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No. 1456

S. P. 486 In Senate, March 17, 1971 Referred to Committee on Natural Resources. Sent down for concurrence and ordered printed.

HARRY N. STARBRANCH, Secretary Presented by Senator Kellam of Cumberland.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED SEVENTY-ONE

AN ACT Prohibiting the Landing of Supersonic Transport Planes in Maine.

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

R. S., T. 17, § 3965, additional. Title 17 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding a new section 3965 to read as follows:

§ 3965. Landing of supersonic transport planes

It is unlawful for any person to land at any airport in Maine a supersonic transport plane which creates noise at a level greater than 108 perceived noise, in decibels. Any violation of this section shall be punishable by a fine of not more than \$500 or by imprisonment for not more than 6 months, or by both.

STATEMENT OF FACT

The purpose of this bill is reflected in the title.