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ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 691

S. P. 240 In Senate, February 8, 1973 Referred to the Committee on Judiciary. Sent down for concurrence and ordered printed.

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

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED SEVENTY-THREE

AN ACT Relating to Parking of Spectators' Vehicles During a Fire.

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

R. S., T. 29, § 1111, amended. The first sentence of the next to the last paragraph of section 1111 of Title 29 of the Revised Statutes, as last repealed and replaced by chapter 354 of the public laws of 1971, is amended to read as follows:

An officer may cause any vehicle parked, disabled or abandoned on any way so as to interfere with or hinder the removal of snow or the normal movement of traffic, or parked within the limits of a highway right-of-way or within ½ mile of any fire, to be removed from the way and placed in a suitable parking place, at the expense of the person in whose name such vehicle is registered.

STATEMENT OF FACT

It is the intent of this bill to require spectators to park ¼ mile from scene of a fire giving firemen a free hand for working, allowing for extra fire trucks to come to the scene without hindrance and permitting patrolmen to be placed ¼ mile from scene of fire to regulate parking.