

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

Ninety-ninth Legislature

OF THE

# STATE OF MAINE

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'Sec. 70-A. Special provisions relating to disability due to radioactive properties. Notwithstanding any of the provisions of this chapter, the employee need not be exposed to radioactive substances for a period of 60 days or more, as otherwise stated under section 62, and the time for filing claims shall not begin to run in cases of incapacity under section 69, item 17, until the person claiming benefits knew, or by exercise of reasonable diligence should have known of the casual relationship between his employment and his incapacity, or after incapacity, whichever is later.'

Effective September 12, 1959

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## Chapter 288

AN ACT Relating to Cancellation of Automobile Physical Damage Insurance.

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

R. S., c. 60, § 115-A, additional. Chapter 60 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding a new section 115-A, to read as follows:

'Sec. 115-A. Cancellation of automobile physical damage insurance. An insurance company may cancel an automobile physical damage insurance policy only on 10 days' written notice to the insured and any other person mentioned in the loss payable clause of the policy. When the policy is cancelled by the insured he shall notify forthwith any other person mentioned in the loss payable clause, and in the event the interest of any person mentioned in the loss payable clause is released, such person shall forthwith notify the company.'

Effective September 12, 1959

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## Chapter 289

AN ACT Relating to Artificial Aids for Employees for Injuries Under Workmen's Compensation Law.

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

R. S., c. 31, § 9, amended. The 4th sentence of the 2nd paragraph of section 9 of chapter 31 of the Revised Statutes is repealed and the following sentence enacted in place thereof:

'The commission in its discretion may also require the employer to furnish artificial limbs, eyes, teeth, orthopedic appliances and physical aids made necessary by such injury, and to replace and renew the same when deemed necessary from wear and tear or physical change of the injured employee; but no employer shall be obligated to replace or renew any such items after 500 weeks from the date of injury.'

Effective September 12, 1959