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House of Representatives, February 4, 1959

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

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Reed of Woolwich.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
FIFTY-NINE

AN ACT Relating to Free Vaccination and Inoculation.

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

R. S., c. 25, § 66, amended. The first sentence of section 66 of chapter 25 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:

'The local health officer of each ~~city, town and plantation~~ municipality shall annually on a day or days specified by him during the month of March, or oftener if he deems it prudent, provide for the free vaccination with cowpox of all inhabitants within his jurisdiction; and shall provide for free inoculation with suitable material **as defined by the Department of Health and Welfare** against diphtheria ~~and~~, whooping cough, tetanus **and poliomyelitis** of all children under ~~to~~ 16 years of age; at a time specified by him ~~not less than one month preceding the fall opening of public schools.~~