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House of Representatives, January 9, 2007

An Act To Standardize Documentation Requirements for a Driver's License or Nondriver Identification Card

Reference to the Committee on Transportation suggested and ordered printed.

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Clerk

Presented by Representative THOMAS of Ripley.
Cosponsored by Senator PLOWMAN of Penobscot and
Representatives: CEBRA of Naples, JOY of Crystal, LANSLEY of Sabattus, LEWIN of Eliot.

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

2 **Sec. 1. 29-A MRSA §1301, sub-§6**, as repealed and replaced by PL 2005, c. 250,
3 §2, is amended to read:

4 **6. Social security number.** Notwithstanding any other provision of law, the social
5 security number of any applicant for a license or nondriver identification card must be
6 recorded on the application, and the Secretary of State may not issue a license or
7 nondriver identification card to a person who does not possess and provide a valid social
8 security number. The Secretary of State shall collect, store and verify the social security
9 number of an applicant for a license or nondriver identification card and may use that
10 number to establish a permanent license number or nondriver identification number. This
11 subsection does not apply to a person who provides written proof to the Secretary of State
12 that the person is ineligible to receive a social security number and provides written
13 proof, evidence or documentation for each application that the applicant's presence in the
14 United States is authorized under federal law.

15 **SUMMARY**

16 This bill requires an applicant for a driver's license or nondriver identification card to
17 provide the Secretary of State written proof, evidence or documentation that the
18 applicant's presence in the United States is authorized under federal law if the applicant is
19 ineligible to receive a social security number.