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ONE HUNDRED AND SECOND LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

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S. P. 512

In Senate, April 21, 1965

Reported by Senator Letourneau of York, from Committee on Public Utilities. Printed under Joint Rules No. 10.

EDWIN H. PERT, Secretary

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SIXTY-FIVE

AN ACT Imposing Limitation Upon Holding Both Permit for Common Carriers and Contract Carriers.

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

R. S., T. 35, § 1555, sub-§ 6, additional. Section 1555 of Title 35 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding a new subsection 6 to read as follows:

'6. **Limitation upon holding both permit for common carriers and contract carriers.** No person, firm or corporation, who has been issued a common carrier certificate, shall be granted a contract carrier permit which would authorize a transportation service between municipalities or points presently served by virtue of his common carrier certificate unless the commission finds that the public interest so requires, and no person, firm or corporation shall be granted such a contract carrier permit if such person, firm or officers, directors or stockholders of such corporation are those who have been issued a common carrier certificate unless the commission finds that the public interest so requires. Any person, who has been issued a common carrier certificate and a contract carrier permit which authorizes transportation service between municipalities or points being served by virtue of his common carrier certificate, shall relinquish either the certificate or the permit on or before January 1, 1969 unless otherwise authorized to retain both by the commission, and any such contract carrier permit which is relinquished shall not be transferred to any corporation whose officers, directors or stockholders are persons who are presently holding a common carrier certificate. For the purpose of this subsection, "person" shall be defined to include any partnership, corporation, trust or any other association. No carrier operating by virtue of its contract carrier permit shall transport in the same vehicle at the same time any property for hire not authorized by the said permit.'