

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

The following document is provided by the
LAW AND LEGISLATIVE DIGITAL LIBRARY
at the Maine State Law and Legislative Reference Library
<http://legislature.maine.gov/lawlib>



Reproduced from scanned originals with text recognition applied
(searchable text may contain some errors and/or omissions)

**This document is from the files of the Office of
the Maine Attorney General as transferred to
the Maine State Law and Legislative Reference
Library on January 19, 2022**

June 24, 1942

John S. S. Fessenden, Assistant Attorney General

Earle R. Hayes, Director
State Personnel Board

Confirming the oral opinion given to you yesterday, you are advised that delegated authority cannot be re-delegated and that while the office of Commissioner of Health and Welfare is vacant and the office of the Assistant to which the previous Commissioner had delegated authority is vacant, the responsible legal authority is vested in the duly appointed and qualified Directors of the Bureaus within the Department of Health and Welfare.

Frank I. Cowan
Attorney General

By: _____
John S. S. Fessenden
Assistant Attorney General

JSSF:GH