

1 2 3	(New Draft of S.P. 744, L.D. 1908) SECOND REGULAR SESSION
4 5	ONE HUNDRED AND TWELFTH LEGISLATURE
6 7	Legislative Document No. 2129
8	S.P. 840 In Senate, March 4, 1986
9 10	Reported by Senator Bustin of Kennebec from the Committee on Business and Commerce and printed under Joint Rule 2. Original bill sponsored by Senator Berube of Androscoggin.
11	JOY J. O'BRIEN, Secretary of the Senate
12 13	STATE OF MAINE
14 15 16 17	IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SIX
18 19 20	AN ACT Concerning the Regulation of Itinerant Vendors.
21 22	Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows:
23 24	Sec. 1. 32 MRSA §4684, sub-§§4 and 5, as enacted by PL 1977, c. 440, §2, are amended to read:
25 26 27	4. Statement of yearly gross revenues. A state- ment of anticipated yearly gross revenues from sales of consumer merchandise in this State; and
28 29 30 31	5. <u>Security deposits</u> . Name and address of the person to whom security deposit made with the Depart- ment of Business Regulation pursuant to this chapter shall be returned-; and
32 33	<pre>Sec. 2. 32 MRSA §4684, sub-§6 is enacted to read:</pre>

1 6. Sellers certificate. The number of a valid 2 seller's registration certificate issued to the ap-3 plicant by the State Tax Assessor pursuant to Title 4 36, chapter 211, or satisfactory evidence that the 5 applicant is not required to be registered under that 6 Title.

STATEMENT OF FACT

8 This new draft provides a mechanism to help mu-9 nicipalities in their regulation of licensed itiner-10 ant vendors. Itinerant vendors will be required to 11 obtain a sales tax registration certificate from the 12 State Tax Assessor before applying for licensure. 13 This is similar to a current requirement for licensed 14 auctioneers.

The original bill was redrafted because the committee decided that amending current law to take care of tax problems concerning itinerant vendors would be better than adding a new section requiring municipalities to license itinerant vendors. The change to current law along with better enforcement should alleviate problems in regulation.

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