

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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H. P. 932

House of Representatives, March 20, 1957.

Referred to Committee on Business Legislation. Sent up for concurrence and 1000 copies ordered printed.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Earles of South Portland.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
FIFTY-SEVEN

AN ACT to Eliminate Discrimination Between Purchasers.

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

R. S., c. 137, § 54, additional. Chapter 137 of the Revised Statutes is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 54, to read as follows:

**'Discrimination between Purchasers.**

Sec. 54. **Discrimination between purchasers.** It shall be unlawful for any person engaged in commerce, in the course of such commerce, either directly or indirectly, to discriminate in price between different purchasers of commodities of like grade and quality, where the effect of such discrimination may be substantially to lessen competition or tend to create a monopoly in any line of commerce, or to injure, destroy or prevent competition.'