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NINETY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE

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HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Jalbert of Lewiston.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED FORTY-NINE

AN ACT Amending the Charter of the City of Lewiston Relating to Ordinances.

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

P. & S. L., 1939, c. 8, Art. V, § 2, amended. Section 2 of Article V of chapter 8 of the private and special laws of 1939, as amended by chapter 19 of the private and special laws of 1945, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 2. Ordinances. The power to enact, amend or repeal ordinances shall vest in the city council. Every ordinance before final passage shall be published, marked "City of Lewiston, Proposed Ordinance" in the daily newspapers published in Lewiston at least 48 hours before the meeting at which such action is taken and shall take effect at the expiration of 30 days after it shall have been approved by a justice of the supreme judicial court or by a justice of the superior court. Every ordinance shall require on final passage the affirmative vote of at least 4 aldermen. The foregoing provisions shall govern procedure for the amendment or repeal of an ordinance; provided, however, that for the repeal of an ordinance the publication of such ordinance shall be by title only.'

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