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STATE OF MAINE

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IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
SEVENTY-FIVE

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**AN ACT to Protect Landowners Whose Land Abuts Land on Which Ten or  
More Acres of Timber is to be Harvested.**

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

14 MRSA § 7552-A is enacted to read:

§ 7552-A. Land on which 10 acres or more of wood is to be harvested

Whoever authorizes the harvesting of trees on his own property, when such harvesting shall involve an area of 10 or more acres, shall clearly mark that property line or those property lines which are within 200 yards of the area to be harvested. A property owner who fails to clearly mark his property lines shall be liable in a civil action for double damages to the abutting property owner.