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EIGHTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE

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H. P. 1137

House of Representatives, Feb. 14, 1933.

On motion of Mr. Carignan of Sanford taken from the table and on further motion same gentleman, referred to the Committee on Towns. Sent up for concurrence. 500 copies ordered printed.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Carignan of Sanford.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED THIRTY-THREE

AN ACT Relating to Polling Places in Sanford.

Whereas, the town of Sanford has a population of almost 14,000 people, and

Whereas, they have only I voting place established by law, and

Whereas, the law requires 60 days' notice of establishing of new voting places and there is not sufficient time to comply with the law before the next town meeting, and

Whereas, in the judgment of the 86th legislature these facts create an emergency within the meaning of § 16 of Article XXXI of the constitution of Maine and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of public peace, health and safety, now, therefore,

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

Sanford authorized to establish 3 polling places. The town of Sanford is hereby authorized to establish 3 polling places in the town of Sanford for use at their town meeting, notwithstanding the provisions of section 12 of chapter 8 of the revised statutes; and the town officers may provide the necessary officers to maintain the polls.

Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble hereof, this act shall take effect immediately on its approval.