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In Senate, February 17, 1949

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

CHESTER T. WINSLOW, Secretary

Presented by Senator Slocum of Cumberland.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
FORTY-NINE

**AN ACT Relating to Transfer of Convicts from Prison to State
Reformatory for Men.**

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

R. S., c. 136, § 45-A, additional. Chapter 136 of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 45-A, to read as follows:

‘Sec. 45-A. Transfer of convicts to reformatory for men, when and by whom. When the warden of the prison, after studying and examining the character, record and case history of a person sentenced to confinement in the state prison, determines that it would be more beneficial and advantageous for said prisoner to serve his sentence in a correctional institution he may, within 10 days after receiving said prisoner, petition the court which imposed said sentence for a review of its judgment. Upon receipt of such petition the superior court may order, after hearing, that said prisoner be transferred or committed to the state reformatory for men to complete the execution of his sentence.’