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#### **CHAPTER 180**

S.P. 372 - L.D. 1006

#### AN ACT Concerning the Value of Prizes that may be Awarded on Beano.

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

17 MRSA §317, first ¶, as enacted by PL 1975, c. 307, §2, is amended to read:

The Chief of the State Police shall have the power to make and adopt rules and regulations, not inconsistent with law, which he may deem necessary for the administration and enforcement of this chapter and for the licensing, conduct and operation of the amusement commonly known as "Beano" or "Bingo." He shall have the power and authority to regulate, su-pervise and exercise general control over the operation of such amusement including, but not limited to, the payment of prizes and the use of equipment. Any rule promulgated by the Chief of the State Police concerning the value of prizes that may be awarded shall include a provision that no single prize may exceed \$400 in value and that no more than \$1,400 in total prizes may be awarded on any one occasion. He shall have the power and authority to investigate as to the direct or indirect ownership or control of any licenses and to revoke or suspend any license for just cause after hearing. In establishing such rules and regulations, he shall, in addition to the standards set forth in other provisions of this chapter, be guided by the following standards setting forth conduct, conditions and activity deemed undesirable:

Effective September 19, 1985.

#### CHAPTER 181

H.P. 603 - L.D. 873

AN ACT to Prohibit Marriage Between Certain Blood Relatives.