

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

The following document is provided by the
LAW AND LEGISLATIVE DIGITAL LIBRARY
at the Maine State Law and Legislative Reference Library
<http://legislature.maine.gov/lawlib>



Reproduced from scanned originals with text recognition applied
(searchable text may contain some errors and/or omissions)



120th MAINE LEGISLATURE

FIRST REGULAR SESSION-2001

Legislative Document

No. 638

H.P. 498

House of Representatives, February 8, 2001

An Act Establishing Children's Identification Cards.

Reference to the Committee on Transportation suggested and ordered printed.

Millicent M. MacFarland

MILLICENT M. MacFARLAND, Clerk

Presented by Representative RICHARDSON of Brunswick.

Cosponsored by Representatives: ASH of Belfast, BAKER of Bangor, CARR of Lincoln, HATCH of Skowhegan, JACOBS of Turner, MAYO of Bath, O'NEIL of Saco, SIMPSON of Auburn.

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

2
4 **Sec. 1. 29-A MRS §1411** is enacted to read:

6 **§1411. Children's identification cards**

8 **1. Application; place.** A person who is a state resident or
10 a nonresident temporarily domiciled in the State with a mailing
12 address in the State who is a parent or legal guardian of a child
14 may apply for an official child identification card on behalf of
16 that child. The application must be on a form provided by the
18 Secretary of State and include any supporting documents,
20 including a birth certificate, and information the Secretary of
22 State by rule requires. Application may be made at any office of
24 the bureau.

26 **2. Issuance of card; contents.** Upon receipt of a completed
28 application and payment of a fee of \$5, the Secretary of State
30 shall issue a child identification card to the applicant. Each
32 child identification card must contain:

34 A. The child's digital image;

36 B. The child's name and address;

38 C. The child's date of birth;

40 D. The child's social security number;

42 E. The date the card is issued and the expiration date; and

44 F. Any other information and identification that the
46 Secretary of State by rule requires.

48 **3. Validity.** A child identification card issued under this
section is not valid until signed by the applicant.

4. Expiration. Each child identification card issued
pursuant to this section expires 2 years from the date of
issuance.

5. Record. The digital image of the child and any
information on the child identification card may be captured,
stored, retrieved, reproduced and distributed by the Secretary of
State. The Secretary of State shall ensure that any electronic
database in which an image or information from a card is stored
securely from unauthorized access.

