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H. P. 1100

House of Representatives, March 10, 1955

Referred to the Committee on Welfare, sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Latno of Old Town.

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**STATE OF MAINE**

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IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
FIFTY-FIVE

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**AN ACT Providing for a Land Claim Commissioner for Indians.**

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

**R. S., c. 25, § 329-A, additional.** Chapter 25 of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to be numbered section 329-A, to read as follows:

**'Sec. 329-A. Land Claim Commissioner. A Land Claim Commissioner, for the tribes of Indians, shall be appointed by the Governor with the advice and consent of the Council. The Commissioner shall examine all titles of land belonging to the Indians and shall report to the Governor the result of his search. He shall assume all duties relative to Indian lands assigned to him by the Governor.'**