

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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and prudent hunter never bases identification upon sound alone or even upon sound in combination with what appears to be an appendage of the wild animal or wild bird sought. A reasonable and prudent hunter, independent of these target-determining factors, bases identification upon obtaining an essentially unobstructed view of the head and torso of the potential target. This visual sighting is the most critical target-determining factor. Visual sighting of the head and torso may present itself intermittently or continuously. If presented intermittently, a reasonable and prudent hunter does not make a target-identification decision until this visual sighting exists at the point in time the hunter takes aim and is making final preparation to shoot. A reasonable and prudent hunter additionally recognizes that these sound and sight target-determining factors are affected by a number of other considerations, including, but not limited to, the distance to the target, surrounding or intervening terrain and cover, lighting and weather conditions, the hunter's own ability to hear and see, the hunter's own experience and the proximity of other persons in the hunter's immediate vicinity.

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## CHAPTER 351

H.P. 927 - L.D. 1324

### An Act to Amend the Laws Regulating Aestheticians

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

Sec. 1. 32 MRSA §1551, sub-§8 is enacted to read:

8. Apprentice aesthetician. "Apprentice aesthetician" means any person who is engaged in learning and acquiring a knowledge of the practice of aesthetics under the direction and supervision of a person licensed under this chapter to practice aesthetics.

Sec. 2. 32 MRSA §1652-A, sub-§3, as amended by PL 1989, c. 700, Pt. A, §143, is repealed and the following enacted in its place:

3. Training. Within the immediately preceding 3 years, has satisfactorily completed a course of instruction in aesthetics of 750 hours in not less than 5 months in a school licensed by the Commissioner of Education or has experience in the practice of aesthetics as an apprentice of 1,250 hours distributed over a period of at least 7 months; and

Sec. 3. 32 MRSA §1655, 2nd and 4th paragraphs, as repealed and replaced by PL 1977, c. 398, §10, are amended to read:

~~Every apprentice in In order to avail himself of this chapter to practice cosmetology under this chapter, the apprentice shall, before entering upon his an apprenticeship, file with the board the name and place of business of his the apprentice's employer, the date of commencement of the apprenticeship and the full name and age of the apprentice, which age shall may not be less than 17 years. Any such apprentice who shall change his changes a place of employment shall promptly notify the board of the name and place of business of the new employer and the date of the change.~~

Every apprentice, after serving an apprenticeship of 18 months program as specified under this chapter, shall file application for examination at the next examination held by the board in accordance with the requirements of section 1652.

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## CHAPTER 352

H.P. 1157 - L.D. 1698

### An Act to Promote Participation in Affordable Telephone Service

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

Sec. 1. 35-A MRSA §7103 is enacted to read:

#### §7103. Affordable telephone service

The Public Utilities Commission shall require each local telephone company to participate in statewide outreach programs designed to increase the number of low-income telephone customers on the network through increased participation in any universal service programs approved by the commission. The Public Utilities Commission may adopt rules to implement this section.

Sec. 2. Public Utilities Commission report on the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 35-A, section 7103. The Public Utilities Commission must report to the Joint Standing Committee on Utilities by January 15, 1992 on any suggested or adopted programs for implementation of the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 35-A, section 7103.

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## CHAPTER 353

H.P. 1021 - L.D. 1494

### An Act to Extend the Sunset on Rating Practices in Group Health Insurance