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S. P. 223

In Senate, February 2, 1939.

Referred to Committee on Motor Vehicles. Sent down for concurrence and 500 copies ordered printed.

ROYDEN V. BROWN, Secretary.

Presented by Senator Beckett of Washington.

S T A T E O F M A I N E

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
THIRTY-NINE

AN ACT Relating to Registration of Motor Vehicles.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 29, § 12, amended. Section 12 of chapter 29 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 12. Vehicles approaching stationary street car or school bus from rear. An operator of a vehicle shall bring it to a full stop not less than 5 to feet from the rear of any street car or school bus headed in the same direction which has stopped for the purpose of taking on or discharging passengers, or pupils, and shall remain stationary until such car or school bus has taken on or discharged its passengers, or pupils; provided, however that such operator may pass such car or school bus where a safety zone is established or where he may pass such car at a distance of at least 8 feet from the running board or lowest step thereof; and provided, further, that he shall slow down and proceed cautiously. He may also pass to the left of such car when there is a clear view and a clear way for at least 100 feet in advance of such car on its left; provided he shall slow down and proceed cautiously.'

Sec. 2. R. S., c. 29, §§ 17 and 18, repealed. Sections 17 and 18 of chapter 29 of the revised statutes are hereby repealed.