

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# 127th MAINE LEGISLATURE

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H.P. 252

House of Representatives, February 12, 2015

**An Act To Provide a Tax Reduction for Modifications To Make a  
Home More Accessible for a Person with a Disability**

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Reference to the Committee on Taxation suggested and ordered printed.

  
ROBERT B. HUNT  
Clerk

Presented by Representative VEROW of Brewer.

Cosponsored by Representative: STANLEY of Medway, Senator: GRATWICK of Penobscot.

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

2 **CONCEPT DRAFT**

3 **SUMMARY**

4 This bill is a concept draft pursuant to Joint Rule 208.

5 This bill proposes to provide a means to offset the costs incurred by a person with a  
6 disability who modifies a residence, such as by installing ramps or stairlifts, widening  
7 entryways or remodeling, to make it more accessible for that person. The offset could be  
8 in the form of an income tax credit or an exemption from property taxes.