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**History and Final Disposition**

LD 95 / HP0091

An Act to Prohibit the Use of Handheld Devices While Operating a Motor Vehicle. Presented by Representative BROOKS of Winterport. Referred to Joint Standing Committee on Transportation. Public Hearing 02/12/01. Final Disposition: Ought Not to Pass Pursuant to Joint Rule 310 03/05/01.

**Original Bill**

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**Analyst's Summary of Bill**

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**Committee Materials**

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Car-phone bill targets mobile conversations (Remal, Gary J.) (Morning Sentinel, 1/13/2001)

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