

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Anderson of New Sweden.

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**STATE OF MAINE**

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
FORTY-SEVEN

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**AN ACT Relating to Licensing of Eating and Lodging Places.**

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

**R. S., c. 22, § 156, amended.** The first paragraph of section 156 of chapter 22 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

‘Private homes shall not be deemed or considered lodging places and subject to a license where not more than 2 rooms are let to other than transient guests, unless they hold themselves in any way as ready to accept or do accept transient guests. Licenses shall not be required from dormitories of charitable, educational, or philanthropic institutions, nor from private homes used in emergencies for the accommodation of persons attending conventions, fairs, or similar public gatherings, nor from temporary eating and lodging places for the same, nor from railroad dining or buffet cars, nor from construction camps, nor from boarding houses and camps conducted in connection with wood cutting and logging operations, **nor from any boarding homes for the aged, blind or other persons over 16 years of age which are licensed under the provisions of section 4, nor from any boarding homes for children which are licensed under the provisions of sections 243 and 244 of this chapter.**’