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H. P. 1099

House of Representatives, February 12, 1947.

Referred to Committee on Temperance. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Williams of Auburn.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
FORTY-SEVEN

**AN ACT to Prohibit Music, Dancing or Entertainment on Certain Premises
Licensed for the Sale of Liquor.**

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

R. S., c. 57, § 37, amended. Section 37 of chapter 57 of the revised statutes, as amended by chapter 184 of the public laws of 1945, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 37. Prohibiting music, dancing or entertainment on licensed premises. No restaurant or retail off-premise licensee shall permit on the licensed premises, or premises contiguous or adjacent thereto under his control, any music, except radio or other mechanical device, or any dancing or entertainment of any sort unless the licensee shall have first obtained from the commission a special amusement permit for which he shall pay to the commission a filing fee of \$10. The commission is hereby authorized to make whatever rules and regulations governing such dancing and entertainment as it deems necessary. Such permit shall be valid only for the license year of the existing license for the sale of malt liquor. The commission shall not issue such a permit unless the applicant shall have first obtained the approval of the municipal officers of the municipality in which the licensed premises are situated.'