

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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**ACTS AND RESOLVES**  
AS PASSED BY THE  
**Ninety-second and Ninety-third**  
**Legislatures**  
OF THE  
**STATE OF MAINE**

**From April 22, 1945 to May 14, 1947**  
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**PUBLIC LAWS**  
OF THE  
**STATE OF MAINE**

As Passed by the Ninety-third Legislature

**1947**

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## Chapter 185

### AN ACT Relating to Statute of Frauds.

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

R. S., c. 106, § 1, sub-§ VII, repealed and replaced. Subsection VII of section 1 of chapter 106 of the revised statutes is hereby repealed and the following enacted in place thereof:

VII. Upon any agreement to give, bequeath or devise by will to another, any property, real, personal or mixed;

VIII. Upon any agreement to refrain from carrying on or engaging in any trade, business, occupation or profession for any term of years or within any defined territory or both; provided that the provisions of this subsection shall not apply to any such agreement made prior to the effective date of this act;

unless the promise, contract or agreement on which such action is brought, or some memorandum or note thereof, is in writing and signed by the party to be charged therewith, or by some person thereunto lawfully authorized; but the consideration thereof need not be expressed therein, and may be proved otherwise.'

Effective August 13, 1947

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## Chapter 186

### AN ACT Relating to Inspection of Motor Vehicles.

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

R. S., c. 19, § 36, amended. The second sentence of section 36 of chapter 19 of the revised statutes is hereby repealed and the following enacted in place thereof:

'No application for a license to operate an official inspection station shall be considered unless the garage building to be used as an inspection station shall be of suitable length and width, shall have a level floor, shall be equipped with a screen or chart for the purpose of testing lights, and with tools and machinery necessary to make repairs to motor vehicles.'

Effective August 13, 1947