

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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

NO. 50
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7 H.P. 47 House of Representatives, January 26, 1987
8 Reference to the Committee on Business Legislation
9 suggested and ordered printed.

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

10 Presented by Representative Martin of Van Buren.

Cosponsored by Representative Telow of Lewiston.

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14 IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD
15 NINETEEN HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SEVEN
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17 AN ACT to Increase the Handling Fees for
18 Returnable Bottles and Cans.
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20 Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as
21 follows:

22 32 MRSA §1866, sub-§4, as amended by PL 1979, c.
23 735, is further amended to read:

24 4. Reimbursement by distributor. In addition to
25 the payment of the refund value, the distributor
26 shall reimburse the dealer or local redemption center
27 for the cost of handling beverage containers, in an
28 amount which equals at least 2¢ 3¢ per returned con-
29 tainer.

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STATEMENT OF FACT

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The purpose of this bill is to increase the minimum handling fee for returnable beverage containers from 2¢ to 3¢.

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