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An Act To Create Fairness in the Motor Vehicle Excise Tax by Implementing the Recommendations of the Secretary of State's Task Force on Registration Fees. Presented by Representative PENDLETON of Scarborough. Referred to Joint Standing Committee on Taxation. Public Hearing 03/13/07. Final Disposition: Ought Not to Pass Pursuant to Joint Rule 310 05/03/07.

Original Bill

[LD 558 \(123rd Legis. 2007\)](#)

Analyst's Summary of Bill

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Committee Materials

Joint Standing Committee on Taxation

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Floor Proceedings and Debate

[HOUSE, February 6, 2007 \(H104-111\)](#)

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[SENATE, February 8, 2007 \(S135-151\)](#)

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[HOUSE, May 3, 2007 \(H445-455\)](#)

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News Articles

Effort revs up to fix an 'unfair' tax (Carrier, Paul) (Portland Press Herald, 3/6/2007) •

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Excise tax annoying, but not the worst of it (Portland Press Herald, 3/9/2007) • (Available on request—please include the following citation: 123/LD05xx/nc123-ld-0558/SB1231207.pdf)

Car tax (Bangor Daily News, 3/12/2007) • (Available on request—please include the following citation: 123/LD05xx/nc123-ld-0558/SB1231218.pdf)

Tax policy, like vehicles, loses value with age (Sun-Journal (Lewiston), 3/13/2007) •
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