

ONE-HUNDREDTH LEGISLATURE

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Presented by Mr. Finley of Washington.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED SIXTY-ONE

AN ACT Relating to Reciprocity for Nonresidents in Motor Vehicle Laws.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 22, § 67, sub-§§ I and II, repealed and replaced. Subsections I and II of section 67 of chapter 22 of the Revised Statutes are repealed and the following subsection enacted in place thereof:

'I. Application. The provisions of this chapter relative to registration of motor vehicles, tractors and trailers and the issuance of operators' licenses shall not apply to any nonresident owner or operator who shall have complied with the registration and licensing laws of the state, district or county of residence to the extent that said state, district or county of residence grants the same or similar privileges to residents of this State.'

Sec. 2. R. S., c. 22, § 68, amended. Section 68 of chapter 22 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 68. "Nonresident" defined. The term "nonresident," as used in this chapter, shall be defined as any person whose legal residence is in some state, district or county other than Maine; but a nonresident, having a regular abode or place of business within the State for more than 6 months of the 12 months next preceeding, shall be deemed a resident as to all vehicles principally used in connection with such abode or place of business; and the Secretary of State, for the purposes of registration, shall determine what vehicles are so used.'

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HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk