

EIGHTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE

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CLYDE R. CHAPMAN, Clerk. Presented by Mr. Burkett of Portland.

STATE OF MAINE

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

AN ACT Relating to Minors in Attendance Upon Dances and Roller Skating Practices during Certain Hours.

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

Section I. No proprietor, lessee or manager and no employee of a proprietor, lessee or manager of any public hall or room in which dancing or roller skating is practiced and for admission to which money or other token of value is accepted, shall admit while dancing or roller skating is practised therein between the hours of six P. M. and six A. M. any person under seventeen years of age unless such person is accompanied by a parent, guardian or adult member of the family with whom such person is residing; and any minor may be refused admission to or excluded from any such hall or room while a dance or roller skating is being carried on therein, unless such minor produces evidence satisfactory to the proprietor or his agent that such minor is above the age of seventeen years.

Sec. 2. This act shall not apply to any ball or dance given by any charitable or religious society, or by any public or private school, or by any class, society or club the membership of which is restricted to some particular charitable or religious society or some particular public or private school.

Sec. 3. A copy of this act shall be posted at the entrance

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of every public hall or room in which roller skating or public dances are practised.

Sec. 4. Whoever violates any provision of this act shall be punished by a fine of not less than five dollars nor more than one hundred dollars, or by the forfeiture of his license or both.