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ONE HUNDRED AND SECOND LEGISLATURE

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

JEROME G. PLANTE, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Keyte of Dexter.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SIXTY-FIVE

AN ACT Relating to Equipment and Inspection of Motor Vehicles.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., T. 29, § 105, repealed. Section 105 of Title 29 of the Revised Statutes is repealed as follows:

~~‘§ 105. Permit for unladen, unregistered farm truck~~

~~Any officer of the State Police may upon request issue a written permit to operate an unladen, unregistered farm truck upon a public way when such truck is used upon the public ways occasionally or temporarily and solely for farm purposes. Such operation upon a public way shall be by an operator duly licensed under this Title, and shall be from or to the premises where such farm truck is kept, to or from a farm lot and between farm lots, used for farm purposes by the owner of the farm truck, and from or to a filling station or garage for gas, oil or repairs. Each farm truck so operated shall be inspected by an authorized inspection station. No such permit shall be issued for a period to exceed one month, and shall specify the route or routes of travel and time of day during which such permit shall be valid.’~~

Sec. 2. R. S., T. 29, § 256, amended. The 4th sentence of section 256 of Title 29 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:

‘All motor vehicles and trailers owned by the State and under the supervision of the State Highway Commission or the State Police and all vehicles owned by a municipal fire department or an organized volunteer fire department shall be exempt from the provisions of this Title as to registration and payment of registration fees, but shall not be exempt from the inspection requirements of section 2122.’

Sec. 3. R. S., T. 29, § 1192, amended. Section 1192 of Title 29 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding at the end the following new sentence:

'If said signals are given by a lamp or lamps, such lamp or lamps shall emit a white or amber light to the front and red to the rear.'

Sec. 4. R. S., T. 29, § 1364, amended. Section 1364 of Title 29 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding at the end the following new sentence:

'The entire exhaust system shall be complete and without leakage and shall be securely fastened to the engine block and frame.'

Sec. 5. R. S., T. 29, § 1369, amended. The last sentence of the 2nd paragraph of section 1369 of Title 29 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:

'The ~~Chief of the State Police~~ Secretary of State shall approve and maintain a list of the approved types of glass.'

Sec. 6. R. S., T. 29, § 2011, amended. The last paragraph of section 2011 of Title 29 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:

'Notwithstanding section 2125, the fee for such inspection shall be \$2 and the fee for the inspection of passenger cars used as school buses shall be \$1.'

Sec. 7. R. S., T. 29, § 2124, amended. The 6th paragraph of section 2124 of Title 29 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:

'No person other than the holder of a valid inspection mechanic's certificate issued by the Chief of the State Police shall perform an inspection, issue ~~and~~ or sign a certificate of inspection.'

Sec. 8. R. S., T. 29, § 2125, amended. Section 2125 of Title 29 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:

§ 2125. Fees

The operator of any official inspection station, **or his agent**, shall conduct the inspection of motor vehicles presented to him for that purpose in accordance with **section 2122 and with the** rules and regulations promulgated by the Chief of the State Police, for which he shall receive a fee of \$1 for each car inspected, this sum not to include labor or material used in correction of faults in equipment.'