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LD 557

Transportation

“An Act to Allow All-Terrain Vehicles to be Used on the Highway”

PRESENTED BY

Senator Marianne Moore R – Washington, and 3 –
Republicans

April 10, 2025

TESTIMONY BY

Steven Christopher Sheppard

**(USN VETERAN/“WRITE-IN” REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE FOR GOVERNOR OF
MAINE)**

RULE

THE CARS, TRUCKS AND OTHER TYPES OF MOVING INDUSTRIAL VEHICLES ON THE HIGHWAYS AND THE ROADS IN MAINE NEED TO SLOW DOWN AND WATCH FOR MOTORCYCLES MORE IN THE FUTURE. ATVs, FOUR WHEELERS, QUADS, SIDE BY SIDES AND MORE COULD BE SAFE ON THE ROADS WHEN THEY ARE LEGAL.

I BELIEVE THE ATV :: ALL TERRAIN VEHICLES ARE GOOD EQUIPMENT, FUN BUT DANGEROUS. THE ATV OFFROAD EQUIPMENT CAN BE CONTROLLED EASILY ON THE ROADS IN MAINE WHEN RESPONSIBLE DRIVERS ARE **LICENSED** IN MAINE ONLY.

MAINE JUST NEEDS TO LICENSE DRIVERS WITH AN ATV/DIRT BIKE/QUAD/SIDE BY SIDE **TEST** THAT IS SIMPLE YET ACCURATE INFORMATION NEEDED TO DRIVE ON THE ROADS OF MAINE PROPERLY OPERATING AN **ATV** OF ANY KIND OR MODEL.

10) THE ROADS AND THE HIGHWAYS NEED TO BEWARE! **WHEN AN ACCIDENT OCCURS-** THE INSURANCES NEED TO BE TRADED IMMEDIATELY.

11) THE **ATV** OWNER NEEDS THE RIGHT INSURANCES FOR THE EQUIPMENT IN ORDER TO BE LICENSED.

12) PENALTIES FOR VIOLATORS WILL NEED TO BE PUBLISHED IN THE FUTURE.

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I don't mind slowing down four ATVs when I'm driving; I always like to be warned with a sign especially.

If this ACT proceeds, the law would be interesting for people In Maine.

ATV drivers need insurance 1st and licenses 2nd. Insurance! License! Ride! Just like everybody else on the road; logical to me.

Horse riders/Equestrians need to be licensed for the roads also.

To get a license for an ATV or a horse should be of a written test especially. When the time comes for Maine to be more responsible on the roads.

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