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NEW DRAFT OF H. P. 1365-L. D. 594

H. P. 1530

House of Representatives, March 1, 1935.

Reported by Mr. Alden from Committee on Temperance and on further motion same gentleman tabled pending acceptance of report and new draft ordered printed.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
THIRTY-FIVE

AN ACT Relating to the Sale of Intoxicating Liquors.

Emergency preamble. Whereas, chapter 300 of the public laws of 1933, enacted at the special session of November 6-10, 1934, was enacted as an emergency act; and

Whereas, it was, and still is, the desire of the people of the state of Maine to give to the state liquor commission as full control as possible of all matters within the true scope of said chapter 300; and

Whereas, certain limitations contained in said law make it impossible to carry out the real purposes of said law; and

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

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

P. L., 1933, c. 300, § 3, ¶ 2, amended. Paragraph 2 of section 3 of chapter 300 of the public laws of 1933 is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Said commission ~~may~~ shall employ, subject to the approval of the governor and council such clerical and other assistants, and make such expenditures, as may be necessary to carry into effect the purposes of this act, and subject to the same approval ~~may fix~~ the compensation of all such employees or assistants. All appointments of individuals as employees or agents of the commission shall take effect only on confirmation by the governor and council. after due examination and inquiry determine the merit, efficiency and fitness of all applicants for positions prepare a properly classified eligible list from applicants so examined, and from such eligible list employ such clerical help and other assistants and employees and make such expenditures as may be necessary to carry into effect the purposes of this act and subject to the approval of the governor and council fix the compensation of all such employees or assistants.'

Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this act shall take effect when approved.