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ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

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ritory situated in the Town of Old Orchard Beach, in the County of York: Beginning at a point on the easterly side of the Old Salt Road where the same intersects the Boston and Maine railroad right-of-way; thence south to the athletic field, thence westerly along the northwesterly boundary of the athletic field, thence southerly along its westerly boundary, thence westerly to the edge of the salt marsh, thence southwestly along the edge of the salt marsh to the mouth of Goose Fare Brook, thence at right angles and easterly and parallel with the Atlantic Ocean and 50 feet in front of all bulkheads and houses fronting on the beach to the easterly side of Tunis Avenue, thence northwesterly along said avenue to the Boston and Maine railroad right-of-way, thence by said Boston and Maine right-of-way to point of beginning.

Effective September 21, 1963

Chapter 101

AN ACT Relating to Hunting of Skunks and Raccoons in the Daytime.

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Director's note: Repealed by P. L. 1963, c. 279, § 37. See P. L. 1963, c. 279, § 30.

Chapter 102

AN ACT Relating to Certificate of Registration to Practice Barbering.

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

R. S., c. 25, § 230-K, amended. The last paragraph of section 230-K of chapter 25 of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by section 4 of chapter 359 of the public laws of 1961, is repealed and the following enacted in place thereof:

'Any registered barber who fails in any year to renew certificate to practice barbering shall successfully pass a regular examination conducted by the Board of Barbers before a new certificate may be issued.'

Effective September 21, 1963

Chapter 103

AN ACT Relating to Expenses of Examination and Commitment of the Mentally Ill.

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

R. S., c. 27, § 135-A, repealed and replaced. Section 135-A of chapter 27 of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by section 2 of chapter 407 of the public laws of 1961, is repealed and the following enacted in place thereof:

'Sec. 135-A. Expenses of examination and commitment.

I. Department chargeable in first instance. The probate court conducting proceedings for the involuntary judicial hospitalization of an individual under sections 175, 185 and 186 shall order that the Department of Mental Health

and Corrections be charged in the first instance for any expenses of examination, fees incident to giving notice, fees of attorneys when court appointed, and other proper fees and charges when hospitalization is not ordered and, when hospitalization is ordered, for any expenses of examination and commitment, including fees of attorneys, when court appointed, and fees or charges for notice when served in hand or by certified mail. The department after being made chargeable in the first instance for such expenses, shall recover amounts paid under this section from the proposed patient if able to pay, or from persons legally liable for his support under section 135-C, subsection II if able to pay or from the town of legal settlement of the proposed patient as if incurred for the expenses of a pauper. No proposed patient under sections 175, 185 and 186 shall suffer any of the disabilities of pauperism or be deemed a pauper by reason of his inability to pay any of such expenses of examination or commitment.

II. Determination of settlement. If the Department of Mental Health and Corrections shall determine that neither the proposed patient nor any person liable for support under section 135-C, subsection II is able to pay expenses of examination and commitment it shall certify that fact to the Department of Health and Welfare, which department shall determine whether the proposed patient has a legal settlement within the State. If it is determined that the proposed patient has a legal settlement within the State, the Department of Mental Health and Corrections shall seek reimbursement from the municipality of legal settlement. If it is determined that there is no legal settlement within the State, the Department of Health and Welfare shall reimburse the Department of Mental Health and Corrections for expenditures made under subsection I.

III. Fees for transportation. In instances of indorsement on the certificate of the licensed physicians by the District Court or by a complaint justice, under section 173 or 174, for the purpose of authorizing a health or police officer to transport a patient to a hospital, fees for such transportation shall be charged in the first instance to the Department of Mental Health and Corrections. Any fee so charged shall be first approved in writing by the District Court or by a complaint justice. Reimbursement shall be sought for such expenditures as in cases of expenses incurred in probate court commitment proceedings.

Effective September 21, 1963

Chapter 104

AN ACT Relating to Fees of Quasi-Public Corporations.

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

R. S., c. 53, § 12, amended. Section 12 of chapter 53 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by section 27 of chapter 395 of the public laws of 1961, is further amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 12. Quasi-public corporations; fees. No certificate of organization of any corporation for banking, insurance, construction and operation of railroads,