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LD 68 / HP0071

An Act To Prohibit the Use of a Handheld Mobile Telephone while Operating a Motor Vehicle. Presented by Representative BEAUDOIN of Biddeford. Referred to Joint Standing Committee on Transportation. Public Hearing 02/13/13. Final Disposition: Accepted Majority (ONTP) Report 04/10/13.

Original Bill

[LD 68 \(126th Legis. 2013\)](#)

Analyst's Summary of Bill

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Committee Materials

Joint Standing Committee on Transportation

- (Available on request—please include the following citation: cf126-LD-0068.pdf)

New Drafts and Amendments

[Amendment CA \(H-19\) \(LD 68 2013\) \(Minority\)](#)

Floor Proceedings and Debate

[HOUSE, January 22, 2013 \(H35-38\)](#)

- p. H-36

[SENATE, January 24, 2013 \(S42-50\)](#)

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[HOUSE, April 2, 2013 \(H253-273\)](#)

- p. H-263 (Amendment(s) H-19)

[HOUSE, April 9, 2013 \(H290-307\)](#)

- p. H-299 (Remarks) (Roll Call(s) (p 301)) (Amendment(s) H-19)

[SENATE, April 10, 2013 \(S422-446\)](#)

- p. S-430 (Amendment(s) H-19)

[SENATE, April 10, 2013 \(S422-446\)](#)

- p. S-439 (Roll Call(s)) (Amendment(s) H-19)

News Articles

Bill would ban driving with hand-held cells (Shepherd, Michael) (Kennebec Journal, 2/14/2013, p. A1, A6) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 126/LD00xx/nc126-ld-0068/K1302067.pdf)

Bills to ban driving with hand-held cellphones, motorcyclists without helmets fail in committee (Cousins, Christopher) (Bangor Daily News, 2/20/2013, p. B1) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 126/LD00xx/nc126-ld-0068/B1302096.pdf)

Committee pulls plug on proposal to ban handheld cellphone use while driving (Shepherd, Michael) (Kennebec Journal, 2/20/2013, p. B1, B5) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 126/LD00xx/nc126-ld-0068/K1302061.pdf)

Ban on hand-held cellphones not likely to make drivers safer (Bangor Daily News, 2/21/2013, p. A6) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 126/LD00xx/nc126-ld-0068/B1302128.pdf)

Maine House rejects bill to ban cellphone use while driving (Shepherd, Michael) (Kennebec Journal, 4/10/2013, p. B3) ● (Available on request—please include the following citation: 126/LD00xx/nc126-ld-0068/K1304020.pdf)

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