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House of Representatives, February 3, 1953

Referred to the Committee on Transportation, sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Curtis of Bowdoinham

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
FIFTY-THREE

AN ACT Relating to Permits for Moving Heavy Objects Over Highways.

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

R. S., c. 19, § 89, amended. The 1st paragraph of section 89 of chapter 19 of the revised statutes, as repealed and replaced by section 5 of chapter 348 of the public laws of 1947, is hereby amended to read as follows :

'Jurisdiction is vested in the state highway commission to grant emergency permits upon proper application in writing to move objects having a length or width or height or weight greater than specified in this chapter over any way or bridge upon which the money of the state has been expended or over which said commission has assumed control ; and like permits may be granted by county commissioners, municipal officers, superintendents of streets or other road officials having charge of the repair and maintenance of any other way or bridge. The fee for such permits shall be not less than \$2, nor more than \$10, to be determined, on the basis of weight, height, length and width, by the state highway commission. **All vehicles granted emergency permits under this section, because object to be moved being over legal maximum weight, must first be registered or hold a short-term permit for the maximum legal gross weight allowed such vehicle.'**