

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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**No. 339**

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S. P. 134

In Senate, February 1, 1945.

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

ROYDEN V. BROWN, Secretary.

Presented by Senator Leavitt of Cumberland.

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**STATE OF MAINE**

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IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
FORTY-FIVE

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**AN ACT** Providing Authority to the Board of Trustees of the Maine  
Maritime Academy to Confer the Degree of Bachelor of Science.

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

**P. & S. L., 1941, c. 37, § 8, additional.** Chapter 37 of the private and special laws of 1941, as amended, is hereby further amended by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 8, to read as follows:

**'Sec. 8. Power to confer degrees.** The board of trustees of the Maine Maritime Academy shall have the power to confer the Bachelor of Science Degree to graduates who have fulfilled requirements of 128 semester hours of prescribed collegiate work subsequent to graduation from a standard secondary school when, in the opinion of the board of trustees, the academy shall have met the prevailing standards of degree-granting institutions with respect to the academic and vocational preparation of its faculty and the adequacy of its educational facilities.'