



## **Automotive Right to Repair Working Group Notice of Hearing**

The Automotive Right to Repair Working Group (the “Working Group”) will hold a hearing at 2:00 p.m. on October 16, 2024 in Room 209 of the Cross Office Building at 111 Sewall Street, Augusta, Maine, 04333. Persons who wish to provide testimony to the Working Group may do so in person or via Zoom through the following link: <https://mainestate.zoom.us/j/84560977012>

Pursuant to 2023 Resolves Chapter 171, the Attorney General is convening the Working Group to develop recommendations for legislation to establish an entity with rule-making and enforcement authority to adopt standards governing access to motor vehicle telematics systems and to otherwise implement and enforce the requirements of the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 29-A, section 1810. The Working Group will develop recommendations for legislation to establish an entity to ensure cyber-secure access to motor vehicle-generated data to owners and owner authorized independent repair facilities for maintenance, diagnostic and repair purposes.

The recommendations developed by the Working Group will address the entity’s ability to:

- A. Identify and adopt relevant standards for implementing the requirements of Title 29-A, section 1810, including standards relating to access to vehicle telematics systems;
- B. Monitor motor vehicle manufacturer compliance with standards adopted by the entity;
- C. Develop and monitor policies for the evolving use and availability of data generated by the operations of motor vehicles;
- D. Create policies for compliance with relevant laws, regulations, standards, technologies and best practices related to motor vehicle data, with consideration given to privacy and cybersecurity concerns; and
- E. Adopt rules necessary for implementation and enforcement of Title 29-A, section 1810 and to enforce the requirements of that law consistent with those rules.

The hearing on October 16, 2024 is limited to testimony addressing the entity’s ability to carry out the functions set forth above, including the formation, structure, duties, powers, enforcement and rulemaking authority, funding, and staffing of the entity. Each person presenting testimony will be limited to 5 minutes.