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ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTH LEGISLATURE

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H. P. 1721

House of Representatives, January 2, 1974

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

E. LOUISE LINCOLN, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Bustin of Augusta.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SEVENTY-FOUR

AN ACT Requiring a Lighted Headlamp on Motorcycles Using the Highway.

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

R. S., T. 29, § 999, amended. The first paragraph of section 999 of Title 29 of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by chapter 65 of the public laws of 1967, is amended to read as follows:

In addition to the requirements of this chapter, motorcycles and motor driven cycles shall be operated on the highway **with a lighted headlamp on when in motion and** in such manner that no more than 2 such vehicles shall be operated abreast within the same lane of operation.

STATEMENT OF FACT

It is the intent of this bill to require motorcycles and motor driven cycles to display a lighted headlamp at all times while in motion on the highway for purposes of identification and safety.