

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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Legislative Document

No. 161

S.P. 51

In Senate, January 14, 1997

An Act to Require that Cargo Being Hauled by Trucks Be Covered.

Reference to the Committee on Transportation suggested and ordered printed.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Joy J. O'Brien".

JOY J. O'BRIEN
Secretary of the Senate

Presented by Senator CAREY of Kennebec. (BY REQUEST).

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

4 **Sec. 1. 29-A MRSA §2085** is enacted to read:

6 **§2085. Gravel cover**

8 An operator of a motor vehicle that is transporting gravel
10 on the highway shall cover the gravel to ensure that all of the
12 gravel remains on the motor vehicle.

14 **SUMMARY**

16 The purpose of this bill is to protect motorists by
requiring operators of gravel trucks to cover the gravel so that
the gravel does not fall from the vehicle during transit.