

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ONE HUNDRED AND THIRD LEGISLATURE

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House of Representatives, February 1, 1967

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

BERTHA W. JOHNSON, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Bedard of Saco.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SIXTY-SEVEN

AN ACT Relating to the Operation of Motorcycles and Motor Driven Cycles.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., T. 29, § 999, additional. Title 29 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding a new section 999, to read as follows:

§ 999. Motorcycles and motor driven cycles

In addition to the requirements of this chapter, motorcycles and motor driven cycles shall be operated on the highway in such manner that no more than 2 such vehicles shall be operated abreast within the same lane of operation.

No person shall operate on the highway any motorcycle or motor driven cycle equipped with handlebars that are more than 15 inches in height above the uppermost portion of the seat when depressed by the weight of the operator.

Sec. 2. R. S., T. 29, § 2122, amended. The last sentence of the 4th paragraph of section 2122 of Title 29 of the Revised Statutes is repealed, as follows: ~~Said inspection shall not apply to motoreycles.~~

Sec. 3. R. S., T. 29, § 2122, amended. Section 2122 of Title 29 of the Revised Statutes, as amended, is further amended by adding at the end, a new paragraph, as follows:

The Chief of the State Police is authorized to make necessary rules and regulations concerning the inspection of motorcycles and motor driven cycles. The placement of the inspection sticker for this type vehicle shall be prescribed by the Chief of the State Police.