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House of Representatives, March 4, 1993

An Act Regarding the Writing of Bad Checks.

Reference to the Committee on Judiciary suggested and ordered printed.

OSEPH W. MAYO, Clerk

Presented by Representative CLARK of Millinocket.

	Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows:
2	C 4 48 A 3 5 7 7 C A 2 0 8 0 A .
4	Sec. 1. 17-A MRSA §358-A is enacted to read:
-	§358-A. Theft by writing a check on closed account
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	1. A person is guilty of theft if that person intentionally
8	or knowingly makes, issues or draws a check, draft or order for
	the payment of money when the person knows the person does not
10	have an existing account with the drawee.
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14	STATEMENT OF FACT
16	This bill expands the theft crimes to include intentionally or knowingly writing a check on an account the writer knows is
18	closed.