

## ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

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Presented by Mr. Jensen of Portland.

# STATE OF MAINE

### IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED SEVENTY-FIVE

AN ACT to Prohibit the Carrying of Firearms by Officers of the Liquor Statutes Enforcement Division of the Department of Public Safety.

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

25 MRSA § 2903 is enacted to read:

§ 2903. Officers of liquor statutes enforcement division prohibited from carrying firearms

No officer of the liquor statutes enforcement division of the Department of Public Safety shall carry a firearm while in the performance of his duties.

#### STATEMENT OF FACT

This Act will prohibit officers of the liquor statutes enforcement division from carrying firearms. There is no need for these officers to carry weapons while carrying out their duties of enforcing the statutes on alcoholic beverages.