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L.D. 1951

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STATE OF MAINE  
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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "B" to S.P. 777, L.D. 1951, Bill, "AN ACT to Promote Public Health through Required Use of Seat Belts."

Amend the bill in that part designated "§1368-C." in subsection 3, paragraph B in the last line (page 2, line 15 in L.D.) by striking out the underlined word "or" and in paragraph C, in the last line (page 2, line 18 in L.D.) by striking out the underlined word and punctuation "inappropriate." and inserting in their place the following: 'inappropriate;'

Further amend the bill in that part designated "§1368-C." in subsection 3 by inserting at the end the following:

'D. A rural mail carrier of the United States Postal Service operating a motor vehicle in the performance of his duties; or

E. A driver or a passenger who frequently stops or leaves a vehicle to make deliveries or to perform service.'

Further amend the bill in that part designated "§1368-C." in subsection 4 by inserting after the first paragraph the following:

'This section shall be enforced by law enforcement officers only when an operator of a motor vehicle has been stopped for a different violation of the motor vehicle laws.'

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STATEMENT OF FACT

2           This amendment exempts rural mail carriers and  
3 persons who make frequent stops from the requirement  
4 to wear a seat belt at all times while their motor  
5 vehicles are in motion. Furthermore, a stipulation  
6 is introduced which prohibits enforcement action for  
7 violation of this proposed mandatory use law, unless  
8 a motor vehicle has been stopped by law enforcement  
9 officers for a different violation of motor vehicle  
10 laws.

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