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HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

STATE OF MAINE

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

AN ACT Relating to Political Advertisements at or Near Polling Places.

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

Display of circulars, etc., prohibited at polling places. On caucus, primary or election days no poster, card, handbill, placard, novelty, picture, circular not required by law, or loud speaker, so-called, intended to influence the opinion of any voter shall be posted, exhibited, circulated, distributed or operated, in the building where the polling place is located, on the walls thereof, on the premises on which the building is located, on the sidewalk adjoining the premises where such polling place is located, or within 250 feet of the entrance to such polling place. This does not apply to placards on automobiles traveling to and from the polling places.