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ONE HUNDRED AND TENTH LEGISLATURE

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No. 663

H. P. 583

House of Representatives, February 4, 1981

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

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

Presented by Representative Salsbury of Bar Harbor.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-ONE

**AN ACT Concerning the Collection of Personal Property Tax on Objects which
Require a Permit Prior to their Being Moved.**

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

29 MRSA § 1703, as last amended by PL 1977, c. 73, § 5, is further amended by adding at the end a new paragraph to read:

Permits shall not be granted unless the applicant provides reasonable assurance that all personal property taxes, including those for the current year, applicable to the objects to be moved have been paid or that the object is exempt from those taxes.

STATEMENT OF FACT

Transporters of objects which exceed specified weight, height, length or width limits must apply for a permit to move the object. The purpose of this bill is to require payment of personal property taxes before the object can be moved. This provision parallels present language relating to the moving of mobile homes.