

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ONE HUNDRED AND TENTH LEGISLATURE

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No. 782

H. P. 678

House of Representatives, February 10, 1981

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

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

Presented by Representative Lewis of Auburn.

STATE OF MAINE

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

AN ACT to Require Removal of Snowplow Supports from a Vehicle when the Plow is Removed.

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

29 MRSA § 1464 is enacted to read:

§ 1464. Snowplow supports

If a vehicle is equipped with a snowplow, the plow support or harness shall be removed from the vehicle if the plow blade has been removed, before the vehicle may be driven on any public way.

STATEMENT OF FACT

This bill requires that snowplow supports or harnesses be removed, if the blade has been removed, before the vehicle can be driven on the public ways. The supports act like battering rams and have caused serious accidents.