

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

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**Legislative Document**

**No. 1627**

H. P. 1326

House of Representatives, April 2, 1975

On Motion of Mr. Drigotas of Auburn referred to Committee on Taxation.  
Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

Presented by Mrs. Saunders of Bethel.

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**STATE OF MAINE**

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
SEVENTY-FIVE

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**AN ACT to Exempt Nonprofit Historical Societies and Museums  
from Payment of Sales Tax.**

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

36 MRSA § 1760, sub-§ 35, is enacted to read:

35. Historical societies and museums. Sales to incorporated nonprofit historical societies and museums.

**FISCAL NOTE**

It is estimated that enactment of such a measure would result in a loss of \$13,500 for the first year of the biennium and \$18,000 for the 2nd year of the biennium. There would be no additional administrative costs.

**STATEMENT OF FACT**

It is the intent of this Act to exempt nonprofit historical societies and museums from payment of sales tax.