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### EIGHTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE

#### **Senate Document**

No. 270

S. P. 600

In Senate, February 28, 1929.

Referred to Committee on Revision of Statutes and 500 copies ordered printed. Sent down for concurrence.

ROYDEN V. BROWN, Secretary.

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 Forty-four of Chapter Eighty-two of the Revised Statutes, Relative to Certification of Cases to the Law Court.

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

Section forty-four of chapter eighty-two of the revised

2 statutes is hereby amended by inserting after the word

3 "state" in the third line thereof the words 'clerk and re
4 corders of the municipal courts, whose charters so provide,'

5 and by striking out the words "the supreme judicial and

6 superior courts in their respective counties," in the fourth

7 line of said section and by inserting in place thereof the

8 words 'their respective courts,' so that said section as amend
9 ed shall read as follows:

'Sect. 44. All pending cases marked "law" to be certified 2 to clerk; how entered and determined. At least ten days 3 before the sitting of each term of the law court, the clerks 4 of courts, and recorders of municipal courts, whose charters 5 so provide, shall certify to the clerk of such term all cases, 6 pending in their respective courts, marked "law" and all 7 other matters of which the law court has jurisdiction, ex-8 cept cases in which exceptions or appeals in proceedings 9 in equity have been adjudged frivilous and intended for 10 delay; and they shall be entered on the docket of the law II court and shall, together with all other matters therein pend-12 ing, be in order for argument, determination or continuance 13 in the alphabetical order of counties. Provided, that causes 14 marked "law" and all other matters of which the law court 15 has jurisdiction in the counties of Androscoggin, Cumber-16 land, Franklin, Knox, Lincoln, Oxford, Sagadahoc and 17 York shall not be entered or be in order for hearing at the 18 term holden at Bangor, except by consent of both parties; 19 but such causes shall be entered and be in order for hearing 20 at the Portland and Augusta terms.'