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House of Representatives, December 8, 1989

Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 26.

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

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

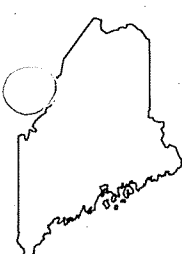
Presented by Representative ANDERSON of Woodland.

Cosponsored by Representative FARREN of Cherryfield and Senator THERIAULT of Aroostook.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD
NINETEEN HUNDRED AND NINETY

**An Act to Give the Department of Conservation an Option on
Abandoned Railroad Lines.**



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

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4 23 MRSA §7105, sub-§3, ¶D is enacted to read:

6 D. If the Department of Transportation decides not to
8 exercise its option to purchase or lease an abandoned
10 railroad line, then the Department of Conservation shall be
12 given an option to lease or purchase the abandoned portion
14 of the line under the same conditions as the Department of
16 Transportation as provided in this section.

14 STATEMENT OF FACT

16 This bill gives the Department of Conservation an option to
18 purchase or lease abandoned railroad lines if the Department of
Transportation does not wish to exercise its option to do so.