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EIGHTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

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S. P. 403

In Senate, February 14, 1939.

Referred to Committee on State Prison and sent down for concurrence. 500 copies ordered printed.

ROYDEN V. BROWN, Secretary.

Presented by Senator Hill of Cumberland.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED THIRTY-NINE

AN ACT Relating to Chaplains of State Prison.

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

P. L., 1933, c. 1, § 353, amended. Section 353 of chapter 1 of the public laws of 1933 is hereby repealed and the following is enacted in place thereof:

'Sec. 353. Chaplain of state prison; duties. The department shall appoint one or more chaplains for the state prison as the need may require. It shall be their duty, in accordance with the rules of the prison, to conduct religious services, visit the sick, labor diligently and faithfully for the mental, moral and religious improvement of the convicts and aid them in every possible way in cooperation with the parole board and the state probation officers. They shall act as teachers as well as chaplains.'