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In Senate, April 7, 1953.

Reported by Senator Reid of Kennebec from Committee on Judiciary and printed under Joint Rules No. 10.

CHESTER T. WINSLOW, Secretary.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
FIFTY-THREE

**AN ACT Relating to Driving a Motor Vehicle While License Suspended
or Revoked.**

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

R. S., c. 19, § 132, amended. Section 132 of chapter 19 of the revised statutes, as amended, is hereby further amended by adding at the end thereof the following :

‘Any person who drives a motor vehicle on any public highway of this state at a time when his privilege to do so is suspended or revoked shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$500 or by imprisonment for not more than 6 months or by both such fine and imprisonment.

The secretary of state, upon receiving a record of the conviction of any person under this section upon a charge of driving a vehicle while the license of such person was suspended, may extend the period of such suspension for an additional like period; and if the conviction was upon a charge of driving while a license was revoked, the secretary of state may refuse to issue a new license for an additional period of 1 year from and after the date such person would otherwise have been entitled to apply for a new license.’