

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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**Legislative Document**

**No. 510**

S. P. 240

In Senate, February 8, 1951

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

CHESTER T. WINSLOW, Secretary

Presented by Senator Ward of Penobscot.

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STATE OF MAINE

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IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
FIFTY-ONE

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**AN ACT Relating to Conditional Sales Agreements.**

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

**R. S., c. 106, § 8, amended.** Section 8 of chapter 106 of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof a new paragraph, to read as follows :

**‘Such agreement as provided in the preceding paragraph shall be binding upon a husband only when signed by him, and regardless of whether such agreement relates to the necessities of life, or otherwise. Any person who permits a wife to sign her husband’s name to any such agreement, when such person is acting as the other party thereto, or as his agent, shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$1,000, or by imprisonment for not more than 11 months, or by both such fine and imprisonment.’**