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In Senate, March 2, 1955 Referred to Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs. Sent down

for concurrence and ordered printed. CHESTER T. WINSLOW, Secretary. Presented by Senator Martin of Kennebec.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED FIFTY-FIVE

AN ACT Relating to Automobile Travel by State Employees.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 16, § 31, amended. Section 31 of chapter 16 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 31. Payment per mile for use of privately owned automobiles, regulated. The State shall pay for the use of privately owned automobiles for travel by employees of the State in the business of the State not more than 70 8c per mile for the first 5,000 8,000 miles actually travelled by such employees on such business in any 1 fiscal year, and 6c for each mile exceeding 5,060 8,000 miles; provided, however, that the State shall pay inspectors of seed potatoes 8c for every mile so travelled. Provided, however, that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Council, may suspend the operation of this section and require State officials and employees to travel in automobiles owned or controlled by the State, if such automobiles be available.'