

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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**OF THE**  
**STATE OF MAINE**

AS PASSED BY THE

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B. Any person 10 years of age or older and under 16 years of age may obtain a muzzle-loading license from the commissioner or the commissioner's authorized agent, provided that the person possesses a valid junior hunting license.

C. No person 10 years of age or younger may hunt with a muzzle-loader.

**Sec. 2. 12 MRSA §7107-A, sub-§1-A** is enacted to read:

**1-A. Form of license.** The muzzle-loading hunting license must be in the form of a stamp that must be affixed to the person's big game hunting license or junior hunting license. The stamp must bear the words "RIGHT TO BEAR ARMS."

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## CHAPTER 48

**S.P. 144 - L.D. 435**

### **An Act to Repeal the Release Review Advisory Committee**

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

**Sec. 1. 5 MRSA §12004-I, sub-§64**, as enacted by PL 1987, c. 786, §5, is repealed.

**Sec. 2. 34-B MRSA §1213**, as enacted by PL 1985, c. 796, §7, is repealed.

See title page for effective date.

## CHAPTER 49

**H.P. 361 - L.D. 464**

### **An Act to Amend the Procedure for Settling Disputes on Construction Contract Claims**

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

**Sec. 1. 5 MRSA §1749, 2nd ¶**, as enacted by PL 1967, c. 203, is amended to read:

If, in the construction of any public work, including buildings, highways, bridges, dams and drainage structures, ~~which that~~ the State of Maine does by contract, there arises a dispute between the State of Maine and the contractor ~~which cannot that can not~~ be settled, then

this dispute ~~shall must~~ be submitted to, at the discretion of the Director of the Bureau of General Services, to alternative dispute resolution or to binding arbitration ~~and both the State of Maine and the contractor shall be bound by the decision of the arbitrator.~~ Either the State or the contractor may, if unsatisfied by the alternative dispute resolution process, submit the dispute to binding arbitration.

**Sec. 2. 5 MRSA §1749, 3rd ¶**, as enacted by PL 1967, c. 203, is repealed.

See title page for effective date.

## CHAPTER 50

**H.P. 362 - L.D. 465**

### **An Act to Coordinate Public Sector Occupational Health and Safety Regulations**

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

**Sec. 1. 26 MRSA §2107**, as repealed and replaced by PL 1987, c. 552, §6, is amended to read:

**§2107. Rules**

The ~~Bureau of Labor Standards~~ Board of Occupational Safety and Health shall adopt rules to carry out and enforce this chapter.

See title page for effective date.

## CHAPTER 51

**H.P. 363 - L.D. 466**

### **An Act Allowing the Bureau of Labor Standards to Enter into Reciprocal Agreements in the Area of Employment Standards with Other States**

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

**Sec. 1. 26 MRSA §42**, as repealed and replaced by PL 1989, c. 502, Pt. B, §24, is amended by adding at the end a new paragraph to read:

The director may enter into reciprocal agreements with other states that maximize compliance with employment standards enforced by the director.

See title page for effective date.