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**Legislative Document**

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H. P. 681

House of Representatives, February 26, 1959.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs, sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Wade of Auburn.

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**STATE OF MAINE**

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
FIFTY-NINE

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**RESOLVE, Creating a Committee on the Uniform Commercial Code.**

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**Committee on the Uniform Commercial Code. Resolved:** That a committee composed of 3 members of the Bar shall be appointed by the Chief Justice of the Supreme Judicial Court to arrange for the preparation of the necessary repealing and amendatory provisions of the Revised Statutes, and the annotations thereto, to conform to the Uniform Commercial Code; and be it further

**Resolved:** That the sum of \$2,500 be, and hereby is, appropriated from the Unappropriated Surplus of the General Fund to carry out the provisions of this resolve.

**STATEMENT OF FACTS**

The enactment of the Uniform Commercial Code, which provides a consolidation and codification of those laws affecting the commercial activity in this State, without a comprehensive study and review of conflicting and contradictory statutes to determine those which should be amended or repealed, will frustrate the purposes of the code and give rise to uncertainty and confusion in commercial transactions. The purpose of this resolve is to provide for the accomplishment of such a review.