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S. P. 58

In Senate, January 19, 1955.

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary, sent down for concurrence and ordered printed.

CHESTER T. WINSLOW, Secretary

Presented by Senator Boucher of Androscoggin.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
FIFTY-FIVE

**AN ACT Relating to Financial Responsibility in Motor Vehicle Accidents
Resulting in Death.**

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 22, § 77, sub-§ II, ¶ A, repealed. Paragraph A of subsection II of section 77 of chapter 22 of the revised statutes is hereby repealed.

Sec. 2. R. S., c. 22, § 77, sub-§ II, ¶ B, amended. Paragraph B of subsection II of section 77 of chapter 22 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows :

'B. Upon receipt by him of the report of an accident other than as provided for in ~~paragraph A and paragraph C~~ of this subsection, which has resulted in **death**, bodily injury or property damage to an apparent extent of \$100 or more, the secretary shall, 30 days following the date of request for compliance with the 2 following requirements, suspend the license or revoke the right to operate of any person operating, and the registration certificates and registration plates of any person owning a motor vehicle, trailer or semi-trailer in any manner involved in such accident, unless such operator or owner or both :

Sec. 3. R. S., c. 22, § 77, sub-§ II, ¶ B, sub-¶ 2, amended. Subparagraph 2 of paragraph B of subsection II of section 77 of chapter 22 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows :

'2. shall immediately give and thereafter maintain proof of financial responsibility ~~as heretofore provided for 3 years next following the date of filing the proof as provided under the provisions of subsection II of section 81.~~