

## NINETY-SECOND LEGISLATURE

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Presented by Mr. Carpenter of Skowhegan.

# STATE OF MAINE

### IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED FORTY-FIVE

#### AN ACT Relating to Bidding for Institutional Supplies.

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

**R. S., c. 14, § 37, amended.** Section 37 of chapter 14 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 37. Institution supplies to be bid for separately. The state purchasing agent, in requesting bids for institutional supplies, shall list the articles on which bids are requested under the names of the institutions for which they are desired. Bids shall be made on any or all of the articles listed, each bid being made for the supply of a specific article or articles to the particular institution without reference to those otherwise listed. With respect to said bids, the state purchasing agent shall advertise for sealed proposals for all purchases of \$100 or more, not less than 2 weeks in such paper or papers as the governor and council may direct, the last advertisement to be at least 1 week before the time named therein for closing such bid. Sealed proposals submitted in accordance with such advertisement shall be addressed to the state purchasing agent and shall remain sealed until opened at a time specified therefor in the advertisement, at which opening any bidder may, if he so elect, be present.'