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EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Higgins of Scarborough.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED SEVENTY-SEVEN

AN ACT Concerning the Placing of Warnings on Driver's Licenses.

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

29 MRSA § 540, as last amended by PL 1975, c. 79, § 2, is further amended by adding after the first paragraph a new paragraph to read:

Each license shall contain an area or portion of the license designated "NOTE: WARNINGS." An officer who issues any warning to a motor vehicle operator for a violation of any motor vehicle law or regulation shall indicate in this area the date, type of offense and his name.

STATEMENT OF FACT

The purpose of this bill is to provide a place on a driver's license where warnings issued for violations may be indicated. This system is similar to that used on fishing licenses and allows an officer to determine whether a previous warning has been issued to a particular person.