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## **PUBLIC LAWS**

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Sec. 3. 4 MRSA § 1158 is enacted to read:

### § 1158. Judge of Administrative Court assigned to sit in District Court

A Judge of the Administrative Court may be assigned by the Chief Justice of the Supreme Judicial Court to sit in the District Court in any district and when so directed he shall have authority and jurisdiction therein as if he were a regular Judge of the District Court; and whenever the Chief Justice of the Supreme Judicial Court so directs, he may hear all matters and issue all orders, notices, decrees and judgments that any Judge of the District Court is authorized to hear and issue.

The order of the Chief Justice of the Supreme Judicial Court directing a Judge of the Administrative Court to sit in the District Court shall be filed with the Executive Clerk of the Supreme Judicial Court, but need not be docketed or otherwise recorded in any case heard by him.

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

Effective March 5, 1979

### CHAPTER 13

H. P. 61 — L. D. 69

AN ACT to Repeal Certain Requirements for Filing, Recording, Registers, Rosters and Binding and Provisions Concerning Administrative Assistant to the Chief Justice.

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

- Sec. 1. 4 MRSA § 11, as last amended by PL 1975, c. 408, § 4, is repealed.
- **Sec. 2. 4 MRSA § 13,** as enacted by PL 1969, c. 467, § 1, is repealed.
- Sec. 3. 4 MRSA § 14, as repealed and replaced by PL 1975, c. 408, § 5, is repealed.
- **Sec. 3-A.** 4 MRSA § 55, first sentence, as repealed and replaced by PL 1977, c. 114, § 1, is amended to read:

The clerk of the Supreme Judicial Court shall preserve—3 2 complete sets of briefs filed in all cases in the Supreme Judicial Court sitting as the law court.

**Sec. 3-B.** 4 MRSA § 55, 3rd sentence, as repealed and replaced by PL 1977, c. 114, § 1, is amended to read:

One set each shall thereupon be delivered to the law libraries respectively of Cumberland and Penobscot Counties and to the State Law Library for preservation and reference.

- Sec. 4. 4 MRSA § 178, as amended by PL 1973, c. 625, § 10, is repealed.
- Sec. 5. 4 MRSA § 560 is repealed.
- Sec. 6. 4 MRSA §§ 901-905, as amended by PL 1971, c. 115, § 1, are repealed.
- Sec. 7. 5 MRSA § 83 is amended to read:

## § 83. Clerks of courts to keep lists of appointments; lists and certificates as evidence

The clerks of the state courts shall make a memorandum on such lists of the fact and date of their reception, and either of such lists so attested, or the certificate of such clerk under the seal of his court, shall be legal but not conclusive evidence of the appointment and qualification of such officers and, at the expiration of each decade of years, it shall be the duty of the clerk then in office to have one set of such lists received during the decade bound in a substantial manner.

Sec. 8. 15 MRSA § 2141, last ¶, as amended by PL 1975, c. 427, § 1, is further amended to read:

A designation by the Chief Justice of the members of the appellate division shall be recorded by the Administrative Assistant to the Chief Justice Executive Secretary to the Supreme Judicial Court who shall forthwith send copies thereof to the several clerks of the Superior Court.

Sec. 9. 32 MRSA § 1309 is repealed.

Effective September 14, 1979

### **CHAPTER 14**

S. P. 65 — L. D. 106

AN ACT to Clarify the Duties of the Maine Insurance Advisory Board.

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