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H. P. 1364

House of Representatives, February 18, 1947.

Reported by Mr. Berryman from Committee on Motor Vehicles and laid on table to be printed under joint rules.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
FORTY-SEVEN

AN ACT Relating to the Use of Lights in the Operation of Motor Vehicles.

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

R. S., c. 19, § 112-A, additional. Chapter 19 of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section, to be numbered 112-A, to read as follows:

'Sec. 112-A. Headlights to be dimmed or operated on low beam when approaching oncoming vehicles. Whenever the driver of a vehicle equipped with multiple-beam road lighting equipment, during the times when lighted lamps are required, approaches an oncoming vehicle within 500 feet, such drivers shall dim the headlights or switch to a low beam so that the glaring rays are not projected into the eyes of the driver of the oncoming vehicle.'