

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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H.P. 1185

House of Representatives, March 9, 1999

An Act to Provide Immunity to Enhanced 9-1-1 Developers and Providers.

Reference to the Committee on Judiciary suggested and ordered printed.

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

JOSEPH W. MAYO, Clerk

Presented by Representative COLWELL of Gardiner.
Cosponsored by Representative TOBIN of Dexter, Senators: CAREY of Kennebec,
MITCHELL of Penobscot.

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

4 **Sec. 1. 25 MRSA §2930, sub-§3** is enacted to read:

6 **3. Local exchange carrier.** Every local exchange carrier
8 and its employees and agents assisting in the implementation and
10 operation of the statewide E-9-1-1 system, including but not
12 limited to the development and maintenance of the network, the
14 development and maintenance of any databases and the processing
16 of calls are immune from tort liability for property damages,
18 bodily injury or death resulting from acts or omissions occurring
20 in developing, establishing, implementing, maintaining or
operating the E-9-1-1 system.

SUMMARY

18 This bill provides tort liability immunity to local exchange
20 companies and their personnel assisting in developing,
establishing, implementing, maintaining or operating the E-9-1-1
system.