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## CHAPTER 15

## POSSESSION OF FIREARMS BY FELONS

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**§ 391. Definitions**

The following words and phrases when used in this chapter are defined as follows:

“Pistol,” “revolver” and “firearm” mean a weapon capable of being concealed upon the person and shall include all firearms having a barrel of less than 12 inches in length.

1955, c. 310.

**§ 392. Application**

The penal provisions of section 393 shall not apply to any person commissioned as a peace officer, employed as a guard or watchman nor to any person who has not been convicted of a penal offense during the 5-year period next immediately following his discharge or release from prison.

1955, c. 310.

**§ 393. Possession forbidden**

It shall be unlawful for any person who has been convicted of a felony under the laws of the United States or of the State of Maine, or of any other state, to have in his possession any pistol, revolver or any other firearm capable of being concealed upon the person. Anyone violating any of the provisions of this chapter shall be guilty of a felony, and upon conviction thereof, shall be punished by imprisonment for not less than one nor more than 5 years.

1955, c. 310.