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## STATE OF MAINE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 100th LEGISLATURE

HOUSE AMENDMENT "B" To Senate Amendment "A" to S. P. 552, L. D. 1599, Bill, "An Act Relating to Operating Business on the Lord's Day and Certain Holidays."

Amend said Amendment in the 3rd and 4th lines by striking out the underlined words "and certain holidays"

Further amend said Amendment in the 4th and 5th lines by striking out the underlined punctuation, words and figures:
", Memorial Day, July 4th, November 11th and Thanksgiving Day, as proclaimed by the Governor."

Further amend said Amendment in the 21st and 22nd lines by striking out the underlined words "and the aforementioned holidays"

Further amend said Amendment in the 6th line of section 2 by striking out the underlined words and punctuation: "and aforementioned holidays,"

Further amend said Amendment by inserting after section 3 and new section 3-A, to read as follows:

"Sec. 3-A. R. S., c. 134, §38-C, additional. Chapter 134 of the Revised Statutes, as amended, is further amended by adding a new section 38-C, to read as follows:

'Sec. 38-C. Operating business on certain holidays. No person shall on February 22nd, Memorial Day, July 4th, November 11th and Thanksgiving Day, as proclaimed by the Governor, keep open his place of business to the public except for works of necessity or charity.

This section shall not apply to common, contract and private carriers; taxicabs; airplanes; radio and television stations; newspaper publishers; hotels and motels; restaurants; garages and motor vehicle service stations; automatic laundries; grocery stores; drug stores; book stores; stores selling gifts or souvenirs; greenhouses; roadside stands engaged in sale of farm produce or dairy products; public utilities; industries normally kept in continuous operation including but not limited to pulp and paper plants and textile plants; processing plants handling agricultural produce or products of the sea; ship chandleries; marinas; sports; athletic events; motion picture theaters; musical concerts; religious, educational, scientific or philosophical lectures; scenic, historic, recreational and amusement facilities.

Any person violating this section shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$200.'"

Further amend said Amendment in section 4 by striking out the word 'March' and inserting in place thereof the word 'February'

Filed by Mr. Minsky of Bangor.

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