

NINETY-THIRD LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

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H. P. 445 House of Representatives, January 29, 1947. Referred to Committee on Judiciary. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Sleeper of Rockland.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED FORTY-SEVEN

AN ACT Relating to Duties of Insurance Commissioner in Directing Defective Chimneys and Other Dangerous Conditions to be Removed or Repaired.

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

R. S., c. 85, § 33, amended. Section 33 of chapter 85 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 33. Insurance commissioner and/or municipal officers to direct defective chimneys and other dangerous conditions to be removed or repaired; penalty. On complaint of any citizen that a chimney, stove, stovepipe, oven, furnace, boiler, or appurtenance is defective, out of repair, or so placed in any building as to endanger it or any other building, the insurance commissioner and/or municipal officers of any town of not more than 2,000 inhabitants, if satisfied that such complaint is well founded, shall give written notice to the owner or occupant of such building, and if he unnecessarily neglects for 3 days to remove or repair the same effect-ually, he forfeits not less than \$10, nor more than \$100.'