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In Senate, January 30, 1947

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

CHESTER T. WINSLOW, Secretary

Presented by Senator Boucher of Androscoggin.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
FORTY-SEVEN

**AN ACT Relating to Representation of Political Parties on Senate
Committees.**

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

R. S., c. 9, § 3-A, additional. Chapter 9 of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 3-A, to read as follows:

'Sec. 3-A. All political parties represented on senate committees. All political parties, which qualify as such under the provisions of section 1 of chapter 4, and which shall be represented by members in the senate, shall be entitled to representation from among such members on all committees of the senate and on all joint committees of the senate and the house of representatives in the proportion that the senators representing such political parties bear to the total membership of the senate; and, in no case, shall the representation of any such political party on any of such committees be less than 1 senator. The senators representing each such political party shall determine their assignment to the committee memberships to which their party is entitled under the provisions of this section.'