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2	L.D. 338
2	(Filing No. H- 52)
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6	STATE OF MAINE
8	HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 115TH LEGISLATURE
10	FIRST REGULAR SESSION
12 14	COMMITTEE AMENDMENT " ${\cal A}$ " to H.P. 247, L.D. 338, Bill, "An Act to Amend the Laws Pertaining to Car Dealerships"
7.4	Act to Amend the baws restaining to tar bearerships
16	Amend the bill by striking out everything after the enacting clause and before the statement of fact and inserting in its
18	place the following:
20	'29 MRSA $\S2605$, as amended by PL 1989, c. 260, is further amended to read:
22	§2605. Notices
24	32005. MOCICES
26	A repair facility shall post the following notice in a place where it is reasonably likely to be seen by its repair customers. The notice shall must be completed with information on charges
28	and printed so that it is conspicuous and can be read by the average person.
30	WYGG 47 70 0VD 70470 VD 4
32	"NOTICE TO OUR CUSTOMERS
	REQUIRED UNDER STATE LAW
34	Before we begin making repairs, you have a right to put in
36	writing the total amount you agree to pay for repairs. You will not have to pay anything over that amount unless you agree to it
38	when we contact you later.
40	Before you pay your bill, you have a right to inspect any replaced parts. You have a right to take with you any replaced
42	parts, unless we are required to return the parts to our distributor or manufacturer.
44	We cannot install any used or rebuilt parts unless you
46	specifically agree in advance.

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	You cannot be charged any fee for exercising these rights.
2	WE CHARGE \$ PER HOUR FOR LABOR.
	(We round off the time to the nearest .)"
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	The notice shall must also contain the following if it
6	applies:
8	"We may also charge for our repair services either by the
	flat rate or "menu price" method. Ask our service advisor to
10	explain what method will be used in charging you and to show you
	how much it may cost you."
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	The notice must also contain the following:
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	"The current edition of the National Automobile Dealer's
16	Association Official Used Car Guide New England Edition is
	available for your review upon request." '
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	STATEMENT OF FACT
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	The original bill requires that the average price from a
24	used car guide of a national automobile dealers association be
	indicated on a windshield sticker placed on a used car.
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	This amendment deletes the requirement that these prices be
28	shown on a windshield sticker. It requires, instead, that a
	statement indicating that this price guide is available upon
30	request be added to the notice concerning repair policies that
	dealers with a repair facility must post in their repair facility.
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	The original bill requires a written statement from the
34	dealer when a deposit is made on a purchase contract on a used
	car. This amendment deletes that requirement.

Reported by the Majority of the Committee on Business Legislation Reproduced and distributed under the direction of the Clerk of the House 3/26/91 (Filing No. H-52)