

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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EIGHTY - SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 262

S. P. 298

In Senate, January 31, 1935.

Referred to Committee on Legal Affairs, sent down for concurrence and 500 copies ordered printed.

ROYDEN V. BROWN, Secretary.

Presented by Senator Friend of Somerset.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
THIRTY-FIVE

AN ACT Relating to Definition of Bona Fide Dealers in Motor Vehicles.

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

R. S., c. 29, § 62, amended. Section 62 of chapter 29 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows :

'Sec. 62. Dealers' registration fee to be paid before December 31st of preceding year; proviso; "dealer" defined. Every manufacturer or dealer in motor vehicles shall pay to the secretary of state the required registration fee for the succeeding year on or before the 31st day of December annually; provided, that any manufacturer or dealer commencing business after the 1st day of January of any year shall pay the fee at the time of commencing business. The word "dealer" as used in this chapter shall mean any person, firm or corporation which is actively engaged in the business of buying, selling, or exchanging motor vehicles and having an established place of business for such purpose, or which has a bona fide contract for buying, selling or exchanging motor vehicles with any wholesale dealer in or manufacturer of motor vehicles.

The secretary of state may, subject to the approval of the governor and council, from time to time promulgate certain rules and regulations for the purpose of defining a bona fide dealer and governing the use of dealers' plates.'