

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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L.D. 734

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STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
113TH LEGISLATURE
FIRST REGULAR SESSION

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HOUSE AMENDMENT "*A*" to COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A"
to H.P. 547, L.D. 734, Bill, "AN ACT to Authorize
the Increase of the Maximum Speed Limit to 65 Miles
Per Hour."

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Amend the amendment by striking out all of the
last 2 indented paragraphs before the emergency
clause (page 2, lines 9 to 16 in L.D.) and inserting
in their place the following:

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'Sec. 3. 29 MRSA §1252, sub-§§5 and 6 are en-
acted to read:

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5. Maine Turnpike and interstate highways. Any
person who operates a motor vehicle on the Maine
Turnpike or the Interstate Highway System at a speed
which exceeds the posted speed of 65 miles per hour
commits a traffic infraction punishable by a fine of
not less than \$50.

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6. Use of radar detectors on the Maine Turnpike
or Interstate Highway System prohibited. It is un-
lawful for any person to operate a motor vehicle upon
the Maine Turnpike or the Interstate Highway System
when that vehicle is equipped with any device or
mechanism to detect the emission of radio microwaves
in the electro-magnetic spectrum, which microwaves
are employed by police to measure the speed of motor
vehicles upon the highways of this State for law en-
forcement purposes. A person may not possess or use
any such device or mechanism as described in this
subsection on the Maine Turnpike on the Interstate
Highway System and the presence of any such device or
mechanism in or upon a motor vehicle traveling upon
the Maine Turnpike or the Interstate Highway System
constitutes prima facie evidence of a violation of
this subsection. The State need not prove that the

