

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 1359

H. P. 1079

House of Representatives, March 24, 1975

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

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Carroll of Limerick.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SEVENTY-FIVE

AN ACT to Require Bicycle Safety Education in Public Schools.

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

20 MRSA § 1011, as last amended by PL 1967, c. 425, § 19, is further amended to read:

§ 1011. Programs established

In order more thoroughly to prepare the youth of the State for the duties and obligations of citizenship and to provide for their future well-being and comfort, it shall be the duty of the school committees or school directors of the several administrative units of the State to make provision for the organization and development of adequate programs of health, safety, including bicycle safety, and physical education and to require the teaching of these courses to all pupils in the public elementary and secondary schools of the State in accordance with a course of study and plans of lessons and instruction prepared by the commissioner, who shall prescribe such rules and regulations as may be necessary to carry out in successful manner said program of health, safety, including bicycle safety, and physical education, and he may require such reports from superintendents as he may deem necessary.

STATEMENT OF FACT

This legislation requires that bicycle safety education shall be a part of the safety education program already existing in public schools.