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In Senate, March 25, 1943.

Reported by Senator Farris of Kennebec from Committee on Judiciary and laid on the table to be printed under joint rules.

ROYDEN V. BROWN, Secretary.

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**STATE OF MAINE**

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IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
FORTY-THREE

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**AN ACT Relating to the Retirement System for State Police.**

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

**P. L., 1933, c. 1, § 233-A, amended.** Section 233-A of chapter 1 of the public laws of 1933, as enacted by chapter 182 of the public laws of 1935 and amended by chapter 225 of the public laws of 1939, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

**'Sec. 233-A. State police retirement system.** Any member of the state police who shall have served as a member thereof for 20 **or more** years with a good record, ~~may~~ **shall**, upon request in writing to the chief of the state police, be retired from active service and placed upon the pension rolls, and receive thereafter  $\frac{1}{2}$  of the pay per annum that is paid to a member of his grade at the time of his retirement. ~~Provided, however, that not more than 10% of the entire active strength of the force shall be so carried on the retired list at any one time under the provisions of sections 233-A to 233-C, inclusive.~~ **Provided, however, that no member shall be retired under this act for the duration of the present war emergency or 6 months thereafter unless he has reached the age of 65, or unless the governor and council shall determine that because of physical disability he is no longer able to carry on the duties of his office.'**