

# 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)



# 123rd MAINE LEGISLATURE

## FIRST REGULAR SESSION-2007

---

Legislative Document

No. 180

S.P. 63

In Senate, January 16, 2007

### **An Act To Provide for a Change in Gender Designation on a Driver's License**

---

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 DOW of Lincoln. (BY REQUEST)

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

2 **Sec. 1. 29-A MRSA §1407**, as amended by 1995, c. 645, Pt. B, §15, is further  
3 amended to read:

4 **§1407. Change of location or status**

5 When a person, after applying for or receiving a driver's license or registration,  
6 moves from the address named in the application or on the license or registration issued  
7 or changes name that person shall, within 10 days, notify the Secretary of State, in writing  
8 or by other means approved by the Secretary of State, of the old and new addresses or  
9 former and new names and of the number of the licenses and registrations held. A person  
10 who has reassigned gender shall send the Secretary of State confirmation from a licensed  
11 physician that the person's gender has been reassigned. The Secretary of State shall  
12 adopt major substantive rules pursuant to Title 5, chapter 375, subchapter 2-A to  
13 determine the process for changing a person's gender on the person's driver's license.

14 **SUMMARY**

15 This bill requires a person to notify the Secretary of State with confirmation from a  
16 physician when that person has reassigned gender and directs the Secretary of State to  
17 adopt rules to determine the process for changing a person's reassigned gender on the  
18 person's driver's license.