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Presented by Mr. Baird of North Haven.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED FIFTY-SEVEN

AN ACT Relating to Licenses for Beano.

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

R. S., c. 139, § 23, amended. Section 23 of chapter 139 of the Revised Statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 23. Issuance of licenses; fees. The Chief of the State Police may issue licenses to operate such amusement for a period of $6 \frac{1}{6}$ days 24 hours to any fair association or bona fide charitable, educational, fraternal, patriotic, religious or veterans organization which was in existence at least 2 years prior to its application for a license, when sponsored, operated and conducted for the exclusive benefit of such organization by duly authorized members thereof; provided that said. Said 2 years limitation shall not apply to any chartered posts of veterans organizations, nationally established, even though such posts have not been in existence for 2 years prior to their application for a license. No such license shall be issued to any person, firm or corporation other than a fair association or bona fide charitable, educational, fraternal, patriotic, religious or veterans organization. The fee for such license shall be \$2 and shall be paid to the Treasurer of State to be credited to the general fund. No such licenses shall be assignable or transferable. Nothing contained herein is to be construed to prohibit any fair association or bona fide charitable, educational, fraternal, patriotic, religious or veterans organization from obtaining more than one 6 day 24-hour license.