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House of Representatives, February 25, 1953

Referred to the Committee on Business Legislation. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Martin of Augusta.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
FIFTY-THREE

AN ACT Relating to Deception as to Prices of Engine Fuel or Lubricating Oils.

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

R. S., c. 88, § 168, amended. Section 168 of chapter 88 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 168. Deception; adulteration or misbranding. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation within this state to store, sell, distribute, transport, expose for sale or offer for sale, distribution or transportation any internal combustion engine fuels, lubricating oils or other similar products in any manner whatsoever so as to deceive or tend to deceive the purchaser as to the nature, quality, **price**, and identity of the product so sold or offered for sale or which is adulterated or misbranded within the meaning of sections 168 to 175, inclusive. **Any sign used in advertising the price of said products shall contain the state and federal taxes thereon in letters or figures of equal size, shall not exceed 5 square feet in area and shall be situated within 12 feet of the dispenser of the products so advertised.'**