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479, §7, is further amended to read:

There shall be a penalty of \$10 for each business day, as defined by Title 32, section 4691, subsection 2, that a report required to be filed under this chapter is late. The commission shall determine whether a report received after the date required by this chapter is late and, if determined to be late, the number of days of lateness.

Effective September 23, 1983.

CHAPTER 243

H.P. 1140 - L.D. 1496

AN ACT to Fairly Apportion the Cost of Canceled Generating Facilities.

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

Sec. 1. 35 MRSA §52-A is enacted to read:

§52-A. Recovery of cost of canceled or abandoned
electric generating facility

1. Cost recovery restricted. The commission shall not, with respect to any canceled or abandoned electric generating facility, issue any order concerning the recovery from ratepayers of all or any portion of the cost of that facility until after the date last announced for completion of the plant by the lead participant. This section does not apply if an electrical company can establish, as part of a proceeding initiated by it under section 64, that it will be unable to perform its public service or attract necessary capital on just and reasonable terms, absent a commission order at the conclusion of the proceeding under section 64 authorizing the current recovery of all or a portion of the cost from ratepayers.

2. Exception. This section does not apply to any abandoned or canceled electrical generating facility for which the commission has authorized a recovery of any portion of the costs of that facility from ratepayers prior to the effective date of this section.

Sec. 2. Transition provision. Title 35, section 52-A, applies to any case pending before the Public Utilities Commission on the date on which this

section, adopted by the First Regular Session of the 111th Legislature, enters into effect, without regard to the date when any affected utility has sought recovery from ratepayers of the cost of any canceled or abandoned electric generating facility. This includes recovery for the Pilgrim II plant proposed by Central Maine Power Company.

Effective September 23, 1983.

CHAPTER 244

H.P. 1141 - L.D. 1505

AN ACT to Authorize the Maine
Criminal Justice Academy to Revoke
Officer Certification.

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

Sec. 1. 25 MRSA §2803, sub-§1, as repealed and replaced by PL 1975, c. 579, §7, is amended to read:

1. Training and certification of deputy sheriffs and local law enforcement officers. In accordance with the provisions of section 2805 to set standards for admission to the academy, set requirements for graduation from the academy, prescribe curriculum and certify both graduates of the academy and persons for whom the board of trustees have waived the requirements of section 2805;

Sec. 2. 25 MRSA §2803, sub-§2-A, as amended by PL 1981, c. 470, Pt. A, §139, is further amended to read:

2-A. Training and certification of corrections personnel. In accordance with section 2805, to approve training programs for corrections officers, including prescription of curriculum and setting of standards for graduation from those approved programs and certification of persons graduating from the basic training course prescribed in section 2805, subsection 1;

Sec. 3. 25 MRSA §2803, sub-§§7 and 8, as repealed and replaced by PL 1975, c. 579, §7, are amended to read:

7. Accept funds and grants. With the approval of the commissioner, to accept such federal funds or