

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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**LAWS**  
OF THE  
**STATE OF MAINE**

AS PASSED BY THE  
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Augusta, Maine  
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## CHAPTER 26

H.P. 585 - L.D. 666

AN ACT to Establish Directional Signs on the Maine Turnpike, one at Exit 7 for the Southern Maine Vocational-Technical Institute, and another at Exit 4 for the University of New England.

Emergency preamble. Whereas, Acts of the Legislature do not become effective until 90 days after adjournment unless enacted as emergencies; and

Whereas, schools depend heavily on spring recruitment efforts to attract students; and

Whereas, students and parents will find it much easier to locate the schools requesting signs on the Maine Turnpike; and

Whereas, the schools contribute significantly to the economic vitality of Southern Maine; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts create an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution of Maine 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:

23 MRSA §1201, sub-§§35 and 36 are enacted to read:

35. Southern Maine Vocational-Technical Institute. A sign shall be provided by the Southern Maine Vocational-Technical Institute and installed and maintained by the Maine Turnpike Authority at Exit 7 which will conform with standards established by the Maine Turnpike Authority and shall read as follows:

EXIT FOR:

SOUTHERN MAINE VOCATIONAL-TECHNICAL INSTITUTE

36. The University of New England. A sign shall be provided by the University of New England and installed and maintained by the Maine Turnpike Authority at Exit 4 which will conform with standards

established by the Maine Turnpike Authority and shall read as follows:

EXIT FOR:

UNIVERSITY OF NEW ENGLAND

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

Effective March 3, 1983.

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## CHAPTER 27

H.P. 586 - L.D. 667

AN ACT Pertaining to Inspection of  
Fire Trucks.

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

29 MRSA §2506-A is enacted to read:

§2506-A. Inspection of fire trucks

Fire trucks subject to this chapter shall either be driven to an official inspection station or the fire chief or the elected municipal officials of a municipality without a fire chief may contract with any licensed inspection station for the services of a licensed inspection mechanic to perform an inspection at the location where the fire trucks are customarily kept.

Effective September 23, 1983.

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## CHAPTER 28

H.P. 587 - L.D. 668

AN ACT Regarding Passengers on Motorcycles.

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

29 MRSA §960, as amended by PL 1971, c. 360, §31, is repealed and the following enacted in its place: