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Legislative Document

No. 108

H. P. 363

House of Representatives, January 27, 1937.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary. Sent up for concurrence and 500 copies ordered printed.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Fellows of Augusta.

S T A T E O F M A I N E

I N T H E Y E A R O F O U R L O R D N I N E T E E N H U N D R E D
T H I R T Y - S E V E N

AN ACT Relating to The Araxine Wilkins Sawyer Foundation.

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

Araxine Wilkins Sawyer Foundation further empowered. The Araxine Wilkins Sawyer Foundation, a corporation organized under the laws of this state, and located at Greene, in the county of Androscoggin, is authorized and empowered for the purposes of its organization, to receive, take, and hold, by deed, devise, bequest, or otherwise, property, personal and real, to the amount of \$500,000 including all gifts, conveyances, bequests and devises heretofore made to said corporation.

STATEMENT OF FACTS

The Araxine Wilkins Sawyer Foundation, largely endowed by J. M. Sawyer of Greene, in memory of his mother and incorporated under the general laws of Maine, is organized for charitable, educational, social and cultural purposes. It is especially devoted to community welfare projects.

Under the general law the endowment is limited to \$100,000 which has already been provided. The purpose of this act is to permit the endowment to be increased to a sum adequate to carry out the purposes of its founder. No public appropriation has been or will be asked for or accepted by the corporation.