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S. P. 613

Office of the Secretary of the Senate

The Committee on Business Legislation suggested. Approved for introduction by the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 24, and 1,700 ordered printed.

MAY M. ROSS, Secretary

Presented by Senator Chapman of Sagadahoc

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SEVENTY-EIGHT

**AN ACT to Restore Notice to Policyholders of Right to a Hearing upon
Nonrenewal of their Automobile Insurance Policy.**

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

24-A MRSA § 2917, 2nd ¶, as repealed and replaced by PL 1977, c. 403, § 4, is amended by adding at the end the following new sentence:

A notice of a right to apply for a hearing before the Superintendent of Insurance within 15 days as provided herein shall accompany the notice of intent not to renew.

STATEMENT OF FACT

This bill, if enacted, will restore the provision requiring insurers to advise policyholders of their right to a hearing before the Superintendent of Insurance at the time a nonrenewal is issued. This provision was inadvertently removed from the law during the last session.