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#### EIGHTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE

### Legislative Document

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HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Farrington of Augusta.

#### STATE OF MAINE

## IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED THIRTY-NINE

#### AN ACT Relating to Marriage Licenses.

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

R. S., c. 72, § 5, amended. The 1st sentence of section 5 of chapter 72 of the revised statutes, as amended, is hereby amended to read as follows:

'The clerk shall deliver to the parties a certificate specifying the time when such intentions were entered with him; and it shall be delivered to the minister or magistrate before he begins to solemnize the marriage; but no such certificate shall be issued to a male under 21, or to a female under 18 years of age, without the written consent of their parents or guardians first presented, if they have any living; or to a male or female under 16 years of age without the written consent of their parents or guardians first presented, if they have any living, and without said clerk having notified in writing the judge of probate in the county in which they reside of the filing of such intentions, who may in the interest of public welfare, order that no such certificate shall issue, nor to a state or town pauper when the overseers of such town deposit a list of their paupers with the clerk.'