

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# 117th MAINE LEGISLATURE

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H.P. 17

House of Representatives, January 12, 1995

**An Act to Increase the Property Tax Exemption for Farm Machinery.**

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Reference to the Committee on Taxation suggested and ordered printed.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Joseph W. Mayo".

JOSEPH W. MAYO, Clerk

Presented by Representative SPEAR of Nobleboro.  
Cosponsored by Representatives: AHEARNE of Madawaska, JONES of Pittsfield,  
KNEELAND of Easton, McALEVEY of Waterboro, RICE of South Bristol, STEDMAN of  
Hartland, Senator: LORD of York.

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

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Sec. 1. 36 MRSA §655, sub-§1, ¶M, as amended by PL 1977, c.  
4 263, is further amended to read:

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M. All farm machinery used exclusively in production of hay  
and field crops to the aggregate actual market value not  
8 exceeding \$10,000 ~~\$50,000~~, excluding motor vehicles. Motor  
vehicle shall-mean means any self-propelled vehicle;

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#### STATEMENT OF FACT

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This bill increases the market value of farm machinery used  
16 exclusively in production of hay and field crops that is exempt  
from personal property tax from \$10,000 to \$50,000.

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