

# NINETY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE

# Legislative Document

### No. 81

S. P. 78 In Senate, January 18, 1951 Referred to the Committee on Welfare, sent down for concurrence and ordered printed.

CHESTER T. WINSLOW, Secretary Presented by Senator McKusick of Piscataquis.

## STATE OF MAINE

## IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED FIFTY-ONE

#### AN ACT Relating to State Care of Persons in Certain Institutions.

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

**R. S., c. 22, § 17, amended.** The 1st paragraph of section 17 of chapter 22 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'No part of any appropriation made by the state for the care, treatment, support or education of any person in any charitable or benevolent institution not wholly owned or controlled by the state shall be paid until duly **itemized bills**, showing the name of the person cared for, the date on which the service was rendered, and the rate charged therefor per day or week, **shall have been filed with** the state controller together with a certificate from the department that satisfactory evidence has been filed in its office by the institution furnishing the service that the persons receiving care were **in need of such treatment**, support or education; that they were not able to pay for the same; that the rates charged are not greater than those charged **to the general public** for the same service **and that the rates charged to those who are able to pay are not less than the cost of the service rendered.'**