

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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**Legislative Document**

**No. 224**

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S. P. 155.

In Senate, January 29, 1941.

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

ROYDEN V. BROWN, Secretary.

Presented by Senator Farris of Kennebec.

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STATE OF MAINE

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IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
FORTY-ONE

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**AN ACT Relating to Reserved Number Plates.**

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

**R. S., c. 29, c. 102, amended.** Section 102 of chapter 29 of the revised statutes, as amended by chapter 79 of the public laws of 1931, and chapter 212 of the public laws of 1939, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

**'Sec. 102. Number plates 2 to 7000 reserved.** Whenever the owner has once registered a motor vehicle, under the provisions of this chapter, the secretary of state shall, at the request of such owner, allow him to keep and use the same number plates for the entire calendar year for which the plates were issued, provided he complies with the other provisions of the motor vehicle law. The secretary of state shall reserve until December 1 of each year the same registration number for the succeeding year for persons having registration numbers 2 to 7000 for pleasure vehicles, and numbers 1 to 500 for commercial vehicles, if such person shall, previous to the 1st day of December of the current year, pay for the registration of his vehicle for the succeeding year plus a fee of \$1, and otherwise comply with the provisions of the motor vehicle law. Application for plates and numbers as herein provided shall be made on application cards provided by the secre-

tary of state bearing the number for which reservation is made. The secretary of state may reserve additional registration numbers, for pleasure vehicles, for the succeeding year provided, however, that any person desiring such reservation shall make a special request for the same previous to the 1st day of December of the current year and pay the registration of his vehicle for the succeeding year plus a fee of \$1 and otherwise comply with the provisions of the motor vehicle law at the time of such request. The secretary of state shall not reserve any registration number other than is provided herein and all other registration plates or numbers shall be issued in rotation.

The amount received from the fee charged for reserved numbers shall go into the general **highway** fund of the state.'