

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# 128th MAINE LEGISLATURE

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H.P. 226

House of Representatives, January 31, 2017

### **An Act To Require Horse-drawn Carriages and Wagons To Be Equipped with Reflectors**

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Reference to the Committee on Transportation suggested and ordered printed.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "R B. Hunt".

ROBERT B. HUNT  
Clerk

Presented by Representative STANLEY of Medway.  
Cosponsored by Senator CARPENTER of Aroostook and  
Representatives: COLLINGS of Portland, HANINGTON of Lincoln, HARLOW of Portland,  
JOHANSEN of Monticello, SHERMAN of Hodgdon, TURNER of Burlington.

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

2 **Sec. 1. 29-A MRSA §1907**, as enacted by PL 1993, c. 683, Pt. A, §2 and affected  
3 by Pt. B, §5, is amended by adding at the end a new paragraph to read:

4 A vehicle propelled or drawn by a horse during nighttime must be equipped with a  
5 reflector that is a 12-inch-high orange triangle with a 1 3/4-inch red border. The reflector  
6 must be displayed 2 to 6 feet off the ground and must cover an area of at least 72 square  
7 inches.

8 **SUMMARY**

9 This bill requires vehicles propelled or drawn by a horse and operated at night to have  
10 a rear reflector of a specific size and color.