

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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EIGHTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE

House Document

No. 600

H. P. 1528 House of Representatives, March 1, 1929.

Referred to Committee on Banks and Banking and 500
copies ordered printed. Sent up for concurrence.

CLYDE R. CHAPMAN, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Jackson of Portland.

STATE OF MAINE

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

AN ACT Relating to the Giving of Checks and Drafts on
Banks Where the Maker has not Sufficient Funds.

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

Section two of chapter ninety-five of the public laws of
2 nineteen hundred and seventeen as amended is hereby
3 amended by repealing all of said section and substituting
4 in place thereof the following:

'Sect. 2. As against the maker or drawer thereof, or as
2 against the person signing a check, draft or order for or in
3 behalf of a corporation or partnership, or against a person

4 signing a corporation, firm or business name by him, the
5 making, drawing, uttering or delivery of a check, draft or
6 order, payment of which is refused by the drawee for lack
7 of sufficient funds, shall be prima facie evidence of intent
8 to defraud and of knowledge of insufficient funds in, or
9 credit with, such bank or other depository, provided that
10 such maker or drawer shall not have paid the drawee or
11 holder thereof the amount due thereon, together with all
12 costs and protest fees, within five days after receiving no-
13 tice that such check, draft or order has not been paid by
14 the drawee.'