

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 910

H. P. 705

House of Representatives, February 15, 1975

Referred to Committee on Transportation. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

E. LOUISE LINCOLN, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Stillings of Berwick.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SEVENTY-THREE

**AN ACT to Prohibit Interference with Signalling or Safety Devices used for
Work on Public Ways.**

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

R. S., T. 29, § 2186, amended. Section 2186 of Title 29 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by section 22 of chapter 593 of the public laws of 1971, is further amended to read as follows:

§ 2186. Tampering with signs; use of closed ways

No person shall remove, injure or tamper with any sign, lights, flares, reflectors or other signalling or safety device placed by authority of the Department of Transportation, county or municipal officials or by any local official having charge of the contractor performing repair repairs and or maintenance work on adjoining a of ways way and or bridges bridge; nor shall any person operate any vehicle over a way or bridge which is lawfully closed for construction or repairs and contrary to posted notice whether the work thereon is being done by the State, county or municipality, or by a contractor, unless permit to pass is expressly granted by some person in charge of the work.

STATEMENT OF FACT

The purpose of this bill is to provide for the protection of all signs and lights erected by county and municipal authorities and repair and maintenance signs of contractors.