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House of Representatives, February 9, 1951.

Referred to Committee on Labor. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Finnegan of Bangor.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
FIFTY-ONE

AN ACT Relating to Fees for Boiler Inspection and Certificates.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 25, § 59, amended. The 1st sentence of section 59 of chapter 25 of the revised statutes, as amended by section 2 of chapter 277 of the private and special laws of 1947, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

'Each steam boiler used or proposed to be used within this state, except boilers exempt under the provisions of section 64, shall be thoroughly inspected internally and externally while not under pressure by the chief inspector or by one of the deputy inspectors or special inspectors provided for herein, as to its design, construction, installation, condition and operation; and if it shall be found to be suitable and to conform to the rules of the board of boiler rules, upon payment by the owner or user of such a boiler of the sum of ~~\$4~~ **\$5 for boilers carrying a pressure in excess of 15 pounds per square inch, except \$3 for miniature boilers,** to the chief inspector, the latter shall issue to such owner or user an inspection certificate for each such boiler.'

Sec. 2. R. S., c. 25, § 62, amended. The 1st 5 sentences of section 62 of

chapter 25 of the revised statutes, as amended, are hereby further amended to read as follows:

'The owner or user of a steam boiler required by the provisions of sections 51 to 65, inclusive, to be inspected by the chief inspector, or his deputy inspectors, shall pay the inspector upon inspection ~~\$10~~ \$15. ~~For the internal and external inspection of a boiler while not under pressure having a grate area of more than 10 square feet or equivalent, the fee shall be \$10 and, in addition, 10c for every square foot of grate area in excess of 10 square feet or equivalent.~~ In cases of a specially designed boiler wherein no grate area exists, the board is hereby authorized to set the fee on the basis of the maximum horsepower that can be generated. For the external inspection of a boiler while under operation conditions, the fee shall be ~~\$3~~ \$5. For the inspection of ~~a miniature boiler~~ boilers, the fee shall be ~~\$3~~ \$9.