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ONE HUNDRED AND FOURTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 1388

H. P. 1057

House of Representatives, March 12, 1969

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

BERTHA W. JOHNSON, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Scott of Presque Isle.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SIXTY-NINE

AN ACT Relating to Signs on Slow Moving Vehicles.

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

R. S., T. 29, § 1374, additional. Title 29 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding a new section 1374, to read as follows:

§ 1374. Slow moving vehicle emblem

All vehicles, tractors, implements of husbandry and other farm machinery, which are designed for operation at a speed of 25 miles per hour or less, while operated on a public highway, shall display a triangular slow moving vehicle emblem.

Such emblem shall be mounted so as to be visible from a distance of not less than 500 feet to the rear.

When a primary power unit towing an implement of husbandry or other machinery displays a slow moving vehicle emblem, visible from a distance of 500 feet to the rear, it shall not be necessary to display a similar emblem on the secondary unit, so long as the emblem is visible on the primary unit.

The Secretary of State shall adopt standards and specifications for the design and position of mounting of the SMV emblem. The standards and specifications for SMV emblems referred to in this section shall correlate with and, so far as possible, conform with those approved by the American Society of Agricultural Engineers.