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FIRST REGULAR SESSION

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTEENTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

NO. 1872

H.P. 1366 House of Representatives, June 17, 1987
Approved for introduction by a majority of the
Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 27.

Reference to the Committee on Transportation suggested
and ordered printed.

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk
Presented by Representative PARADIS of Augusta.

STATE OF MAINE

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

1 AN ACT to Extend the Time for the Transfer of
2 Authority to Adjudicate Traffic
3 Infractions to the Secretary of State.
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5 Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as
6 follows:

7 29 MRSA §§2201 and 2202, as enacted by PL 1985,
8 c. 800, §1, are amended to read:

9 §2201. Transfer of authority to adjudicate traffic
10 infractions

11 The authority to adjudicate the commission of
12 traffic infractions, as defined by section 1, subsec-
13 tion 17-C, is transferred from the District Court to
14 the Secretary of State effective January 1, ~~1988~~
15 1990.

1 §2202. Administrative adjudication of traffic in-
2 fractions

3 Effective January 1, ~~1988~~ 1990, all traffic in-
4 fractions, as defined by section 1, subsection 17-C,
5 shall be heard and determined administratively by the
6 Secretary of State.

7 ~~The--Secretary--of--State, with the advice of the~~
8 ~~Administrative Office of the Court, shall develop and~~
9 ~~submit to the First Regular Session of the 113th Leg-~~
10 ~~islature legislation detailing the implementation of~~
11 ~~the transfer of authority as provided in section~~
12 ~~2201.~~

13 STATEMENT OF FACT

14 This bill delays the transfer of authority to ad-
15 judicate traffic infractions from the District Court
16 to the Secretary of State for 2 years. This delay is
17 necessary since the suggested implementing legisla-
18 tion was not passed in this session. This bill will
19 allow additional time within which to prepare the
20 necessary implementing legislation.

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