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CHAPTER 162
H. P. 763 — L. D. 900

AN ACT to Impose Reasonable Interest Charges on Judgment Debtors.

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

Sec. 1. 14 MRSA § 1602, last sentence, as amended by PL 1979, c. 655, § 1, is further amended to read:

From and after the date of entry of an order for judgment, including the period of the pendency of an appeal, interest shall be allowed at the rate of ~~12%~~ 15% per year.

Sec. 2. 14 MRSA § 1602, as amended by PL 1979, c. 655, § 1, is further amended by adding at the end a new sentence to read:

On petition of the nonprevailing party and on a showing of good cause for failing to immediately satisfy the judgment, the trial court may order that interest awarded either before or after the entry of the order for judgment shall be fully or partially waived.

Effective September 18, 1981

CHAPTER 163
S. P. 105 — L. D. 235

AN ACT to Remove Certain Time Restrictions Exempting Tax on Sales, Storage or Use of Certain Food Products for Human Consumption.

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

Sec. 1. 36 MRSA § 1752, sub-§ 5-A is enacted to read:

5-A. Internal human consumption. “Products for internal human consumption” mean edible products sold for human nutrition or refreshment and containers or instruments provided simultaneously for the consumption of these products. It does not include spirituous, malt or vinous liquors, medicines, tonics, vitamins, dietary supplements or cigarettes.

Sec. 2. 36 MRSA § 1752, sub-§ 11, 3rd sentence, as last amended by PL 1979, c. 292, § 1, is repealed and the following enacted in its place: