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Presented by Mr. Parks of Presque Isle.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SEVENTY-THREE

AN ACT Repealing Poll Tax Receipt Requirement for Motor Vehicle and
Fish and Game Licenses.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., T. 12, § 2401-B, sub-§ 16, ¶ A, repealed. Paragraph A of subsection 16 of section 2401-B of Title 12 of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by section 2 of chapter 409 of the public laws of 1971, is repealed as follows:

~~A. Poll tax receipt. No resident hunting or fishing license or combination of same shall be issued unless the applicant shall present a poll tax receipt from the town where he resided in the year immediately preceding the date of the application, or the applicant must exhibit a certificate from the taxing authority that he was exempted from paying a poll tax, or that the same has been abated or that the applicant is not required by law to pay a poll tax.~~

Sec. 2. R. S., T. 29, § 108, repealed. Section 108 of Title 29 of the Revised Statutes is repealed as follows:

§ 108. ~~Tax payment before registration; poll~~

~~No person required by law to pay a poll tax in this State shall be granted a registration for a motor vehicle until he shall present a receipt or certificate that he has paid his poll tax in the town where he resided for the year preceding that for which the license is applied for, or written evidence from the taxing authority of that town that he was legally exempted therefrom or that the tax has been abated.~~

Sec. 3. R. S., T. 29, § 584, repealed. Section 584 of Title 29 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by section 23 of chapter 494 of the public laws of 1967, is repealed as follows:

§ 584. Poll tax to be paid before license issued

No person required by law to pay a poll tax in this State shall be granted a license to operate a motor vehicle until he shall present a receipt or certificate that he has paid his poll tax in the town where he resided or written evidence from the taxing authority of that town that he was legally exempted therefrom or that the tax has been abated. Licenses issued from January 1st through August 31st shall require evidence of the payment of the previous year's poll tax, and licenses issued from September 1st through December 31st shall require evidence of the payment of the current year's poll tax.

STATEMENT OF FACT

The purpose of the bill is reflected in the title.