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### **ACTS AND RESOLVES**

AS PASSED BY THE

## Ninety-fifth Legislature

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### STATE OF MAINE

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#### Chapter 111

AN ACT Relating to Temporary Judges for Municipal Courts.

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

R. S., c. 96, § 7-A, additional. Chapter 96 of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 7-A, to read as follows:

'Sec. 7-A. Temporary judges. When the judge and recorder of any municipal court are for any reason unable to preside at any session of such court, or over any civil or criminal case pending before said court, or the said offices are temporarily vacant, any justice of the supreme judicial court or of the superior court, in term time or vacation, may designate any judge or recorder of any other municipal court in the same county or in any adjoining county to act in place of the judge of such municipal court. The official signature of such judge or recorder upon any process issued by him shall be sufficient evidence of his authority to issue the same, without reference to or proof of action under this section.'

Effective August 20, 1951

### Chapter 112

AN ACT Relating to Countersignature Fees.

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

R. S., c. 56, § 250, amended. Section 250 of chapter 56 of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding thereto, before the last sentence thereof, a new sentence to read as follows:

'Any resident agent or agency licensed to write fire insurance who countersigns for a duly licensed non-resident broker a fire insurance policy covering property located in this state shall receive not less than 50% of the commission as a countersigning fee.'