## MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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### EIGHTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE

#### **House Document**

No. 707

S. P. 699 House of Representatives, March 21, 1929.

Referred to Committee on Revision of Statutes in concurrence and 500 copies ordered printed.

CLYDE R. CHAPMAN, Clerk.

Presented by Senator Weatherbee of Penobscot.

#### STATE OF MAINE

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

AN ACT to Amend Section Seventy-one of Chapter Eightysix of the Revised Statutes as Amended by Chapter Two Hundred Seventy-one of the Public Laws of Nineteen Hundred Seventeen, Relative to Certificate of Dissolution of Attachments and Release of Attachments.

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

Section seventy-one of chapter eighty-six of the revised

- 2 statutes as amended by chapter two hundred and seventy-
- 3 one of the public laws of nineteen hundred and seventeen is
- 4 hereby amended by striking out all of said section and by
- 5 substituting therefor the following:
  - 'Sect. 71. Certificate of dissolution of attachment; plain-

2 tiff or his attorney may release attachment. When an at-3 tachment is dissolved by judgment for the defendant, or 4 if the writ upon which the attachment is made is not en-5 tered in the court to which it was returnable within the 6 first five days of said return term, the clerk of the court 7 shall give any person applying therefor a certificate of that 8 fact, which the register of deeds shall note on the margin o of the record of the attachment. The said clerk of courts 10 may charge a fee of fifty cents for such certificate. Before II or after the entry of said writ in said court, or before or 12 after judgment thereon, or if said writ is not entered in 13 court, the plaintiff, or his attorney in such suit, may dis-14 charge the attachment in writing on the margin of the 15 record thereof, or said plaintiff or said attorney may give 16 a certificate, signed, sealed and acknowledged by him, that 17 said attachment is in whole or in part discharged, which the 18 register of deeds shall record with a reference thereto on 10 the margin of the records of attachments. The register of 20 deeds shall note the record of said discharge on the margin 21 of the records of attachments within an hour of the deliv-22 ery to him of either of the aforesaid certificates. Such at-23 tachment may be discharged on the record thereof in the 24 registry of deeds by an attorney at law authorized in writ-25 ing by the plaintiff in said suit, provided, however, that said 26 writing is first recorded or filed in said registry of deeds 27 with a reference thereto made by said register of deeds on 28 the margin of the record of the attachment.'