

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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

No. 327

7 S.P. 112

In Senate, January 31, 1985

8 Reference to the Committee on Legal Affairs suggested and ordered  
9 printed.

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

Presented by Senator Carpenter of Aroostook.

11 Cosponsored by Representative Kane of So. Portland, Representative  
MacBride of Presque Isle and Senator Chalmers of Knox.

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14 IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD  
15 NINETEEN HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FIVE  
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17 AN ACT to Amend the Law Relating to  
18 Mileage and Compensation of Jurors.  
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20 Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as  
21 follows:

22 14 MRSA §1215, as amended by PL 1981, c. 490, §1,  
23 is further amended to read:

24 §1215. Mileage and compensation of jurors

25 A juror shall be paid mileage at the rate of ~~15¢~~  
26 20¢ per mile for his travel expenses from ~~his~~ the  
27 residence to the place of holding court and return,  
28 shall be reimbursed for actual and necessary parking  
29 expenses not to exceed \$5 per day and shall be com-  
30 pensated at the rate of \$20 for each day of required  
31 attendance at sessions of the court.

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STATEMENT OF FACT

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This bill provides a more adequate mileage reimbursement to jurors. The jurors' mileage rate was last increased in 1981 from 10¢ to 15¢. This bill increases the mileage reimbursement from 15¢ to 20¢. This bill authorizes reimbursement for necessary parking expenses actually incurred by persons serving as jurors.

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