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S. P. 299

In Senate, February 17, 1955

Referred to the Committee on Labor, sent down for concurrence and ordered printed.

CHESTER T. WINSLOW, Secretary

Presented by Senator Hillman of Penobscot.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
FIFTY-FIVE

AN ACT to Provide Disability Compensation for Members of Organized Fire Companies.

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

R. S., c. 31, § 69, amended. Section 69 of chapter 31 of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof the following classification:

‘16. Pulmonary and cardiac.

16. Special provisions relating to organic diseases of members of organized fire companies.

Pulmonary and cardiac diseases developing on persons participating as an active member of an organized fire department shall be considered as an occupational disability, if signs and symptoms develop within 6 months of such participation.’