

# NINETY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE

### Legislative Document

### No. 187

S. P. 79 In Senate, January 28, 1953. Referred to Committee on Judiciary. Sent down for concurrence and ordered printed.

CHESTER T. WINSLOW, Secretary.

Presented by Senator Weeks of Cumberland.

## STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED FIFTY-THREE

#### AN ACT Relating to Retirement of Policemen Under Maine State Retirement Law.

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

**R. S., c. 60, § 6, sub-§ V-C, additional.** Section 6 of chapter 60 of the revised statutes, as repealed and replaced by section 3 of chapter 384 of the public laws of 1947, as amended, and as renumbered by section 90 of chapter 266 of the public laws of 1951, and as amended, is hereby further amended by adding thereto a new subsection to be numbered V-C, to read as follows:

'V-C. Any member of a police department who becomes or is a member of the Maine state retirement system and who has creditable service of at least 25 years as a policeman may be retired at  $\frac{1}{2}$  of his average final compensation, provided such retirement is requested by the member. If any such member should become eligible under the provisions of this system, as a result of prior service and membership service, to a retirement allowance in excess of  $\frac{1}{2}$  of his average final compensation, he shall be entitled to the higher retirement allowance; the provisions of this subsection shall apply to a member who may become chief of his respective police department.'