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CHAPTER 249

H.P. 591 - L.D. 735

AN ACT to Amend the Termination of Parental Rights Law.

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

- Sec. 1. 22 MRSA §4052, sub-§2, as enacted by PL
 1979, c. 733, §18, is amended to read:
- 2. Time filed. A termination petition may be brought no earlier than 3 months after disposition under section 4036 or under Title 19, section 213, 214 or 752.
- Sec. 2. 22 MRSA $\S4055$, sub- $\S1$, \PA , as repealed and replaced by PL 1981, c. 369, $\S15$, is amended to read:
 - A. One of the following conditions has been met:
 - (1) Custody has been removed from the parent under:
 - (a) Section 4035 or 4038;
 - (b) Title 19, section $\underline{213}$, $\underline{214}$ or 752; or
 - (c) Section 3792 prior to the effective date of this chapter; or
 - (2) The petition has been filed as part of an adoption proceeding in Title 19, chapter 9; and

Effective September 23, 1983.

CHAPTER 250

H.P. 636 - L.D. 787

AN ACT to Regulate Striped Bass Fishing.

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

12 MRSA §6555, as amended by PL 1981, c. 231, is repealed and the following enacted in its place: