

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. 640

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7 S.P. 245

In Senate, February 21, 1985

8 Referred to the Committee on Business and Commerce and ordered
9 printed. Sent down for concurrence.

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

Presented by Senator Webster of Franklin.
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12 STATE OF MAINE
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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 Repeal the Law Permitting the
18 Purchase of Alcoholic Beverages with
19 Major Credit Cards.
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21 Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as
22 follows:

23 28 MRSA §53, sub-§7, as amended by PL 1983, c.
24 477, Pt. F, sub-pt. 1, is further amended to read:

25 7. Sell at retail. To sell at retail in state
26 stores in original packages, either over the counter
27 or by shipment to points within the State, wine, ex-
28 cept table wine, and spirits of all kinds for con-
29 sumption off the premises at state stores to be oper-
30 ated under the direction of the commission. All such
31 sales shall be for cash, ~~except that credit may be~~
32 ~~extended to the holder of a major credit card which~~
33 ~~authorizes the holder to charge goods or services.~~

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STATEMENT OF FACT

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The purpose of this bill is to repeal the provision which permits the retail purchase of alcoholic beverages with major credit cards.

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