

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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**Legislative Document**

**No. 189**

S. P. 216

In Senate, January 29, 1935.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary, sent down for concurrence and 500 copies ordered printed.

ROYDEN V. BROWN, Secretary.

Presented by Senator McDonald of Washington.

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**STATE OF MAINE**

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
THIRTY-FIVE

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**AN ACT to Permit National Forests in Maine.**

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

**National forests may be created.** Subject to the provisions of the Act of Congress of March 1, 1911, 36 Statutes 961, known as the Weeks Act, and Acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, the consent of the state of Maine is hereby given for the United States to acquire either by gift or by purchase upon the payment of adequate compensation lands within the state of Maine suitable for National Forest purposes but no such acquisition shall be made against the protest of any owner;

Provided the state shall retain concurrent jurisdiction with the United States in and on lands so acquired so far that civil process in all cases, and such criminal process as may issue under the authority of the state of Maine against any person charged with the commission of crime without or within said jurisdiction, may be executed thereon in like manner as if this act had not passed.