

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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**TRANSPORTATION**

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**STATE OF MAINE**

**SENATE**

**124TH LEGISLATURE**

**FIRST REGULAR SESSION**

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "*A*" to S.P. 71, L.D. 221, Bill, "An Act To Modify the Laws Regarding Seat Belts "

Amend the bill in section 1 in subsection 6 by striking out all of paragraph C (page 1, lines 9 and 10 in L.D.) and inserting in its place the following:

'C. A newspaper delivery person is not required to be secured in a seat belt while engaged in the actual delivery of newspapers from a vehicle or performing newspaper delivery duties that require frequent entry into and exit from a vehicle.'

**SUMMARY**

This amendment, which is the majority report of the Joint Standing Committee on Transportation, clarifies that a newspaper delivery person must be engaged in the actual delivery of newspapers from a vehicle or is performing newspaper delivery duties that require frequent entry into and exit from a vehicle to be exempt from the seat belt requirement in current law.

**FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED**

(See attached)

**COMMITTEE AMENDMENT**



# 124th MAINE LEGISLATURE

LD 221

LR 81(02)

## An Act To Modify the Laws Regarding Seat Belts

Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment "A"

Committee: Transportation

Fiscal Note Required: No

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### Fiscal Note

Minor savings - General Fund  
Minor revenue decrease - General Fund

### Correctional and Judicial Impact Statements

Eliminates civil violations.

A reduction in fines will decrease General Fund revenue by minor amounts.