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 ONE - HUNDRETH LEGISLATURE

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H. P. 173

House of Representatives, January 11, 1961

Referred to the Committee on Transportation. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Thornton of Belfast.

 STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SIXTY-ONE

 AN ACT Relating to Disposition of Fines for Violation of Motor Vehicle Laws.

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

R. S., c. 22, § 163, amended. Section 163 of chapter 22 of the Revised Statutes, as last repealed and replaced by section 33 of chapter 429 of the public laws of 1957, is amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 163. Court jurisdiction. Trial justices in their respective counties shall have original and concurrent jurisdiction with municipal courts and the Superior Court over all prosecutions for violation of the provisions of this chapter. All fines and forfeitures collected under the provisions of this chapter shall accrue to the county where the offense is prosecuted except that all fines and forfeitures collected for overload violations shall accrue to the general highway fund. The county shall retain \$5 of each such overload fine collected through any trial justice or municipal court; except that 13% of all fines collected for overload violations in the Yorkshire municipal court, York county, and in the Lincoln municipal court, Penobscot county, shall accrue to each respective county for the maintenance of said courts.'