

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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No. 414

S.P. 138

In Senate, January 25, 2005

### **An Act To Require a Credit Card To Contain the Photo and Signature of the Cardholder**

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Reference to the Committee on Insurance and Financial Services 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 ANDREWS of York.  
Cosponsored by Representative LEWIN of Eliot and  
Senators: MAYO of Sagadahoc, SNOWE-MELLO of Androscoggin, Representatives: CARR  
of Lincoln, DUPREY of Hampden, MOULTON of York.

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

4 **Sec. 1. 9-A MRSA §8-306** is enacted to read:

6 **§8-306. Required information on credit card**

8 After January 1, 2010, a credit card may not be issued to a  
10 cardholder who resides in this State unless the photograph and  
12 signature of the cardholder are displayed on the card.

14 **SUMMARY**

16 This bill requires that credit cards issued after January 1, 2010 to cardholders who reside in Maine contain the photographs and signatures of the cardholders.