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Nothing in this chapter prohibits a municipality from adopting or enforcing an ordinance that regulates massage, massage practitioners or massage therapists. If a municipality adopts such an ordinance, an individual must comply with the provisions of this chapter and any provision of the local ordinance that is more restrictive than this chapter.

Sec. 10. 32 MRSA §14311 is enacted to read:

§14311. Reciprocity

Reciprocity is granted to individuals from other states as long as they meet the requirements of this chapter for status as certified massage therapists or registered massage practitioners and show proof of current certification or registration from their states.

See title page for effective date.

CHAPTER 246

H.P. 940 - L.D. 1269

An Act to Authorize the Commissioner of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife to Alter the Deer Seasons

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

Sec. 1. 12 MRSA §7457, sub-§1, ¶I is enacted to read:

I. The commissioner, by rule, may create special hunting seasons for the taking of deer in any part of the State to maintain deer populations in balance with available habitat, subject to the following.

(1) The demarcation of each area must follow recognizable physical boundaries, such as rivers, roads and railroad rights-of-way.

(2) The determination of these areas must be made and published prior to August 1st of each year.

(3) The commissioner may implement a permit system to regulate hunter participation in a special season and the number, sex and age of deer harvested.

(4) Special hunts must take place between the close of the special muzzle-loading season and January 31st.

(5) The commissioner may establish limits on the number of deer taken or possessed by persons during any special season. Lim-

its established by the commissioner under this subparagraph are exceptions to the limits imposed under section 7458, subsections 1 and 2.

(6) The commissioner may specify types of weapons to be used during a special season.

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CHAPTER 247

H.P. 1028 - L.D. 1380

An Act Regarding Registration of Nursing Assistants

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

Sec. 1. 22 MRSA §1812-G, sub-§2, ¶A, as enacted by PL 1991, c. 421, §1, is amended to read:

A. Any convictions of abuse, neglect or misappropriation of property of a resident, client or patient ~~an individual~~; and

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CHAPTER 248

S.P. 245 - L.D. 764

An Act to Determine Eligibility of Child for Benefits

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

Sec. 1. 22 MRSA §4007, sub-§6, as enacted by PL 1991, c. 840, §6, is repealed and the following enacted in its place:

6. Benefits and support for children in custody of department. When a child has been ordered into the custody of the department under this chapter, Title 15, chapter 507 or Title 19, chapter 13, within 30 days of the order, each parent shall provide the department with information necessary for the department to make a determination regarding the eligibility of the child for state, federal or other 3rd-party benefits, and shall provide any necessary authorization for the department to apply for these benefits for the child.

Prior to a hearing under section 4034, subsection 4, section 4035 or section 4038, each parent shall file income affidavits as required by Title 19, sections 312 and 314, unless current information is already on file with the