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1 (New Draft of H.P. 1542, L.D. 2030)
2 (New Title)

3 SECOND REGULAR SESSION
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5 ONE HUNDRED AND ELEVENTH LEGISLATURE
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7 Legislative Document

No. 2271

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9 H.P. 1725

House of Representatives, March 19, 1984

10 Reported by Representative Moholland from the Committee on
11 Transportation and printed under Joint Rule 2.

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14 STATE OF MAINE
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16 IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD
17 NINETEEN HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FOUR
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19 AN ACT Concerning Registration
20 Certificates for Long-term Trailers
21 and Semitrailers.
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23 Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as
24 follows:

25 29 MRSA §245-A, 3rd ¶, as repealed and replaced by
26 PL 1977, c. 481, §8, is amended to read:

27 The Secretary of State shall require the appoint-
28 ment of a true and lawful agent or representative for
29 each and every nonresident applicant. The agent or
30 representative, who shall be a Maine resident and
31 the owner or the duly authorized person, shall sign
32 the registration certificate. Legal process served
33 upon a registrant's designated agent or representa-
34 tive shall be deemed to be service upon the regis-

1 trant. This applies only to nonresident individuals,
2 partnerships or corporations applying for semitrailer
3 or trailer plates.

4 STATEMENT OF FACT

5 The purpose of this new draft is to allow the
6 owner of a long-term trailer or semitrailer or the
7 duly authorized person to sign the registration cer-
8 tificate of the vehicle. In some cases, the owner
9 may be a corporation, a bank, which holds title, or a
10 subsidiary and a duly authorized person is necessary
11 for signing the registration certificate.

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