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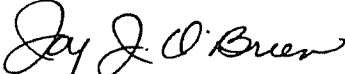
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No. 1392

S.P. 504

In Senate, April 27, 1989

Reference to the Committee on Transportation suggested and ordered printed.


JOY J. O'BRIEN
Secretary of the Senate

Presented by Senator COLLINS of Aroostook.
Cosponsored by Senator THERIAULT of Aroostook.

STATE OF MAINE

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

An Act to Authorize Special Maine National Guard Motor Vehicle Registration
Plates.



1 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows:**

3 **29 MRSA §252-H** is enacted to read:

5 **§252-H. Maine National Guard special license plates**

7 On the application of an active member of the Maine Army or
9 Air National Guard whose active status is certified by the
11 Adjutant General and the payment of the excise tax required by
13 Title 36, section 1482, the Secretary of State shall issue a
15 registration certificate and a set of special designated plates,
17 to be used in lieu of regular plates to designate the vehicle as
19 belonging to an active member of the Maine Army or Air National
21 Guard. The Secretary of State may design these special plates
23 which shall carry the word "Maine" across the top, a minuteman
25 logo on the left, numerals in the center and the words "National
27 Guard" across the bottom. The special registration plates for
29 members of the Maine Army or Air National Guard may be used only
on one motor vehicle whose registered gross weight shall not
exceed 9,000 pounds.

23 **STATEMENT OF FACT**

25 The purpose of this bill is to authorize the issuance and
27 purchase of distinctive license plates to active members of the
29 Maine Army and Air National Guard for use on their personal
vehicles. These distinctive plates will help identify and to
facilitate movement in case of emergency and to enhance
recruiting and retention programs within the Maine National Guard.