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Legislative Document

No. 680

S. P. 255

In Senate, February 12, 1953.

Referred to Committee on Legal Affairs. 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 Displays of Fireworks.

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

R. S., c. 124, § 21-E, repealed and replaced. Section 21-E of chapter 124 of the revised statutes, as enacted by chapter 372 of the public laws of 1949, is hereby repealed and the following enacted in place thereof:

'Sec. 21-E. Appeal. Any person aggrieved by any decision made by the commissioner under the provisions of sections 21 to 21-B, inclusive, may ask for and shall receive a hearing before the commissioner. At such hearing, findings of fact made by the commissioner shall be final. Any party aggrieved by the commissioner's rulings in matters of law may, within 10 days thereafter, appeal to a justice of the superior court or of the supreme judicial court by presenting to him a petition setting forth the reasons for appeal, in term time or vacation, and such justice shall fix a time and place for hearing and cause notice to be given the commissioner as in equity, and after such hearing the justice may affirm, modify or reverse the decision of the commissioner, and shall remand the case to the commissioner for action in accordance with the court decree; provided, however, that the decision of the commissioner shall stand until modified or reversed on appeal, and a failure so to abide by the decision of the commissioner shall bar any appeal.'