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**An Act To Protect the Public Health and the Environment by
Prohibiting the Sale of Wheel Weights Containing Lead or Mercury**

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

Sec. 1. 38 MRSA §1606-A is enacted to read:

§ 1606-A. Wheel weights

Beginning January 1, 2010, a person may not sell or offer to sell or distribute weights or other products for balancing motor vehicle wheels if the weight or product contains lead or mercury that was intentionally added during the manufacture of the product.

SUMMARY

This bill prohibits the sale of wheel weights that are made with lead or mercury.