

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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H. P. 1402

House of Representatives, February 11, 1941.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary and 650 copies ordered printed. Sent up for concurrence.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Eddy of Bangor.

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**STATE OF MAINE**

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IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
FORTY-ONE

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**AN ACT Relating to the Pownal State School.**

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

**P. L., 1933, c. 1, § 452, amended.** Section 452 of chapter 1 of the public laws of 1933 is hereby amended by adding thereto the following paragraph :

**‘Whenever in the opinion of the superintendent the condition of an inmate is such that he may safely be permitted to leave the institution temporarily, the superintendent shall have authority to grant such permit for a definite time under such conditions as he may specify, which permit may at any time be revoked or extended. In the event that any such inmate should fail to return to the institution at the time required by the superintendent, full power to retake and return such inmate is hereby expressly conferred upon the superintendent, whose written order shall be a sufficient warrant authorizing any officer named therein to return such inmate to the institution.’**