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JERROLD B. SPEERS, Secretary

Presented by Senator Reny of York.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED SIXTY-SEVEN

AN ACT Relating to Reregistration of Motor Vehicles for Members of Armed Forces Returning from Overseas Duty.

Emergency preamble. Whereas, Acts of the Legislature do not become effective until 90 days after adjournment unless enacted as emergencies; and

Whereas, members of the Armed Forces who return from overseas duty should be given consideration in the reregistration of motor vehicles; and

Whereas, the following legislation is greatly needed to aid returning members of the Armed Forces; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts create an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution of Maine, and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore,

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

R. S., T. 29, § 117, additional. Title 29 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding a new section 117, to read as follows:

§ 117. Registration for members of Armed Forces returning from overseas duty

The provisions of this Title relative to the registration of motor vehicles and the display of number plates shall not apply to motor vehicles having registrations and displaying plates issued by the Armed Forces of the United States in foreign countries for vehicles owned by military or naval personnel, but said exemption shall be valid only for a period of 45 days after the owner thereof has returned to the United States.

Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this Act shall take effect when approved.