

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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EIGHTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 230

H. P. 703 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. Patterson of Freeport.

STATE OF MAINE

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

AN ACT to Extend the Time for the Display and Use of Motor
Vehicle License Tags.

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

R. S. c. 29, sec. 55. Relating to display of registration number plates. Paragraph two of section fifty-five of chapter twenty-nine of the revised statutes is hereby amended by striking out in the fourth line the period after the word "year" and inserting in lieu thereof a semi-colon and adding after said semi-colon the words 'provided further, that motor vehicle registrations and license tags issued thereon in any calendar year shall be valid for use and display until March first of the next calendar year,' so that said paragraph, as amended, shall read as follows:

'Display of registration number plates. Number plates so furnished shall be valid only for the calendar year for which they are issued, except that on and after December twenty-fifth of such calendar year, it shall be lawful to use and display on motor vehicles, the number plates issued for the next succeeding year; provided further, that motor vehicle registrations and license tags issued thereon in any calendar year shall be valid for use and display until March first of the next calendar year. Each number plate displayed shall be hor-

izontal and shall be so fastened as not to swing, and its lower edges shall be at least twelve inches from the ground. Not more than one set of number plates shall be displayed upon any vehicle, except as may be otherwise permitted by this chapter.'