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An Act To Exempt Emergency Vehicles from Tolls on the Maine Turnpike

Reference to the Committee on Transportation suggested and ordered printed.

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Clerk

Presented by Representative EBERLE of South Portland.
Cosponsored by Senator STRIMLING of Cumberland and
Representatives: BLANCHETTE of Bangor, FISHER of Brewer, FLOOD of Winthrop,
HANLEY of Gardiner, McDONOUGH of Scarborough, STRANG BURGESS of Cumberland,
WAGNER of Lewiston, Senator: HOBBS of York.

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

2 **Sec. 1. 23 MRSA §1984** is enacted to read:

3 **§1984. Emergency services**

4 If a municipality provides emergency services to the authority, then an emergency
5 vehicle of that municipality is exempt from paying tolls on the turnpike regardless of the
6 reason the vehicle is using the turnpike. For purposes of this section, "emergency
7 services" has the same meaning as in Title 30-A, section 451, subsection 5.

8 **SUMMARY**

9 This bill exempts a municipality's emergency vehicles from tolls on the Maine
10 Turnpike if that municipality provides emergency services to the Maine Turnpike
11 Authority.