

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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H.P. 73

House of Representatives, January 11, 2005

### An Act To Require Valid Identification for All Purchases of Liquor

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Reference to the Committee on Legal and Veterans Affairs suggested and ordered printed.

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MILLICENT M. MacFARLAND  
Clerk

Presented by Representative BARSTOW of Gorham.  
Cosponsored by Senator MAYO of Sagadahoc and  
Representatives: BLANCHARD of Old Town, BLANCHETTE of Bangor, BLISS of South  
Portland, FARRINGTON of Gorham, GERZOFKY of Brunswick, NORTON of Bangor.

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

4 **Sec. 1. 28-A MRSA §15** is enacted to read:

6 **§15. Identification required**

8 A licensee may sell liquor to a person only if that person  
10 displays an unexpired and otherwise valid driver's license or a  
12 state identification card issued by any state of the United  
14 States or any of its territories or the District of Columbia  
16 showing a photograph and signature.

14 **SUMMARY**

16 This bill requires a person regardless of that person's age  
to present identification at the time of purchase of liquor.