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House of Representatives, February 22, 1951

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

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Delahanty of Lewiston.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
FIFTY-ONE

AN ACT Relating to Proceedings in the Probate Court.

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

R. S., c. 145, § 37, amended. Section 37 of chapter 145 of the revised statutes is hereby amended by inserting after the 3rd sentence thereof, a new sentence to read as follows:

'If the court in its discretion does not notify the department of health and welfare, the judge shall require, in writing, under oath, a personal history of the adopting parents which shall reflect the financial status, occupation, criminal record and such other information as shall apprise the judge concerning the adopting parents.'