

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 954

H. P. 783

House of Representatives, March 6, 1975

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

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Dyer of South Portland.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SEVENTY-FIVE

AN ACT to Permit Owners of Motor Transport Companies who are Assenting Employers under the Workmen's Compensation Act to Refuse to Insure Themselves or Their Families under That Act.

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

39 MRSA § 21-A is enacted to read:

§ 21-A. Owners not required to insure themselves

No owner of a corporation, which provides transport of freight by truck and which is subject to this Title, shall be required to insure himself or the members of his immediate family under any of the provisions of this Title.

STATEMENT OF FACT

Owners of truck fleets whose firms participate in the Workmen's Compensation Program should not have to contribute to that program to insure themselves or their families against industrial accidents as they may wish to insure themselves in another manner, for instance, by insuring themselves under Blue Cross.