

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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H.P. 1068

House of Representatives, March 13, 1997

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### An Act to Preserve the Privacy of Commuters.

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Reference to the Committee on Transportation suggested and ordered printed.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Joseph W. Mayo".

JOSEPH W. MAYO, Clerk

Presented by Representative VEDRAL of Buxton.

Cosponsored by Representatives: AHEARNE of Madawaska, BIGL of Bucksport, COWGER of Hallowell, GERRY of Auburn, JONES of Bar Harbor, MERES of Norridgewock, TOBIN of Dexter, Senator: LIBBY of York.

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

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Sec. 1. 23 MRSA §1983 is enacted to read:

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**§1983. Electronic toll collection and information**

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An electronic toll collection system utilized by the authority must be operated in accordance with the following provisions.

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1. Recorded information. An electronic toll collection system operated by the authority may log or record only a turnpike patron's name and address and information relating to the payment of tolls.

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2. Prohibited uses of information. Other than for purposes directly relating to the imposition of tolls a person may not utilize information collected through an electronic toll collection system for the purpose of tracking a person's movement.

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**SUMMARY**

This bill prohibits the use of information collected through an electronic toll collection system on the Maine Turnpike to track a person's movement. It also places limitations on the information that may be recorded on a person's electronic toll system account.

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