

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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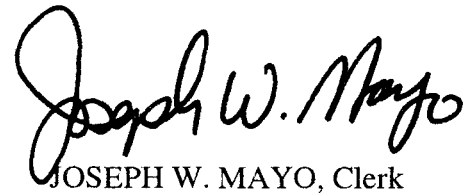
House of Representatives, January 11, 1999

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**An Act to Require Mandatory All-way Stops at Intersections with  
Nonfunctional Electrical Traffic Signals.**

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Reference to the Committee on Transportation suggested and ordered printed.

  
JOSEPH W. MAYO, Clerk

Presented by Representative SHIELDS of Auburn.  
Cosponsored by Representative SAVAGE of Union.

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

4 **Sec. 1. 29-A MRSA §2057, sub-§1, ¶E is enacted to read:**

6 E. If an operator approaches an intersection with a lighted  
8 traffic-control device that is not functioning properly, the  
10 operator shall stop as if the intersection were an all-way  
12 stop, unless otherwise clearly marked.

14 **SUMMARY**

This bill requires drivers to stop at intersections with traffic lights that are broken.