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JERROLD B. SPEERS, Secretary

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SIXTY-SEVEN

AN ACT Providing for Reexamination of Accident-prone Drivers.

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

R. S., T. 29, § 581-B, additional. Title 29 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding a new section 581-B, to read as follows :

§ 581-B. Reexamination of accident-prone drivers

For purposes of this section, an accident-prone driver shall be any operator of a motor vehicle who, after hearing and in the opinion of the hearing officer, shall have contributed to the cause of 3 or more accidents in a period of 3 or less consecutive years.

Any accident-prone driver shall be required to submit to an operator's examination as prescribed by the Secretary of State and must pass such examination to retain his license.

This shall in no way affect the authority of the Secretary of State to suspend such operator's license for whatever period of time the Secretary of State may deem it advisable.

In any accident involving an automobile, the determination by the Secretary of State that an individual is accident-prone shall not be admissible in evidence in any civil action arising out of such accident.