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L.D. 1050

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STATE OF MAINE
SENATE
112TH LEGISLATURE
FIRST REGULAR SESSION

SENATE AMENDMENT "B " to S.P. 383, L.D. 1050,
Bill, "AN ACT to Require the Use of Seat Belts in all
Motor Vehicles."

Amend the bill by inserting at the beginning of
the first line after the enacting clause (page 1,
line 22 in L.D.) the following: 'Sec. 1.'

Further amend the bill by adding before the
statement of fact the following:

'Sec. 2. Statutory referendum procedure; sub-
mission at statewide election; form of question; ef-
fective date. This Act shall be submitted to the le-
gal voters of the State of Maine at a statewide elec-
tion to be held on the Tuesday following the first
Monday of November following passage of this Act.
The city aldermen, town selectmen and plantation as-
sessors of this State shall notify the inhabitants of
their respective cities, towns and plantations to
meet, in the manner prescribed by law for holding a
statewide election, to vote on the acceptance or re-
jection of this Act by voting on the following ques-
tion:

"Shall drivers and passengers of motor vehicles
be required to wear seat belts?"

The legal voters of each city, town and
plantation shall vote by ballot on this question, and
shall designate their choice by a cross or check mark
placed within a corresponding square below the word
"Yes" or "No." The ballots shall be received,
sorted, counted and declared in open ward, town and
plantation meetings and returns made to the Secretary
of State in the same manner as votes for members of
the Legislature. The Governor shall review the re-

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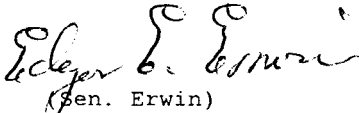
1 turns and, if it appears that a majority of the legal
2 voters are in favor of the Act, the Governor shall
3 proclaim that fact without delay, and the Act shall
4 become effective 30 days after the date of the pro-
5 clamation.

6 The Secretary of State shall prepare and furnish
7 to each city, town and plantation all ballots, re-
8 turns and copies of this Act necessary to carry out
9 the purpose of this referendum.'

10 STATEMENT OF FACT

11 The purpose of this amendment is to submit the
12 bill to voters at a referendum.

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14 (Sen. Erwin)
15 NAME:

16 COUNTY: Oxford

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