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ONE HUNDRED AND THIRD LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

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S. P. 431 In Senate, February 23, 1967 Referred to Committee on Judiciary. Sent down for concurrence and ordered printed.

JERROLD B. SPEERS, Secretary

Presented by Senator Mills of Franklin.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED SIXTY-SEVEN

AN ACT Concerning Discovery in Personal Injury Litigation of Applicable Liability Insurance.

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

R. S., T. 16, § 357, additional. Title 16 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding a new section 357 to read as follows:

§ 357. Discovery of liability insurance in personal injury litigation

In any actions to recover damages or compensation for personal injuries or death, the claimant or his attorney may ascertain by interrogatories or motion to produce filed in accordance with the Rules of Civil Procedure the existence, nature and extent of any liability insurance in force at the time of, and which may be applicable to, such injuries. This section shall not affect the rules of evidence relating to admissibility of evidence of liability insurance in any action or proceeding.