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In Senate, January 17, 1957.

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

CHESTER T. WINSLOW, Secretary

Presented by Senator Cole of Waldo.

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STATE OF MAINE

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IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
FIFTY-SEVEN

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**AN ACT Relating to Minimum Speed of Motor Vehicles.**

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

**R. S., c. 22, § 112, repealed and replaced.** Section 112 of chapter 22 of the Revised Statutes is hereby repealed and the following enacted in place thereof:

**'Sec. 112. Minimum speed regulation. No person shall drive a motor vehicle at such a slow speed as to impede the normal and reasonable movement of traffic except when reduced speed is necessary for safe operation or in compliance with law.'**

Whenever the State Highway Commission or municipal officers in their respective jurisdictions determine on the basis of an engineering and traffic investigation that slow speeds on any part of a highway consistently impede the normal and reasonable movement of traffic, the Commission or such municipal officers may determine and declare a minimum speed limit below which no person shall drive a vehicle except when necessary for safe operation or in compliance with law.'