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Legislative Document

No. 1052

S. P. 522

In Senate, February 25, 1949.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary. Sent down for concurrence and ordered printed.

CHESTER T. WINSLOW, Secretary.

Presented by Senator Baker of Kennebec by request.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
FORTY-NINE

**AN ACT Relating to Arrest by Virtue of Warrant Not in Officer's
Possession.**

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

R. S., c. 122, § 24-A, additional. Chapter 122 of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 24-A, to read as follows:

'Arrests

Sec. 24-A. Arrest by virtue of a warrant not in officer's possession. An arrest by a peace officer acting under a warrant is lawful even though the officer does not have the warrant in his possession at the time of the arrest, but, if the person arrested so requests, the warrant shall be shown to him as soon as practicable.'