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HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Fowler of Augusta.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED FORTY-SEVEN

AN ACT Relating to the Use of Light for Motor Vehicles.

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

R. S., c. 33, § 68, additional. Section 68 of chapter 33 of the revised statutes, as revised, is hereby amended by adding thereto a new paragraph to read as follows:

'No person shall use on or in, or in connection with any motor vehicle a spotlight, flashlight, or any other artificial light, the rays from which shine more than 2 feet above the road, at a distance of 30 feet from the vehicle, except that such lights may be used for the purpose of reading signs and as auxiliary lights in cases when the other motor vehicle lights required by law, fail to operate. Any person convicted of violation of the provisions of this section shall be punished by a fine of \$100 and costs, which fine and costs shall not be suspended.'