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2 Date: 5/8/25 Minority L.D. 320
(Filing No. H- 118)

3 **TRANSPORTATION**

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5 **STATE OF MAINE**
6 **HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**
7 **132ND LEGISLATURE**
8 **FIRST SPECIAL SESSION**

9 COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 220, L.D. 320, "An Act to Repeal
10 Certain Motor Vehicle Inspection Requirements"

11 Amend the bill by inserting after section 21 the following:

12 **'Sec. 22. Appropriations and allocations.** The following appropriations and
13 allocations are made.

14 **SECRETARY OF STATE, DEPARTMENT OF**

15 **Administration - Motor Vehicles 0077**

16 Initiative: Provides funding for one Motor Vehicle Detective position and related costs to
17 enforce regulations related to motor vehicle inspections.

18 HIGHWAY FUND	2025-26	2026-27
19 POSITIONS - LEGISLATIVE COUNT	1,000	1,000
20 Personal Services	\$135,533	\$140,412
21 All Other	\$95,965	\$73,784
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23 HIGHWAY FUND TOTAL	\$231,498	\$214,196

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25 Amend the bill by relettering or renumbering any nonconsecutive Part letter or section
26 number to read consecutively.

27 **SUMMARY**

28 This amendment, which is the minority report of the committee, adds an appropriations
29 and allocations section to the bill.

30 **FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED**
31 (See attached)

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

**132nd MAINE LEGISLATURE****LD 320****LR 769(02)****An Act to Repeal Certain Motor Vehicle Inspection Requirements****Fiscal Note for Bill as Amended by Committee Amendment****Committee: Transportation****Fiscal Note Required: Yes****A (14-118)**

Fiscal Note

	FY 2025-26	FY 2026-27	Projections FY 2027-28	Projections FY 2028-29
Net Cost (Savings)				
Highway Fund	\$3,343,998	\$3,326,696	\$3,331,228	\$3,336,465
Appropriations/Allocations				
Highway Fund	\$231,498	\$214,196	\$218,728	\$223,965
Revenue				
Highway Fund	(\$3,112,500)	(\$3,112,500)	(\$3,112,500)	(\$3,112,500)

Correctional and Judicial Impact Statements

There may be some minor reduction of workload associated with the minimal number of cases that will no longer be filed in the court system. Reductions in the collection of fines will decrease General Fund or other dedicated revenue by minor amounts.

Fiscal Detail and Notes

The bill includes Highway Fund allocations of \$231,498 in fiscal year 2025-26 and \$214,196 in fiscal year 2026-27 to the Department of the Secretary of State for one Motor Vehicle Detective and related costs to enforce regulations related to motor vehicle inspections. Highway Fund revenue would be reduced by \$3,112,500 beginning in 2025-26 as a result of only doing motor vehicle inspections on commercial motor vehicles, trailers and semitrailers.

The Department of Environmental Protection has indicated that eliminating certain inspection requirements could result in the loss of federal funding.