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ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

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OF THE

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All money received by the Treasurer of State from the Board of Registration in Medicine, the Board of Examiners in Physical Therapy, the Board of Examiners of Psychologists, the State Board of Nursing, the Board of Examiners of Applicants for Admission to the Bar, the Board of Accountancy, the Board of Veterinary Examiners, the Board of Osteopathic Examination and Registration, the State Board of Funeral Service, the State Board of Registration and Examination in Optometry, the Board of Dental Examiners, the State Board of Registration for Professional Engineers, **the State Board of Licensure of Administrators of Medical Care Facilities other than Hospitals**, the State Board of Architects, the Electricians' Examining Board, the Oil Burnermen's Licensing Board, the State Board of Barbers, State Board of Hairdressers, State Board of Registration for Land Surveyors, the Examiners of Podiatrists, the Board of Chiropractic Examination and Registration and the Board of Commissioners of the Profession of Pharmacy shall constitute a fund, which shall be a continuous carrying account for the payment of the compensation and expenses of the members, the expenses of the board and for executing the law relating to each board respectively, and so much thereof as may be required is appropriated for said purposes.

Sec. 2. R. S., T. 32, § 63, sub-§ 8, repealed and replaced. Subsection 8 of section 63 of Title 32 of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by chapter 350 of the public laws of 1969, is repealed and the following enacted in place thereof:

8. Fees. All fees received by the board shall be paid to the Treasurer of State to be used for carrying out this chapter.

Sec. 3. R. S., T. 32, § 63, sub-§ 9, amended. Subsection 9 of section 63 of Title 32 of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by chapter 350 of the public laws of 1969, is amended to read as follows:

9. Compensation. Members of the board will be paid ~~\$20~~ **\$30** a day for time necessarily spent in official duties, plus reimbursement for necessary expenditures incurred in the conduct of official business.

Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this Act shall become effective when approved.

Effective June 25, 1971

Chapter 519

AN ACT Relating to Annual Fee for Town Forest Fire Wardens.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., T. 25, § 2501, amended. The first sentence of the 2nd paragraph of section 2501 of Title 25 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:

The State shall pay the appointed forest fire warden an annual fee of ~~\$50~~ **\$100**.

Sec. 2. Appropriation. There is appropriated from the General Fund to the Department of Forestry, appropriation No. 1236-4020, the sum of \$45,000 to carry out the purposes of this Act. The breakdown shall be as follows:

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FORESTRY, DEPARTMENT OF		
Forest Fire Control		
Personal Services	\$22,500	\$22,500

Effective September 23, 1971

Chapter 520

AN ACT Relating to Service Retirement of Law Enforcement Officers in the Departments of Sea and Shore Fisheries and Inland Fisheries and Game.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., T. 5, § 1121, sub-§ 1, ¶ D, repealed and replaced. Paragraph D of subsection 1 of section 1121 of Title 5 of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by section 3 of chapter 445 of the public laws of 1965, is repealed and the following enacted in place thereof:

D. Any law enforcement officer in the Department of Inland Fisheries and Game and any law enforcement officer in the Department of Sea and Shore Fisheries may retire upon completion of 20 years of creditable service as a law enforcement officer in the Department of Inland Fisheries and Game or a law enforcement officer in the Department of Sea and Shore Fisheries, but must retire at attainment of age 55, except that any person, who was a law enforcement officer in the Department of Inland Fisheries and Game or a law enforcement officer in the Department of Sea and Shore Fisheries on July 1, 1956, may continue in service until age 60 is attained and forthwith shall be retired. Any person who is a law enforcement officer in the Department of Inland Fisheries and Game or the Department of Sea and Shore Fisheries and who will not have 20 years of creditable service at the time age 55 is attained may continue in said service until 20 years is attained and forthwith shall be retired. Military service credits as allowed under section 1094 shall not be considered as part of the creditable service as a law enforcement officer under this section, but that any military service creditable under section 1091 shall be considered to be part of the creditable service necessary for the 20 years as a law enforcement officer, provided that he was a law enforcement officer in either of said departments at the time of entrance into said military service and upon separation from military service again became a law enforcement officer in either of said departments. The total amount of the service retirement allowance of a law enforcement officer retired in accordance with this paragraph shall be equal to $\frac{1}{2}$ of his current annual salary.