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NINETY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE

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Referred to Committee on Mercantile Affairs and Insurance, sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Burgess of Rockland.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED FORTY-NINE

AN ACT Relating to National Codes in Fire Prevention.

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

R. S., c. 85, § 22-A, additional. Chapter 85 of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section, to be numbered 22-A, to read as follows:

'Sec. 22-A. Insurance commissioner to adopt national codes in fire prevention. Except as otherwise provided in this chapter, the insurance commissioner is authorized to utilize in whole or in part the current standards of the national building code, the national fire code and the national electrical code, being the standards of the National Board of Fire Underwriters, insofar as such codes may be feasible in the enforcement of all laws pertaining to fire prevention and control.'