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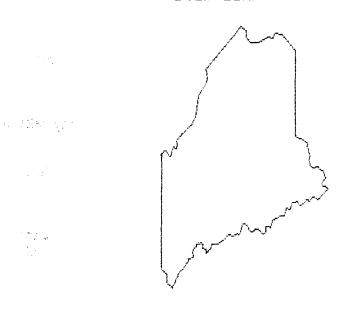
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#### ONE HUNDRED AND ELEVENTH LEGISLATURE

# FIRST REGULAR SESSION

# JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE ON

# Transportation



BILL SUMMARY

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506 AN ACT TO REQUIRE REFLECTORS OR Cox ONTP REFLECTORIZED MATERIAL ON RAILROAD CARS OWNED OR LEASED BY MAINE RAILROADS

SUMMARY: Proposed to require that Maine railroads display reflectorized material on their railroad cars to minimize the danger of collisions at railroad crossing between automobiles and railroad cars at night.

509 AN ACT TO REMOVE THE REQUIREMENT Lisnik THAT FARM VEHICLES HAVE A FUEL USE DECAL

> SUMMARY: LD 509 proposed that farm vehicles and farm motor trucks be exempt from the fuel use identification decal requirement. The bill was amended to restrict the exemption to farm trucks that are subject to a limited inspection. This provision therefore, limits the exemption to farm trucks that operate only within 20 miles of the farm. Present laws requiring a fuel use decal applies to trucks with a registered gross weight in excess of 20,000 lbs. Thus, the farm trucks that benefit from this bill are those in excess of 20,000 lbs registered gross weight and which operate within 20 miles of the farm.

513AN ACT TO EXEMPT FARM VEHICLES FROM MichaelONTPTHE REQUIREMENT OF OBTAINING A FUELUSE IDENTIFICATION DECAL

SUMMARY: Please refer to LD 509.

516 AN ACT RELATING TO REGISTRATION AND Holloway OTP IN LD 1600 INSPECTION OF MOTOR TRUCKS USED FOR FISHING

SUMMARY: Affords fishing trucks the same opportunity as farm trucks to obtain a registration which is subject to only a limited inspection consisting of running gear, steering mechanism, brakes, exhaust and lights. These fish trucks must be used to harvest or transport fish within a twenty mile radius of the community in which excise tax is paid.

- 517 AN ACT TO PROVIDE DIRECTIONAL SIGNS Livesay LV/WD ON THE MAINE TURNPIKE, INCLUDING THE LOCATION OF BOWDOIN COLLEGE
- 517AN ACT TO REQUIRE NOTIFICATION OFGauvreauLV/WD518THE SUSPENSION OR REVOCATION OF<br/>MOTOR VEHICLE REGISTRATION OR<br/>LICENSE BY REGISTERED OR CERTIFIED<br/>MAILMAIL