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STATE OF MAINE
SENATE
106TH LEGISLATURE

SENATE AMENDMENT "B" to H. P. 799, L. D. 1069, Bill,
"AN ACT Raising the Age of Persons Who May Purchase Alcoholic
Beverages or Sell as Licenses."

Amend said Bill in the title by inserting after the word
"Purchase" the words 'or transport'

Further amend said Bill in section 1 by striking out in the
6th, 9th, 12th and 15th lines (5th, 7th, 9th and 12th lines in
L. D.) the underlined figure "20" and inserting in place thereof
the underlined figure '19'

Further amend said Bill in section 2 by striking out in the
6th line (5th line in L. D.) the underlined figure "20" and
inserting in place thereof the underlined figure '19'

Further amend said Bill in section 3 by striking out in the
13th and last lines (10th and last lines in L. D.) the underlined
figure "20" and inserting in place thereof the underlined figure
'19'

Further amend said Bill in section 4 by striking out in the
6th and 7th lines (5th and 6th lines in L. D.) the underlined
figure "20" and inserting in place thereof the underlined figure
'19'

Further amend said Bill by adding at the end before the
Statement of Fact the following:

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'Sec. 5. R. S., T. 28, § 303, amended. The next to the last sentence of the last paragraph of section 303 of Title 28 of the Revised Statutes, as repealed and replaced by section 48 of chapter 590 of the public laws of 1969, is amended to read as follows:

If a ~~minor~~ person under the age of 19 years is charged with illegal possession under this section, he may not be charged with illegal transportation.

Sec. 6. R. S., T. 28, § 1001, amended. The first sentence, as amended, and the first sentence of the last paragraph, as enacted by section 2 of chapter 352 of the public laws of 1967 and as amended, of section 1001 of Title 28 of the Revised Statutes, are further amended to read as follows:

No person under the age of ~~18~~ 19 years shall knowingly transport or knowingly permit to be transported any intoxicating liquor in a motor vehicle under his control except in the scope of his or her employment, or at the request of his or her parent or guardian.

No person under the age of ~~18~~ 19 years shall be convicted of any offense under this section if intoxicating liquors are found outside the passenger or driver's section of a motor vehicle under his control unless said person has actual knowledge of the presence of said liquors.'

Statement of Fact

The purpose of this amendment is to raise the age of persons who may purchase alcoholic beverages or sell as licensees to 19 years and to conform illegal transportation to legal age of

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purchase.

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