

# EIGHTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE

## **House Document**

#### **No. 696**

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CLYDE R. CHAPMAN, Clerk.

## STATE OF MAINE

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

AN ACT Relating to the Recovery of Estates by Writ of Entry; Mode of Service.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:
Section one of chapter one hundred and nine of the revised statutes is hereby amended by striking out the whole
3 of said section and inserting in lieu thereof the following:
Section I. Any estate of free hold, in fee simple, fee
2 tail, for life, or any term of years, may be recovered by
3 a writ of entry; and such writs, and the writ in an action
4 of dower, shall be served by attachment and summons, or
5 attested copy of the writ, on the defendant, but if he is not
6 in possession, or cannot be found in the county by reason-

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7 able diligence, the officer shall give the tenant in hand, or
8 leave at his last and usual abode, an attested copy of the
9 writ; and if the defendant is not an inhabitant of the state,
10 the service on the tenant shall be sufficient notice to the
11 defendant, or the court may order further notice.'