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House of Representatives, March 3, 1959

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

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Mayo of Bath.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
FIFTY-NINE

AN ACT Relating to Display of Lights on Motor Vehicles.

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

R. S., c. 22, § 136, amended. Section 136 of chapter 22 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 136. Display of lights. Every vehicle, whether stationary or in motion, on any way or bridge shall have attached to it a light or lights so displayed as to be visible from the front and rear thereof during the period from $\frac{1}{2}$ hour after sunset to $\frac{1}{2}$ hour before sunrise; ~~provided however, that this, and at any other time when, due to insufficient light or unfavorable atmospheric conditions, persons and vehicles on the highway are not clearly discernible at a distance of 500 feet ahead.~~ This section shall not apply to any vehicle which is designed to be propelled by hand, nor to any vehicle not in motion and parked or beside a curb in a place and under conditions where there is sufficient artificial light to make such vehicle clearly visible from a distance not less than 100 feet in each direction.'