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### ACTS, RESOLVES AND CONSTITUTIONAL RESOLUTIONS

#### AS PASSED BY THE

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#### CHAPTER 113

#### AN ACT Relating to Insurance Rate Filings.

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

R. S., T. 24-A, § 2304, sub-§ 1, amended. Subsection 1 of section 2304 of Title 24-A of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by section 1 of chapter 132 of the public laws of 1969, is amended by adding at the end a new sentence to read as follows:

Every such filing shall be made not less than 30 days in advance of the stated effective date unless such 30-day requirement is waived by the commissioner, and said effective date may be suspended by the commissioner for a period of time not to exceed 60 days.

Effective October 3, 1973

#### **CHAPTER 114**

AN ACT Providing for the Observance of Veterans Day on November 11th.

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

- Sec. 1. R. S., T. 1, § 114, repealed. Section 114 of Title 1 of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by section 1 of chapter 12 of the public laws of 1971, is repealed.
- Sec. 2. R. S., T. 4, § 1051, amended. The first sentence of section 1051 of Title 4 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by section 1 of chapter 236 of the public laws of 1969, is further amended to read as follows:

No court shall be held on Sunday or any day designated for the annual Thanksgiving; or for the choice of Presidential Electors; New Year's Day, January 1st; Washington's Birthday, the 3rd Monday in February; Patriot's Day, the 3rd Monday in April; Memorial Day, the last Monday in May; the 4th of July; Labor Day, the first Monday of September; the day of the state-wide primary election; the day of the state election; the day of any special state-wide election; Veterans Day, the 4th Monday in October November 11th; or on Christmas Day; and when the time fixed for a term of court falls on any of said days, it shall stand adjourned until the next day, which shall be deemed the first day of the term for all purposes.

Sec. 3. R. S., T. 9, § 131, amended. The first sentence of section 131 of Title 9 of the Revised Statutes, as amended, is further amended to read as follows:

Any day of public thanksgiving, mourning or disaster, proclaimed or appointed by the Governor or by the President of the United States, the first day of January, Washington's Birthday, the 3rd Monday in February, Pa-

triot's Day, the 3rd Monday in April, Memorial Day, the last Monday in May, the 4th day of July, Labor Day, the first Monday of September, Columbus Day, the 2nd Monday in October, Veterans Day, the 4th Monday in October November 11th, and the 25th day of December are declared to be bank holidays.

Sec. 4. R. S., T. 17, § 3204, amended. The first paragraph of section 3204 of Title 17 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by section 3 of chapter 236 and section 24-A of chapter 504, both of the public laws of 1969, is further amended to read as follows:

No person, firm or corporation shall, on the Lord's Day, Memorial Day, the last Monday of May, July 4th, Labor Day, the first Monday of September, Veterans Day, the 4th Monday of October November 11th, Christmas Day and Thanksgiving Day as proclaimed by the Governor, keep open a place of business to the public except for works of necessity, emergency or charity.

Sec. 5. R. S., T. 20, § 801, amended. The first sentence of section 801 of Title 20 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by section 4 of chapter 236 of the public laws of 1969, is further amended to read as follows:

The following days shall be observed as school holidays, namely: Patriot's Day, the 3rd Monday in April; Memorial Day, the last Monday in May; Independence Day, July 4th; Labor Day, the first Monday in September; Veterans Day, the 4th Monday in October November 11th; Christmas Day, December 25th; Thanksgiving and Arbor Day, as appointed by the Governor.

Sec. 6. R. S., T. 20, § 1232, repealed. Section 1232 of Title 20 of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by section 2 of chapter 12 of the public laws of 1971, is repealed.

Effective January 1, 1974 See 1973, public law c. 625, section 286

### CHAPTER 115

AN ACT Including Representatives of a Council of Governments under State Retirement System.

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

R. S., T. 5, § 1092, sub-§ 1, amended. The first 3 sentences of subsection 1 of section 1092 of Title 5 of the Revised Statutes, as amended, are further amended to read as follows:

The employees of any county, city, town, water district, public library corporation or any other quasi-municipal corporation of the State, a regional planning commission as provided in Title 30, a public housing authority as provided in Title 30, a council of governments as provided in Title 30, the civilian employees of the Maine National Guard, employees of the Maine State Employees Association, Maine State Employees Credit Union, the