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HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Haskell of Portland.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED FORTY-SEVEN

AN ACT to Prevent Strikes Against Public Utilities and Municipal Corporations.

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

R. S., c. 25, §§ 16-A - 16-B, additional. Chapter 25 of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding thereto 2 new sections to be numbered 16-A and 16-B, to read as follows:

'Sec. 16-A. Strikes against public utilities and municipal corporations. It is hereby declared unlawful and to be against the public policy of this state for any employee or labor organization to participate in any strike or other stoppage of work, production or activity of any public utility under the jurisdiction of the public utilities commission, or municipal corporation or any agencies of either.

Sec. 16-B. Penalties. Any person who shall violate the foregoing section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and punished by a fine of not more than \$500, or by imprisonment for not more than 1 year, or by both such fine and imprisonment.'