

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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5 Legislative Document

No. 1867

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7 H.P. 1422

House of Representatives, January 10, 1984

8 Approved for introduction by the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint  
9 Rule 26.

Reference to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

10 Presented by Representative Racine of Biddeford.

Cosponsors: Representative Dexter of Kingfield, Representative Ridley of  
Shapleigh and Representative Jacques of Waterville.

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14 IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD  
15 NINETEEN HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FOUR  
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17 AN ACT Concerning the Open Burning of  
18 Leaves and Brush.  
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20 Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as  
21 follows:

22 38 MRSA §599, sub-§3, ¶F, as repealed and re-  
23 placed by PL 1983, c. 504, §7, is amended to read:

24 F. Residential open burning of leaves, brush,  
25 deadwood and tree cuttings accrued from normal  
26 property maintenance by the individual land or  
27 homeowner or lessees thereof is permissible where  
28 no municipal property tax supported trash collec-  
29 tion service is available or will accept these  
30 materials;

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STATEMENT OF FACT

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The purpose of this bill is to remove the restriction on residential open burning of leaves and brush where tax supported trash collection is available.

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