

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

Eighty-eighth and Eighty-ninth
Legislatures

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

From April 24, 1937 to April 21, 1939

AND

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PUBLIC LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

As Passed by the Eighty-ninth Legislature

1939

CHAP. 142

'Sec. 251. Committee may adopt person into tribe. The tribal committee at any regularly held meeting may, by $\frac{3}{4}$ vote of its total membership, adopt into said tribe any person who is in whole or ~~in part~~ ~~of~~ to the extent of at least $\frac{1}{4}$ part Indian blood, and who is the husband, wife or child of a member of said tribe, and who has had his or her residence for at least 1 year next preceding such adoption upon any reservation of said tribe; ~~and~~ but the decision of said committee upon such residence and Indian descent and such adoption shall be not be ~~conclusive~~ effective, until the same has been ratified and approved in writing by the Indian Agent. The adoption of a child by any member of the tribe under ordinary legal process shall not of itself constitute such child a member of said tribe; but the power of adoption into the tribe shall in all cases rest with the aforesaid tribal committee.'

Approved March 30, 1939.

Chapter 142

AN ACT Relating to Licenses for Dispensing Victuals.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 36, § 4, amended. Section 4 of chapter 36 of the revised statutes is hereby repealed and the following enacted in place thereof:

'Sec. 4. License fee and record. Every person licensed shall pay to the treasurer for the use of the town a fee of \$1, and such additional amount as the town may by ordinance or by-law prescribe. Such ordinance or by-law may, for the purpose of fixing such fees, establish classifications of victualers according to the size, nature or other condition of business conducted and may prescribe for each of such classifications an appropriate fee which shall not in any case exceed the sum of \$10 in towns of less than 10,000 population or the sum of \$20 in towns over 10,000 in population, excepting any town wherein a larger fee is now permitted by law.'

Sec. 2. Interpretation. Nothing contained in the foregoing section shall be deemed to increase or otherwise affect the existing requirements for obtaining any such license except with relation to the amount of the fee which may be required therefor.

Approved March 30, 1939.