

EIGHTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

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H. P. 702 House of Representatives, Jan. 29, 1931. Referred to Committee on Judiciary and 500 copies ordered printed. Sent up for concurrence.

CLYDE R. CHAPMAN, Clerk. Presented by Mr. Ellis of Rangeley.

STATE OF MAINE

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

AN ACT to Amend Section Sixty of Chapter Twenty-nine of the Revised Statutes Relating to Dealer's Registration Under the Motor Vehicle Law.

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

Section sixty of chapter twenty-nine of the revised statutes is hereby amended by striking out the words "under oath" after the word "application" in the third line of said section, so that said section, as amended, shall read as follows:

'Sect. 60. Dealer's registration; fee for plates; vehicles under dealer's registration not to be operated for hire; limitation of use of commercial vehicle so registered. 1921, c. 211; S. 53. Every manufacturer or dealer in motor vehicles or trailers, may, instead of registering each vehicle owned or controlled by him, make application upon a blank provided by the secretary of state for a general distinguishing number, color, or mark. The secretary of state may, if satisfied with the facts stated in the application, grant the application and issue to the applicant a certificate of registration, containing the name, place of residence, and address of the applicant, and the general distinguishing number, color, or mark assigned to him and made in such form as the secretary of state may determine; and all vehicles owned or controlled by such manufacturer or dealer shall be regarded as registered under such

general distinguishing number, color, or mark until sold, exchanged, or operated for hire. The annual fee for every such certificate of registration shall be thirty dollars. The secretary of state shall furnish the manufacturer or dealer with three pairs of registration number plates free of cost; and there may be issued to any such applicant two similar pairs of plates, in addition to the three pairs so issued, upon payment of ten dollars for each such additional pair; and upon payment of five dollars per pair, additional plates shall be furnished. Extra registration plates shall be furnished to replace lost or mutilated plates for seventy-five cents each. Single plates shall be furnished for trailers. On applications for registration, or for additional plates applied for by said manufacturers or dealers during the period between the first day of October and the thirty-first day of December in any year, one-half of the registration fee shall be charged. No motor truck, tractor, or trailer registered under this section shall be used for other than demonstration or emergency purposes.'