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CHAPTER 309

AN ACT Relating to Instruction Posting under the Election Laws.

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

Sec. 1. 21 MRSA § 572 is amended to read:

§ 572. Instruction posters for voters

The Secretary of State shall prepare instruction posters to guide voters in ~~obtaining and replacing spoiled ballots, correct marking of ballots, including write-in procedure,~~ and to inform them of the penalties for illegal voting.

Sec. 2. 21 MRSA § 603, sub-§ 2 is amended by inserting after the first sentence a new sentence to read:

An instruction poster pursuant to section 572 shall be securely placed above the shelf for the purpose of aiding the voter.

Sec. 3. 21 MRSA § 704, sub-§ 6, 2nd sentence, as enacted by PL 1975, c. 371, is repealed as follows:

~~Such ballot instruction sheets may also be used as instruction posters pursuant to section 572~~

Effective October 24, 1977

CHAPTER 310

AN ACT to Clarify Vocational Education Reimbursement in Vocational Centers and Vocational Regions.

Emergency preamble. Whereas, Acts of the Legislature do not become effective until 90 days after adjournment unless enacted as emergencies; and

Whereas, the change in the definition of subsidizable items for vocational education as enacted by PL 1975, c. 660, is causing confusion and hardship; and

Whereas, the change did not accomplish any particular benefit to local units or the State; and

Whereas, a simple definition would make the program more understandable for the people; and