

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES
AS PASSED BY THE
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Legislatures
OF THE
STATE OF MAINE
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STATE OF MAINE

As Passed by the Ninety-first Legislature

1943

Chapter 106

AN ACT Permitting Short Period Registration of Trucks.

Emergency preamble. Whereas, because of the war emergency all transportation, especially that by trucks, is seriously hampered, and

Whereas, the transportation of fertilizer is essential to the production of crops, and, it is essential that the fertilizer be available by April or May, and

Whereas, the passage of this act will permit the transportation of fertilizer to farmers in time to materially assist in the production of food for the war, and

Whereas, in the judgment of the legislature these facts create an emergency within the meaning of section 16 of Article XXXI of the constitution and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now therefore,

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

R. S., c. 29, § 57, amended. Section 57 of chapter 29 of the revised statutes, as amended, is hereby further amended by adding at the end thereof a new paragraph to read as follows:

'Provided, further, that when a truck is already registered, the owner, by paying an additional fee may receive a short term permit allowing him to haul loads of larger tonnage for a limited period of less than 1 year. No such permit shall be issued for less than 1 month and no permit shall extend beyond the expiration of the regular license. The fee shall be a percentage of the difference between the owner's present registration fee and the annual fee for the desired tonnage and shall be computed according to the following table:

1-month permit	20%
2-month permit	30%
3-month permit	40%
4-month permit	50%
5-month permit	60%
6-month permit	70%
7-month permit	75%
8-month permit	80%
9-month permit	85%
10-month permit	90%
11-month permit	95%.'

Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this act shall take effect when approved.

Effective March 17, 1943