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ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

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authority granted him by the company and the scope of his license an authorized insurance company and the Maine Insurance Commissioner may accept, in lieu of an examination, the certificate of the insurance department of the nonresident agent's home state for the type or types of insurance to be sold by such nonresident agent. The examination fee shall be paid with the application for such licenses in all instances.'

Effective September 21, 1963

Chapter 175

AN ACT Relating to Proof of Municipal Ordinances.

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

R. S., c. 90-A, § 5-A, additional. Chapter 90-A of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by section 1 of chapter 405 of the public laws of 1957, is amended by adding a new section 5-A, to read as follows:

'Sec. 5-A. Proof of municipal ordinances. The submission to any court or administrative tribunal of a municipal ordinance, bylaw, order or resolve of the legislative body or municipal officers of a municipality, when such ordinance, bylaw, order or resolve has been certified over the signature of the municipal clerk, shall be prima facie proof of the validity thereof.'

Effective September 21, 1963

Chapter 176

AN ACT Relating to Sale of Negotiable Checks and Money Orders.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 59, § 199-A, additional. Chapter 59 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding a new section to be numbered 199-A, to read as follows:

'Sec. 199-A. Sale of negotiable checks and money orders. Financial institutions as defined by section 1-B, subsection IV, and national banking associations may engage directly in the business of selling, issuing or registering checks or money orders. No person other than the foregoing shall engage in such business directly or indirectly unless he files with the commissioner on or before January 15th in each year a sworn statement setting forth his name and address, the names and business addresses of his agents, other than a financial institution or national banking association, authorized to receive money and transact such business on his behalf, and shall deposit and maintain with the Treasurer of State a surety bond with such sureties as the commissioner shall approve or cash or securities, in a sum of not less than \$25,000 nor more than \$100,000 as the commissioner shall deem to be necessary for the protection of the public. Any such

bond or deposit shall be held as security for the payment of checks or money orders sold by such person or his agents, and the commissioner may make such rules and regulations as may be necessary for the enforcement of this section, including an investigation relative to reputation and integrity, the cost of which investigation shall be chargeable to such person.

Each person to whom a certificate to engage in such business has been issued shall on or before the 15th day of April, July and October of each year notify the commissioner of any change in the list of agents contained in the annual statement, and shall file with him the name of any additional agent appointed or of any agent whose authority has been revoked.

There shall be a fee of \$100 for the filing of such annual statement payable to the commissioner and \$3 for each agent listed in the annual statement or in any addition thereto, provided that the total annual fee shall not exceed \$300 and such fees shall be credited and used as provided in section 1-D.

The commissioner may issue a certificate to engage in such business to any person who in his judgment has complied with this section, but he may at any time revoke such certificate for failure to comply with this section, or of any rule or regulation promulgated by him, or for failure to pay any check or money order upon presentation for payment.

Whoever violates any provision of this section or any rule or regulation established hereunder shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$100 for each day during which such violation continues.'

Sec. 2. Effective date. This act shall become effective January 1, 1964.

Effective January 1, 1964

Chapter 177

AN ACT Relating to Registration and Transportation of Deer.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 37, § 98-A, additional. Chapter 37 of the Revised Statutes, as revised, is amended by adding a new section 98-A, to read as follows:

'Sec. 98-A. Registration and transportation of deer.

I. Registration stations. The commissioner shall establish deer registration stations for the purpose of registering all deer killed. Said stations shall be in charge of an agent designated by the commissioner and a list of the same shall be published in one or more daily newspapers of the State. Said agents shall register each and every deer legally presented for registration, and shall tag each deer in the manner as directed and with the materials furnished by the commissioner.