

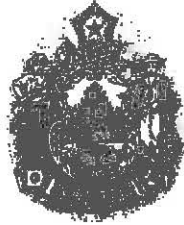
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STATE OF MAINE
DEPARTMENT OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL
AUGUSTA

September ¹²~~20~~, 1941

W. Earle Bradbury
Acting Chief Warden
Inland Fisheries and Game
Augusta, Maine

Dear Sir:

I have your memo of September 9th, in regard to searching trucks of the Federal Government, or under lease or hire by the Federal Government used in construction projects. I do not know of any law or regulation which would prohibit an officer of the State of Maine from policing his assignment area in the State of Maine, with the exception of the Federal law in regard to mail trucks or mail delivery wagons, and the further exception of any person performing certain important and confidential functions of and for the Federal Government. Even under those circumstances I believe the privilege is extremely limited.

If you meet with any difficulty in connection with this matter let me know at once, and I will consider the question further.

Very truly yours,

Frank I. Cowan
Attorney General

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