

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ONE HUNDRED AND NINTH LEGISLATURE

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No. 411

S. P. 181

In Senate, February 8, 1979

Referred to the Committee on Legal Affairs. Sent down for concurrence and 1,800 ordered printed.

Presented by Senator Ault of Kennebec.

Cosponsors: Senator Farley of York, Senator Cote of Androscoggin and Senator Lovell of York.

MAY M. ROSS, Secretary of the Senate

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SEVENTY-NINE

AN ACT to Relieve a Liquor Licensee of Liability for the Sale of Liquor to a Minor who Presents False Identification Card which Appears to be Valid.

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

28 MRSA § 303, 2nd ¶, as amended by PL 1977, c. 23, § 5, is further amended by adding at the end a new sentence to read:

No licensee, clerk, servant or agent shall be in violation of this paragraph if the minor presented a false identification card which appeared to be valid.

STATEMENT OF FACT

This bill relieves a licensee or his clerk or another authorized agent of liability when they sell liquor to a minor, provided that the minor presented a false identification card which appeared to be valid.