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House of Representatives, January 4, 1990

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

Reference to the Committee on Transportation suggested and ordered printed.

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

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

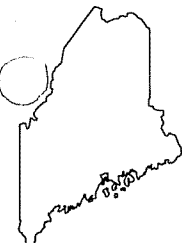
Presented by Representative GWADOSKY of Fairfield.

Cosponsored by Representative TARDY of Palmyra and Representative MILLS of Bethel.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD
NINETEEN HUNDRED AND NINETY

An Act Concerning the Travel Information Advisory Council.



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

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4 Sec 1. 23 MRSA §1904, sub-§3, as amended by PL 1983, c. 812,
§141, is repealed and the following enacted in its place:

6 3. Membership. The Travel Information Advisory Council is
8 composed of 11 members appointed as follows:

10 A. One Senator appointed by the President of the Senate to
a term concurrent with the term to which the member of the
Senate is elected;

12 B. One member of the House of Representatives appointed by
14 the Speaker of the House of Representatives to a term
concurrent with the term to which the member of the House of
16 Representatives is elected;

18 C. One representative of the lodging industry appointed by
the Governor;

20 D. One representative of the restaurant industry appointed
22 by the Governor;

24 E. One representative of the recreation industry appointed
by the Governor;

26 F. One representative of the Keep Maine Scenic Committee
28 appointed by the Governor;

30 G. One representative of agriculture appointed by the
32 Governor;

34 H. One representative of environmental organizations
appointed by the Governor;

36 I. One representative of nonprofit historical and cultural
38 institutions appointed by the Governor;

40 J. One representative of sign designers and fabrication
artisans appointed by the Governor; and

42 K. One representative of the general public appointed by
44 the Governor.

46 Members are appointed to 2-year terms of office. If a vacancy
occurs prior to the expiration of a term, that vacancy must be
filled by the appointing authority as provided in this subsection
48 for the remainder of that term.

2 The council will examine current law and the rules that have
3 been adopted by the Department of Transportation with respect to
4 the erection of signs to direct the traveling public to sites and
5 facilities in Maine. The purpose of the study is to determine
6 whether the policy and rules are in the best interests of Maine
7 citizens, the traveling public and the State. The council will
8 determine whether additional signs are necessary better to direct
9 people to their destinations and the criteria necessary to make
10 decisions regarding additional signs. The council will report
11 its findings along with any necessary implementing legislation to
12 the First Regular Session of the 115th Legislature.