

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 1246

H. P. 949

House of Representatives, March 1, 1973

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

E. LOUISE LINCOLN, Clerk

Presented by Mrs. Wheeler of Portland.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SEVENTY-THREE

AN ACT Relating to Motorcycle or Motor Driven Cycle Learner's Permit.

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

R. S., T. 29, § 532, amended. The first 2 sentences of the 2nd paragraph of section 532 of Title 29 of the Revised Statutes, as repealed and replaced by section 24 of chapter 360 of the public laws of 1971, are amended to read as follows:

Any person, ~~holding a valid driver's license and~~ who is at least ~~16~~ 18 years of age, may make application to the Secretary of State for a motorcycle or motor driven cycle learner's permit to operate a motorcycle or motor driven cycle. The Secretary of State shall require that before the motorcycle or motor driven cycle learner's permit is issued any applicant shall have passed ~~a knowledge all parts of an examination other than the driving test relating specifically to the safe operation of a motorcycle or motor driven cycle and a vision test.~~ Such examination, as far as practical, shall include the same items as are required in a learner's permit to operate a motor vehicle.

STATEMENT OF FACT

The purpose of this bill is to require the same examination for a learner's permit to operate a motorcycle as one to operate a motor vehicle.