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ONE HUNDRED AND NINTH LEGISLATURE

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No. 1318

H. P. 1064

House of Representatives, March 19, 1979

Referred to the Committee on Public Utilities. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Michael of Auburn.

Cosponsor: Mr. Davies of Orono.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SEVENTY-NINE

AN ACT to Provide Information Assistance Under the Public Utilities Law.

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

35 MRSA § 106, is enacted to read:

§ 106. Telephone charges for information calls

No telephone company shall make, exact, demand or collect any rate, toll or charge for providing information or assistance in finding telephone numbers for users of its telephone lines where the number being sought is one that has been newly issued or changed within one year prior to the request for information or assistance.

STATEMENT OF FACT

The purpose of this bill is to prohibit telephone companies from charging for directory assistance in locating newly listed telephones.