof the words 'as above,' so that said section, as amend-
13 ed, shall read as follows:

'Section 1. The judge of the municipal court for the city
2 of Portland shall appoint one person as probation officer,
3 to be approved by a resident justice of the circuit court and,
4 if none, by the chief justice, who shall act under the direc-
5 tion of said courts. The term of office of said officer shall
6 be for the period of two years, or until removed by the
7 judge of either of said courts. A record of said appoint-
8 ment and approval and of any such removal shall be made
9 by the clerk of said circuit court, and said clerk shall notify
10 the county commissioners and the county treasurer of the
11 county of Cumberland of the same. Said judge of said
12 municipal court shall also appoint one person as assistant
13 probation officer, to be approved as above, who shall serve
14 during the pleasure of said judges and shall have the same
15 authority and powers under the direction of said probation
16 officer as said probation officer has under this act.'

Sect. 2. Sections two, three, four, five, six, seven and
2 eight of chapter three hundred forty-six of the private and
3 special laws of nineteen hundred five as amended by chap-
4 ter twenty-seven of the private and special laws of nine-

5 teen hundred fifteen as amended by chapter one hundred
6 four of the private and special laws of nineteen hundred
7 nineteen and as amended by chapter one hundred fifty-
8 three of the private and special laws of nineteen hundred
9 twenty-one as amended by chapter fifty-five of the private
10 and special laws of nineteen hundred twenty-five is hereby
11 amended by substituting the word 'circuit' for the word
12 "superior" wherever the latter word occurs.