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S. P. 55

In Senate, January 17, 1957.

Referred to Committee on Public Health. Sent down for concurrence and ordered printed.

CHESTER T. WINSLOW, Secretary.

Presented by Senator Lord of Cumberland.

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## STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
FIFTY-SEVEN

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### **AN ACT Changing the Name of Pownal State School to Pineland Hospital and Training Center.**

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

**Sec. 1. R. S., c. 27, § 143, amended.** Section 143 of chapter 27 of the Revised Statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

**'Sec. 143. Management; ages of inmates.** The ~~Pownal State School~~ **Pineland Hospital and Training Center**, heretofore established at Pownal in the county of Cumberland, shall be maintained for the care and education of idiotic and feeble-minded males and females, between the ages of 5 years and 55 years, except that idiotic and feeble-minded state paupers or patients transferred from either State Hospital for the insane under the provisions of this chapter may be admitted after the above stated age.'

**Sec. 2. Amendatory clause.** Wherever in the Revised Statutes or public laws or private and special laws, the words "Pownal State School" appear they shall be amended to words "Pineland Hospital and Training Center."