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House of Representatives, January 12, 1989

Reference to the Committee on Transportation suggested and ordered printed.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Ed Pert".

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

Presented by Speaker MARTIN of Eagle Lake.

Cosponsored by Representative LISNIK of Presque Isle, Senator COLLINS of Aroostook, and Senator THERIAULT of Aroostook.

STATE OF MAINE

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

Resolve, to Provide for a Commemorative Motor Vehicle License Plate
to Celebrate the Sesquicentennial of Aroostook County.

(EMERGENCY)



1 **Emergency preamble.** Whereas, Acts and resolves of the
3 Legislature do not become effective until 90 days after
 adjournment unless enacted as emergencies; and

5 Whereas, 1989 is the sesquicentennial of the establishment of
7 Aroostook County; and

9 Whereas, the people of Aroostook County wish to have and
11 display commemorative license plates to celebrate that
 sesquicentennial; and

13 Whereas, unless this legislation is enacted as emergency
15 legislation, the sesquicentennial year will be nearly finished
 before those license plates can be issued; and

17 Whereas, in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts
19 create an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution of
21 Maine and require the following legislation as immediately
 necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and
 safety; now, therefore, be it

23 **Authority. Resolved:** That the Secretary of State, Division of
25 Motor Vehicles, may design, distribute and sell reflectorized,
27 commemorative, sesquicentennial, simulated motor vehicle
29 registration plates in celebration of the sesquicentennial of
31 Aroostook County. The division may promulgate such rules as it
 determines appropriate with respect to the design, distribution
 and sale of those plates. No commemorative plates may be sold,
 distributed or displayed which are not approved by the division;
 and be it further

33 **Use. Resolved:** That the commemorative sesquicentennial plate,
35 as established by this resolve, may be displayed to replace the
37 front registration plate on any motor vehicle registered in this
39 State, except truck tractors, from January 1, 1989, to December
41 31, 1989. The commemorative sesquicentennial plate may be
 displayed on motor vehicles, except truck tractors, registered
 outside the State, but operated within this State, in the same
 manner as provided for vehicles registered in this State; and be
 it further

43 **Fees. Resolved:** That the price of the plates shall be
45 determined by the Division of Motor Vehicles in conjunction with
47 the Aroostook County Sesquicentennial Committee. The remainder
49 of the funds collected from the sales of the plates by the
51 Division of Motor Vehicles, in excess of the actual cost of
 producing the plates, shall be disbursed to the Aroostook County
 Sesquicentennial Committee to be expended by the committee for
 the observance of the sesquicentennial and for other lawful
 purposes of the committee.

