

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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

No. 243

7 H.P. 209

House of Representatives, January 29, 1985

8 Reference to the Committee on Transportation suggested and ordered
9 printed.

10 EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

Presented by Representative Racine of Biddeford.

11 Cosponsored by Representative Theriault of Fort Kent, Representative
Strout of Corinth and Representative Mills of Bethel.

12 STATE OF MAINE
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14 IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD
15 NINETEEN HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FIVE
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17 AN ACT Concerning Expiration of Motor Vehicle
18 Drivers' Licenses for Persons 65 Years
19 of Age and Older.
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21 Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as
22 follows:

23 29 MRSA §542, as amended by PL 1981, c. 492, Pt.
24 E, §§14, 15 and 16, is further amended to read:

25 §542. Expiration

26 For persons who have not reached their 65th
27 birthday, ~~all~~ All new and renewal licenses to operate
28 motor vehicles shall expire at midnight on the li-
29 cense holder's 4th birthday next following the date
30 of issuance of license. The fee for such license
31 shall be \$16.

32 For persons who have reached their 65th birthday,
33 ~~all~~ new and renewal licenses to operate motor vehi-
34 cles shall expire at midnight on the license holder's

1 2nd birthday next following the date of issuance of
2 license. The fee for such license shall be \$8.

3 A person born on February 29th shall, for the
4 purposes of this section, be considered as born on
5 March 1st.

6 The transition to the 4-year license for persons
7 not yet 65 years old shall be made in the following
8 manner. The Secretary of State shall devise a sched-
9 ule whereby 1/2 of all of these renewal licenses
10 shall be issued for 4 years. Upon the expiration of
11 these 2-year renewal licenses, all licenses thereaf-
12 ter for persons not yet 65 years of age shall be is-
13 sued for 4 years. The fee for all 2-year licenses
14 shall be \$8.

15 STATEMENT OF FACT

16 This bill removes the provision requiring 2-year
17 renewals of drivers' licenses for individuals 65
18 years of age and older.

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