

## STATE OF MAINE

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IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD  
TWO THOUSAND AND THIRTEEN

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H.P. 303 - L.D. 453

**An Act To Prohibit the Sale of Gasoline That Contains Corn-based Ethanol  
as an Additive at a Level Greater than 10 Percent by Volume**

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

Sec. 1. 38 MRSA §585-M is enacted to read:

**§585-M. Prohibition on sale of gasoline containing corn-based ethanol**

**1. Prohibition on sale.** A person may not sell or offer for sale gasoline that contains corn-based ethanol as an additive at a level greater than 10% by volume.

**2. Effective date.** This section does not take effect until at least 2 of the 6 New England states in addition to this State have enacted laws that prohibit the sale of gasoline that contains corn-based ethanol as an additive at a level greater than 10% by volume. The commissioner shall notify the Secretary of State, the Secretary of the Senate, the Clerk of the House of Representatives and the Revisor of Statutes when at least 2 New England states in addition to this State have enacted laws that prohibit the sale of gasoline that contains corn-based ethanol at a level greater than 10% by volume. In no event may this section take effect until 90 days after adjournment of the First Regular Session of the 126th Legislature.