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House of Representatives, February 17, 1943.

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

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

Presented by Miss Bangs of Brunswick.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
FORTY-THREE

AN ACT Relating to Suspension of Licenses for Eating Places, etc.

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

P. L., 1933, c. 1, § 187-C, amended. Section 187-C of chapter 1 of the public laws of 1933, as allocated by section 2 of chapter 83 of the public laws of 1935, is hereby repealed and the following enacted in place thereof :

‘Sec. 187-C. Revocation of licenses; appeal. The bureau of health of the department of health and welfare shall have the power to issue, renew, suspend, and revoke such licenses and to hold hearings on violations of the provisions of sections 186 to 187-C, inclusive, and regulations adopted under the provisions of said sections. The director of health, or his duly authorized representative in charge of the hearings, may administer oaths and issue subpoenas for witnesses.

The licensee shall have notice in writing of the charge or charges against him and shall have reasonable opportunity to be heard in his defense. Any license suspended or revoked shall be delivered to any agent of the bureau of health upon demand. Any person whose license has been suspended or

revoked may apply to have same reissued and it shall be reissued upon satisfactory evidence that the violations no longer exist.

Any person aggrieved by the decision of said bureau may appeal to the superior court within 3 days after the said decision. The appeal shall be heard in the superior court sitting in the county within which the violation occurred. The bureau shall, within 10 days after notice of such appeal, forward to the said court a certified copy of the proceedings.'