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H. P. 61

House of Representatives, January 15, 1947.

Referred to Committee on Mercantile Affairs and Insurance. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Bowker of Portland.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
FORTY-SEVEN

AN ACT Relating to Deputy Insurance Commissioners.

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

R. S., c. 56, § 2, amended. Section 2 of chapter 56 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows :

‘Sec. 2. Commissioner, appointment, term and duties; appointment and duties of deputy commissioners. An insurance commissioner, hereinafter in this chapter called the “commissioner,” shall be appointed by the governor and council, and shall hold his office for 4 years, and until his successor has been appointed and qualified, but shall not at the same time be bank commissioner. His office shall be at the state capitol. He may administer oaths in the performance of his official duties in any part of the state and at any time. He shall keep a correct account of all his doings, and of all fees and moneys received by him by virtue of his office, and pay over the same to the treasurer of state forthwith. He shall receive an annual salary of \$4,500. He may appoint, subject to the provisions of the personnel law, ~~a deputy commissioner who~~ **commissioners, one of whom,** by virtue of such appointment, shall be and perform ~~all the duties of chief clerk of the department~~ **the first deputy insurance commissioner.** In the event of a vacancy in the office of the insurance commissioner or during the absence

or disability of that officer, the first deputy insurance commissioner ~~shall perform the duties of the office so appointed under the provisions of this section shall become during such absence or disability of that officer the acting insurance commissioner.~~