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House of Representatives, February 25, 1959

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

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Brown of Ellsworth.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
FIFTY-NINE

**AN ACT Prohibiting Signature or Countersignature by Rubber Stamp
or Other Facsimile.**

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

R. S., c. 60, § 29-A, additional. Chapter 60 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding a new section to be numbered 29-A, to read as follows:

'Sec. 29-A. Signature must be in person. When the provisions of this chapter require a signature or countersignature it must be written by the person of whom it is required. A rubber stamp or other facsimile may not be used.

I. Exception by power of attorney. An insurance agent may grant a power of attorney to a person who is 21 years of age or over to sign insurance policies and endorsements for him, but he must first obtain the permission of the Insurance Commissioner and of the proper official of the company which issues the policies or endorsements.

II. Exception for air travel accident insurance. This section shall not apply to air travel accident insurance issued through a dispensing machine as provided under section 118, subsection I, paragraph A, subparagraph 8.'