

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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1 FIRST REGULAR SESSION
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3 ONE HUNDRED AND ELEVENTH LEGISLATURE
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5 Legislative Document

No. 449

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7 S.P. 161

In Senate, February 1, 1983

8 Referred to the Committee on Legal Affairs, sent down for concurrence
9 and ordered printed.

10 JOY J. O'BRIEN, Secretary of the Senate

Presented by Senator Danton of York.
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12 STATE OF MAINE
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14 IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD
15 NINETEEN HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-THREE
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17 AN ACT Relating to Fines for Committing
18 a Fraudulent Act under the Liquor Laws.
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20 Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as
21 follows:

22 28 MRSA § 303, last ¶, as amended by PL 1977, c.
23 23, §6, is further amended to read:

24 Any person under the age of 20 years who pur-
25 chases any intoxicating liquor or any person under
26 the age of 20 years who consumes any intoxicating
27 liquor or has on his or her person any intoxicating
28 liquor in any on-sale premises, or who presents or
29 offers to any licensee, his agent or employee any
30 written or oral evidence of age which is false,
31 fraudulent or not actually his own, for the purpose
32 of ordering, purchasing, attempting to purchase or
33 otherwise procuring or attempting to procure, the
34 serving of any intoxicating liquor, or who has any

1 intoxicating liquor in his possession except in the
2 scope of his or her employment on any street or high-
3 way, or in any public place or in any automobile,
4 shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be pun-
5 ished by a fine of ~~not more~~ no less than \$100 nor
6 more than \$300 for the first offense; not less than
7 ~~\$50~~ \$200 nor more than ~~\$100~~ \$500 for the 2nd offense;
8 and ~~\$100~~ \$500 for the 3rd and subsequent offenses.
9 If a minor is charged with illegal possession under
10 this section, he may not be charged with illegal
11 transportation. No minor ~~shall~~ may be charged with
12 more than one offense under this section in any given
13 instance wherein the same set of facts is involved.

14 STATEMENT OF FACT

15 The purpose of this bill is to establish minimum
16 and maximum fines for any person under 20 years of
17 age who commits a fraudulent act.

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