

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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FIRST REGULAR SESSION

ONE HUNDRED AND TENTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 1180

H. P. 992

House of Representatives, March 9, 1981

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

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

Presented by Representative Damren of Belgrade by request.

STATE OF MAINE

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

AN ACT to Regulate the Use of Motor Vehicles on Ice-covered Bodies of Water.

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

30 MRSA § 2151, sub-§ 7 is enacted to read:

7. **Vehicles on icebound inland waters. Providing for the regulation of motor vehicles on icebound inland lakes, but no such regulation is valid unless each municipality abutting the lake has enacted an identical local regulation or ordinance. When an identical regulation or ordinance has been enacted, the regulation or ordinance of any individual municipality is in effect on the entire lake and any law enforcement officer of any such municipality may enforce the regulation on any portion of the lake.**

STATEMENT OF FACT

This bill permits municipalities to regulate the use of motor vehicles on icebound inland lakes.