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# ACTS AND RESOLVES

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gusta State Hospital and the Chairman of the State Probation and Parole Board, warden, and the superintendent of the institutions involved, the transfer of ~~certain~~ any prison first offenders under age 36 from the State Prison to the Reformatory for Men when in his opinion such transfer is consistent with the best interest of the prisoner and the welfare of the public. Said recommendation for transfer to become effective must have the unanimous approval of the Board of Transfer and in such event shall take place forthwith. The prisoner so transferred shall serve the sentence imposed upon him by the court within the confines of the Reformatory for Men, and shall receive during said sentence the same deductions for good time as would have been received at the State Prison, and shall be subject to the same parole and release procedures as effective at the State Prison. ~~This paragraph shall not apply to any person convicted of an offense the only punishment for which prescribed by law is imprisonment for life, nor to any person convicted of an offense under Title 17, sections 1951, 3151, 3152 or 3153.~~ If the transferred prisoner is not compatible to the reformatory program, the Board of Transfer may return him to the prison to complete his sentence.

Effective October 7, 1967

## Chapter 134

### AN ACT Authorizing the Taking of Bail in the District Court.

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

R. S., T. 4, § 160, amended. Section 160 of Title 4 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by section 2 of chapter 356 of the public laws of 1965, is further amended by adding at the end a new paragraph, as follows:

In the District Court in any case where the judge has determined bail, the clerk of the District Court may, subject to approval by the court, prepare the bond and take the acknowledgment of the defendant and sureties, if any, on said bond.

Effective October 7, 1967

## Chapter 135

### AN ACT Relating to Election of Town Officials.

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

R. S., T. 30, § 2067, additional. Title 30 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding a new section 2067, as follows:

#### § 2067. Alternative nomination procedure

When any town accepts this section at a meeting held at least 30 days before the annual meeting, the following provisions apply to the nomination of all town officials required by section 2055 to be elected by ballot.