

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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**EIGHTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE**

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**H. P. No. 494**

**H. D. No. 99**

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House of Representatives, Feb. 11, 1925

Referred to Committee on Judiciary and 500 copies ordered printed. Sent up for concurrence.

CLYDE R. CHAPMAN, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Dwinall of Camden.

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**STATE OF MAINE**

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IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE  
HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FIVE

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AN ACT Relating to Operation of Motor Vehicles While  
Under the Influence of Intoxicating Liquor or Drugs.

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

Section seventy-four of chapter two hundred and eleven  
2 of the public laws of nineteen hundred twenty-one is hereby  
3 amended by striking out after the word "vehicle" in the  
4 second line thereof the following: "when intoxicated or at  
5 all under the influence of intoxicating liquor or drugs,"  
6 and inserting in place thereof the following: 'upon or along  
7 any way, or in any other place where the life or safety of  
8 any other person is endangered, when intoxicated or at all  
9 under the influence of intoxicating liquor or drugs'; so that  
10 as amended said section shall read:

‘Sect. 74. No person shall operate or attempt to operate  
2 a motor vehicle upon or along any way, or in any other  
3 place where the life or safety of any other person is en-  
4 dangered, when intoxicated or at all under the influence  
5 of intoxicating liquor or drugs. Whoever violates the fore-  
6 going provision shall be punished upon conviction by a fine  
7 of not less than one hundred dollars nor more than one  
8 thousand dollars or by imprisonment for not less than thirty  
9 days nor more than one year, or by both fine and imprison-  
10 ment. The license of any person convicted of violating the  
11 provisions of this section shall be immediately revoked by  
12 the commission upon receipt of an attested copy of the  
13 court records, without further hearing. Any person con-  
14 victed of a second or subsequent offense shall be punished  
15 by imprisonment for not less than three months nor more  
16 than one year and his license to operate shall be revoked  
17 by the commission. A copy of sections seventy-two, sev-  
18 enty-three and seventy-four shall be printed on every oper-  
19 ator’s license.’