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the commission's recommendation regarding whether the demonstration program should continue, along with necessary implementing legislation.

Sec. 2. 22 MRSA §395-A, sub-§3, ¶¶C and D, as enacted by PL 1989, c. 565, §11, are amended to read:

C. Cardiac angiography; ~~and~~

D. Cardiac catheterization services; ~~and~~

Sec. 3. 22 MRSA §395-A, sub-§3, ¶E is enacted to read:

E. Thallium scanning.

See title page for effective date.

CHAPTER 122

H.P. 679 - L.D. 921

An Act to Authorize the Operation of Articulated Buses on Maine Highways

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

Sec. 1. 29 MRSA §1, sub-§24 is enacted to read:

24. Articulated bus. "Articulated bus" means a bus consisting of 2 passenger-carrying sections in which the rear body section is flexibly but permanently connected to the front section in a manner that allows the vehicle to bend without having an interior barrier to movement between sections of the vehicle.

Sec. 2. 29 MRSA §244, sub-§4, ¶F is enacted to read:

F. Notwithstanding any other provisions of this subsection, articulated buses may be operated or caused to be operated as long as the following conditions are met:

(1) The total length of the vehicle does not exceed 61 feet, excluding bumpers;

(2) The rearmost axle of the vehicle is self-steering;

(3) The vehicle is equipped with an interlock device to prevent the vehicle from jackknifing while backing up;

(4) The vehicle is equipped with an audible or visible signal that indicates to the driver

who overrides the interlock device when the vehicle is nearing the jackknife position; and

(5) The turntable floor is properly aligned to maintain a level surface while the vehicle is in operation.

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CHAPTER 123

H.P. 723 - L.D. 982

An Act to Increase Reimbursement to the State Police for Services Provided to Federal Agencies

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

Sec. 1. 25 MRSA §1502, 4th ¶, as enacted by PL 1989, c. 757, is amended to read:

The State Police may provide assistance to federal agencies ~~for presidential security~~. The Chief of the State Police may charge the various federal agencies for these services. Revenues received from these agencies ~~shall~~ must be allocated for the purpose of funding the cost of providing the services.

See title page for effective date.

CHAPTER 124

H.P. 386 - L.D. 499

An Act to Clarify the Process of Resolving Nuisance Complaints Involving Agriculture and to Protect Farm Operations

Emergency preamble. **Whereas,** Acts of the Legislature do not become effective until 90 days after adjournment unless enacted as emergencies; and

Whereas, this legislation proposes improvements in the laws related to agricultural activities that will be in full operation before this legislation would otherwise become effective; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts create an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution of Maine and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore,

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