

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SENATE AMENDMENT A  
TO SENATE DOCUMENT THIRTY-FOUR

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EIGHTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE

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Senate Document

No. 253

S. P. 58

In Senate, Feb. 27, 1929.

Read and adopted. Sent down for concurrence.

ROYDEN V. BROWN, Secretary

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STATE OF MAINE

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

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AN ACT Providing for the Appointment of Clerks of Courts.

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

Senate document thirty-four entitled "An Act Providing  
2 for the Appointment of Clerks of Courts" is hereby amend-  
3 ed by striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting  
4 in place thereof the following:

'Section one of chapter eighty-four of the revised statutes  
2 is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 1. Clerks of the judicial courts shall hereafter  
2 be appointed by the governor and confirmed by the coun-  
3 cil, and shall hold office for the term of four years, unless  
4 removed by the governor and council for cause; but all

5 such clerks now in office shall continue to hold their office  
6 until the expiration of the term for which they were ap-  
7 pointed or elected, or until a vacancy occurs from some  
8 other cause. All such clerks shall be residents of the county  
9 for which they are appointed. Upon a vacancy occurring  
10 in any such clerk's office, and before the appointments pro-  
11 vided for in this section are made, it shall be the duty of  
12 the chief justice of the supreme judicial court, to make  
13 recommendations to the governor and council relative to  
14 said appointments.'