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## **An Act To Regulate the Use of Traffic Surveillance Cameras**

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

**Sec. 1. 29-A MRS §2117, first ¶**, as enacted by PL 2009, c. 223, §1, is amended to read:

The State or a municipality may not use a traffic surveillance camera to prove or enforce a violation of this Title or to collect data that could be used to uniquely identify a vehicle or individual. For purposes of this section, "traffic surveillance camera" means either an automated license plate recognition system or a device that, in conjunction with a lighted traffic-control device or a lane direction control device, as described in section 2057, subsections 1 and 3, or a speed measurement device as described in section 2075, subsection 4, automatically produces one or more photographs, one or more microphotographs, a videotape or any other recorded image of a vehicle at the time the vehicle is operated in violation of state law.

### **SUMMARY**

This bill prohibits the use of traffic surveillance cameras to collect data that could be used to uniquely identify a vehicle or individual and adds automated license plate recognition systems to the list of regulated surveillance technology.