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EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

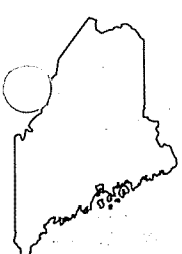
Presented by Representative RICHARDS of Hampden.

Cosponsored by Representative ALLEN of Washington, Representative LEBOWITZ of Bangor and Senator CAHILL of Sagadahoc.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD
NINETEEN HUNDRED AND NINETY

**An Act to Amend the Law Concerning the Use of Replacement Motor
Vehicles.**



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

4 **14 MRSA §1454**, as enacted by PL 1969, c. 263, is amended to read:

6 **§1454. Cost of replacement motor vehicles**

8 In any action where recovery is sought for the destruction
10 or damage of a motor vehicle, the owner of such motor vehicle
shall be entitled to recover reasonable rental costs actually
12 expended for a replacement motor vehicle during such time, ~~not to~~
~~exceed 30 days~~, as the damaged motor vehicle could not be
14 operated or during such time, ~~not to exceed 30 days~~, as is
required to obtain a replacement motor vehicle for the destroyed
motor vehicle.

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18 **STATEMENT OF FACT**

20 Current law limits damages which cover the cost of use of
22 replacement motor vehicles to a 30-day period. This bill removes
the 30-day limitation.