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in the county where the waters are situated, and which are affected thereby, or if no paper is published there, in a newspaper having state-wide circulation, the last publication being prior to January 1st following the date of the hearing. The commissioner shall file a certified copy of said regulations with the Secretary of State and with the clerk of the Superior Court of the county in which the waters affected are situated.

If unusual conditions should adversely affect any one of the waters in this State, so that the supply of fish in those waters might be depleted by angling, the commissioner may declare an emergency and order a hearing held, at a time and place to be designated by him, and shall cause notice thereof to be published at least 5 days prior to the hearing in a newspaper published in the county where the water is situated, and if no newspaper is published in that county, then the notice shall appear in a newspaper having state-wide circulation. After the hearing, the commissioner may promulgate regulations providing for the times, number, weight and manner in which fish may be taken from such waters. He shall reduce the regulations to writing and provide for the expiration date thereof, and shall cause notice of the same to be published, the regulations to take effect upon the day following the publication thereof. A certified copy of the regulations shall be filed with the Secretary of State and with the clerk of the Superior Court in the county in which the water is situated.

Whoever violates any provision of this section or any rule or regulation issued under this chapter shall be penalized under section 139.'

Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this act shall take effect when approved.

Effective March 7, 1963

Chapter 38

AN ACT Relating to Reciprocity Under Financial Responsibility Law.

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

R. S., c. 22, § 79, repealed and replaced. Section 79 of chapter 22 of the Revised Statutes is repealed and the following enacted in place thereof:

'Sec. 79. Application to nonresidents and accidents in other states.

I. Nonresidents. Sections 75 to 82 shall apply to any person who is not a resident of this State, and if such nonresident has failed to furnish security or to give proof of his financial responsibility, then and in such event such nonresident shall not operate any motor vehicle, trailer or semi-trailer in this State nor shall any motor vehicle, trailer or semi-trailer owned by him be operated within this State by any person. The Secretary of State shall not issue to such nonresident any operator's license or register any motor vehicle, trailer or semi-trailer owned by such nonresident in the same manner as required with respect to a resident of this State. The operation by a nonresident,

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or with his express or implied consent if an owner, of a motor vehicle, trailer or semi-trailer on a public way of the State shall be deemed equivalent to an appointment by such nonresident of the Secretary of State or his successor in office to be his true and lawful attorney, upon whom may be served all lawful processes in any action against him, growing out of any accident in which said nonresident may be involved while so operating or so permitting to be operated a motor vehicle on such a way.

- II. Information to home state. When a nonresident's operating privilege is suspended pursuant to section 77, the Secretary of State shall transmit a certified copy of the record of such action to the official in charge of the issuance of licenses and registration certificates in the state in which such nonresident resides, if the law of such other state provides for action in relation thereto similar to that provided for in subsection III.
- III. Accidents in other states. Upon receipt of such certification that the operating privilege of a resident of this State has been suspended or revoked in any such other state pursuant to a law providing for its suspension or revocation for failure to deposit security for the payment of judgments arising out of a motor vehicle accident, or for failure to deposit both security and proof of financial responsibility, under circumstances which require the Secretary of State to suspend a nonresident's operating privilege had the accident occurred in this State, the Secretary of State shall suspend the license of such resident and all of his registration certificates and registration plates. Such suspension shall continue until such resident furnishes evidence of his compliance with the law of such other state relating to the deposit of such security; and until such resident files proof of financial responsibility if required by such law.'

Effective September 21, 1963

Chapter 39

AN ACT Relating to Issuance of Certificates of Shares.

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

R. S., c. 53, § 50, repealed and replaced. Section 50 of chapter 53 of the Revised Statutes is repealed and the following enacted in place thereof:

'Sec. 50. Issuance of certificates of shares. Every shareholder shall be entitled to a share certificate or certificates representing the shares owned by him. The share certificates shall be signed by such officer or officers as the bylaws of the corporation may provide and sealed with the corporate seal, which may be a facsimile, engraved or printed, but where any such certificate is signed by a transfer agent or by a transfer clerk or by a registrar, the signature of any corporate officer upon such certificate may be a facsimile, engraved or printed. In case any officer who has signed, or whose facsimile signature has been placed upon any share certificate, shall have ceased to be such officer because of death,