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## NINETY-FIRST LEGISLATURE

## Legislative Document

No. 328

S. P. 216

In Senate, February 4, 1943.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary, sent down for concurrence and ordered printed.

ROYDEN V. BROWN, Secretary.

Presented by Senator Owen of Kennebec.

## STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED FORTY-THREE

AN ACT to Authorize the Charging off of Uncollectible Accounts.

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

P. L., 1941, c. 13, amended. Chapter 13 of the public laws of 1941 is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Collection of accounts due the state. The controller shall charge off the books of account of the state of Maine or of any department, institution or agency thereof, such accounts receivable, including all taxes for the assessment or collection of which the state is responsible, and all impounded bank accounts, as shall be certified to him as impracticable of realization by or for said state, department, institution or agency; said certification to be by the commissioner of finance and state auditor and subject to the approval of the governor; provided, however, that in each such case, the charging off of such accounts shall be recommended by the head of the department, institution or agency originally responsible for such account.'