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ACTS AND RESOLVES

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§ 3060-A. Penalties

Any person convicted of violating any of the provisions of section 1960-A or regulations promulgated thereunder, relating to upland game, shall be punished by a fine of not less than \$50 and in addition thereto by a fine of \$25 for each bird illegally killed, taken or possessed, and such fines shall not be suspended, or by imprisonment for not less than 30 nor more than 90 days, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

Effective September 23, 1971

Chapter 232

AN ACT Relating to Use of Weapons in the Allagash Wilderness Waterway.

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

R. S., T. 12, § 674-A, additional. Title 12 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding a new section 674-A, to read as follows:

§ 674-A. Possession of firearms

It shall be unlawful for any person to discharge within the boundaries of the Allagash Wilderness Waterway, between May 1st and October 1st any firearm, bow and arrow or weapon powered by CO₂ cartridges. This shall not apply to law enforcement officers or persons authorized by regulations of the State Park and Recreation Commission. Whoever violates this section shall be punished as provided in section 674.

Effective September 23, 1971

Chapter 233

AN ACT Prohibiting the Turning Back of Speedometers or Odometers on Motor Vehicles.

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

R. S., T. 17, § 1609-A, additional. Title 17 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding a new section 1609-A, to read as follows:

§ 1609-A. Turning back, tampering or disconnecting speedometers or odometers on motor vehicles

Any person who turns back, tampers with, disconnects or causes to turn back, tamper with or disconnect the speedometer or odometer of any motor vehicle with intent to deceive shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$1,000 or by imprisonment for not more than 11 months, or by both. All motor vehicle dealers and transferors shall certify in writing to the purchaser of a motor vehicle, motor truck or truck-tractor the name and address

of the prior owner and shall certify the mileage of the motor vehicle, motor truck or truck-tractor when it was received by said motor vehicle dealer or transferor.

Effective September 23, 1971

Chapter 234

AN ACT to Repeal the Prohibition of Publishing a Periodical by the Department of Economic Development.

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

R. S., T. 10, § 402, amended. The last paragraph of section 402 of Title 10 of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by section 1 of chapter 442 of the public laws of 1969, is repealed and the following enacted in place thereof:

It is the intent of the Legislature that any of the Department of Economic Development publications shall guard against promotion of personalities or political bias, and shall objectively serve the economic development of the State of Maine.

Effective September 23, 1971

Chapter 235

AN ACT Providing that House Trailers on Land Owned by the Owner of the Trailer Shall be Taxed as Real Estate.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., T. 36, § 551, amended. Section 551 of Title 36 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by section 1 of chapter 271 of the public laws of 1967, is further amended to read as follows:

§ 551. Real estate; defined

Real estate, for the purposes of taxation, shall include all lands in the State and all buildings ~~house trailers~~ and other things affixed to the same, together with the water power, shore privileges and rights, forests and mineral deposits appertaining thereto; interests and improvements in land, the fee of which is in the State; interests by contract or otherwise in real estate exempt from taxation; and lines of electric light and power companies. Buildings ~~and house trailers~~ on leased land or on land not owned by the owner of the buildings shall be considered real estate for purposes of taxation and shall be taxed in the place where said land is located. **House trailers, except stock in trade, shall be considered real estate for purposes of taxation.**

Sec. 2. R. S., T. 36, § 603, sub-§ 2, ¶ G, amended. Paragraph G of subsection 2 of section 603 of Title 36 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by section