

NINETY-SECOND LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

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S. P. 316 Referred to Committee on Judiciary in concurrence and ordered printed. ROYDEN V. BROWN, Secretary. Presented by Senator Currier of Androscoggin.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED FORTY-FIVE

AN ACT Permitting Certain Prisoners to Apply for Reconsideration of Their Cases.

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

R. S., c. 23, § 16-A, additional. Chapter 23 of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 16-A, to read as follows:

'Sec. 16-A. When petition for reconsideration may be filed. A prisoner may have the privilege and right to file a petition with the court from which he or she were sentenced to have his or her case reviewed and reconsidered when sentenced to any state reformatory, state school for boys or state school for girls, after serving 30 days if sentenced for a misdemeanor, and after serving 6 months if sentenced for a felony.'