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STATE OF MAINE

ONE HUNDRED AND ELEVENTH LEGISLATURE FIRST REGULAR SESSION

JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE ON

Transportation

BILL SUMMARY



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Office of Legislative Assistants State House, Station 13 Augusta, Maine 04333 (207) 289-2486 980 AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE Diamond, G. ENACT. PL 310
COMMISSIONER OF TRANSPORTATION IN
MAINE TO ENTER INTO INTERSTATE
AGREEMENTS RELATED TO RECIPROCAL
ENFORCEMENT OF FUEL USE LAWS

SUMMARY: Authorizes the Commissioner of Transportation, acting upon the advice of the State Tax Assessor, to negotiate a compact with other states and Canadian Provinces for the administration of truck user fees, disbursement of revenues, including fuel use taxes, and auditing of all books of trucking companies by the state in which the truck is registered.

- 981 AN ACT CONCERNING HANDICAPPED Dutremble LV/WD PARKING
- 995 AN ACT TO REGULATE THE USE OF CHILD MacBride ONTP RESTRAINT IN MOTOR VEHICLES
- 1010 AN ACT TO DEREGULATE MOTOR CARRIERS Theriault ENACT. PL 234 OF PASSENGERS FOR HIRE

SUMMARY: LD 1010 proposed to include vehicles for the transportation of passengers for hire in the Maine Highway Transportation Reform Act. This Act was enacted in 1981 and omitted for hire passenger vehicles. Those vehicles are required to obtain operating permits at \$15 each to assure the vehicles are safe.

1011 AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR ALTERNATE Theriault LV/WD FINANCING FOR DISPLACED HOMEOWNERS

SUMMARY: LD 1011 proposed to allow the Department of Transportation to finance housing costs for persons displaced by property condemnation for highway purposes. The bill authorized department financing of displaced homeowners and provided no standards for the financing of mortgages. As a result of the equal protection issue and the need for limits on sale prices to be financed, etc., the bill was rejected.

- 1012 AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR A SIGN ON Michaud LV/WD INTERSTATE 95 SOUTH INDICATING THE LOCATION OF TOGUS
- AN ACT MAKING ADJUSTED ALLOCATIONS Carroll, G. FROM THE HIGHWAY FUND FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1983