

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 1276

H. P. 969

House of Representatives, March 6, 1973

Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

E. LOUISE LINCOLN, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Murray of Bangor.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SEVENTY-THREE

AN ACT Providing Funds for Study of Bicycle Traffic.

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

Appropriation for bicycle traffic study. There is appropriated from the Unappropriated Surplus of the General Fund to the Department of Transportation the sum of \$10,000 for a study of the volume of present bicycle traffic, projected increases in bicycle traffic, methods of bicycle path construction and innovations used in other states dealing with this increase of bicycle activity. The department shall report the results of its study to the Legislature with recommendations on how Maine can best provide for this new phenomenon.

STATEMENT OF FACT

Since bicycling is becoming a very popular means of transportation, proper planning should be undertaken by the Department of Transportation.