

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# 119th MAINE LEGISLATURE

## FIRST REGULAR SESSION-1999

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No. 2016

S.P. 707

In Senate, March 23, 1999

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### An Act to Provide a Reward for Certain Tax Information.

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Reference to the Committee on Taxation 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 KILKELLY of Lincoln.  
Cosponsored by Representative GAGNON of Waterville and  
Senators: KIEFFER of Aroostook, RUHLIN of Penobscot, Representatives: HONEY of  
Boothbay, MAYO of Bath, TRIPP of Topsham.

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

4 **Sec. 1. 36 MRSA §5323 is enacted to read:**

6 **§5323. Reward for information**

8 A person who provides information to the bureau regarding a  
10 person or entity that did not pay or that underpaid income taxes  
12 for a tax year is entitled to a reward of 25% of the tax actually  
14 collected as a result of that information.

16 **SUMMARY**

18 This bill rewards a person who provides information to the  
Bureau of Revenue Services regarding a person or entity that did  
not pay or that underpaid income taxes for a tax year with 25% of  
the tax actually collected as a result of that information.