

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

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S. P. 310

In Senate, March 18, 1975

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

HARRY N. STARBRANCH, Secretary

Presented by Senator Greeley of Waldo.

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STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
SEVENTY-FIVE

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**AN ACT** Relating to Leasing and Selling of Property Taken or Acquired  
for Highway Purposes.

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

23 **MRSA § 61**, first ¶, last sentence, as amended by PL 1971, c. 593, § 22, is further amended to read:

The Governor and Council on recommendation of the ~~department~~ **Department of Transportation** may sell and convey on behalf of the State the interest of the State in property taken or acquired by purchase under chapters 1 to 19 and deemed no longer necessary for the purposes hereof, ~~and he~~ **The Department of Transportation** may lease such interests in such property pending such sale or the advantageous use of such property for highway purposes.

STATEMENT OF FACT

The purpose of this Act is to allow the Department of Transportation to preserve property acquired for highway purposes for future highway use or until such time as it is more advantageous to sell and at the same time realize income from such property.