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S.P. 942

In Senate, January 12, 2000

An Act to Increase the Penalty for Leaving the Scene of a Motor Vehicle Accident.

Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 203.

Reference to the Committee on Transportation 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 BENNETT of Oxford.
Cosponsored by Senators: DOUGLASS of Androscoggin, KILKELLY of Lincoln,
Representative: SNOWE-MELLO of Poland.

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

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Sec. 1. 29-A MRSA §2252, sub-§4, as enacted by PL 1993, c.
4 683, Pt. A, §2 and affected by Pt. B, §5, is amended to read:

6 **4. Violation.** A person commits a Class D C crime if that
person fails to comply with this section.

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SUMMARY

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This bill increases the classification of the crime of
leaving the scene of a motor vehicle accident involving death or
14 personal injury to a Class C crime from a Class D crime.