

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTEENTH LEGISLATURE

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H.P. 145 House of Representatives, February 3, 1987
Reference to the Committee on Legal Affairs suggested and
ordered printed.

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk
Presented by Representative MITCHELL of Freeport.
Cosponsored by Representative CARROLL of Gray.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD
NINETEEN HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SEVEN

1 AN ACT Concerning Housing Coverage for
2 Hearing Ear Dogs.
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4 Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as
5 follows:

6 22 MRSA §3612, sub-§§5 and 6 are enacted to read:

7 5. Housing accommodations; persons with hearing
8 assistance animals. Every hearing impaired individu-
9 al who has a hearing assistance animal, or who may
10 wish to obtain a hearing assistance animal, is enti-
11 itled to full and equal access to all housing accommo-
12 dations provided for in this section. Hearing im-
13 paired individuals may not be required to pay extra
14 compensation to keep hearing assistance animals. A
15 hearing impaired person shall be liable for any dam-
16 age done to the premises by the animal.

