

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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1 FIRST REGULAR SESSION
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3 ONE HUNDRED AND ELEVENTH LEGISLATURE
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5 Legislative Document

No. 322

7 H.P. 262

House of Representatives, January 31, 1983

8 Reference to the Committee on Business Legislation, sent up for
9 concurrence and ordered printed.

10 EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

Presented by Representative Kelleher of Bangor.
Cosponsor: Representative Hall of Sangerville.

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12 STATE OF MAINE
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14 IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD
15 NINETEEN HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-THREE
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17 AN ACT Relating to the Flash Point
18 of Kerosene.
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20 Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as
21 follows:

22 10 MRSA §1652, as amended by PL 1979, c. 541, Pt.
23 A, §94, is further amended to read:

24 §1652. Regulation of sale of certain oils

25 No person shall sell or keep for sale, except for
26 remanufacture or as provided, kerosene, range oil,
27 fuel oil or other burning oil for illuminating, heat-
28 ing or cooking purposes which will flash at a tem-
29 perature of less than ~~115°~~ 100° Fahrenheit, to be
30 ascertained by the application of any standard
31 approved closed cup tester. Nothing contained in
32 this section shall prohibit the sale or keeping for
33 sale of gasoline or naphtha as such for fuel or illu-

1 minating purposes.

2 STATEMENT OF FACT

3 The purpose of this bill is to reduce the flash
4 point of certain oils, such as kerosene, that may be
5 sold in Maine from 115° to 100° Fahrenheit.

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