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H.P. 854

House of Representatives, February 11, 1999

No. 1211

An Act to Permit Wine to be Ordered through the Mail.

Reference to the Committee on Legal and Veterans Affairs suggested and ordered printed.

OSEPH W. MAYO, Clerk

Presented by Representative STEVENS of Orono.
Cosponsored by Representative PEAVEY of Woolwich, Senator CATHCART of Penobscot and Representatives: DAVIDSON of Brunswick, MAYO of Bath, WINSOR of Norway, Senators: GOLDTHWAIT of Hancock, HARRIMAN of Cumberland.

Be it	enacted	by	the	Peop	əle	of	the	State	of	Maine	as	follows:
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Sec. 1. 28-A MRSA §2077-B, sub-§1, as enacted by PL 1997, c. 501, §6, is amended to read:

1. Prohibition. A person may not sell, furnish, deliver or purchase liquor from an out-of-state company by mail order. For the purposes of this subsection, "liquor" means spirits, malt liquor or hard-cider, or any substance containing liquor, intended for human consumption, that contains more than 1/2 of 1% of alcohol by volume, but does not include wine.

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SUMMARY

This bill amends the prohibition on the interstate shipping of liquor to allow the interstate shipping of wine.