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Mr. Charles Wheatley,
83 Myrtle Street,
Manchester, New Hampshire.

Dear Sir:-

Your letter of May 29th addressed to the Maine State Development Commission has been referred to this office for reply.

Paragraph IX of Section 6 of Chapter 13, Revised Statutes of 1930, as amended, provides in part as follows relative to exemption from taxation for war veterans:

"z. The polls of all soldiers sailors and marines who served in the war with Spain; the polls of all soldiers, sailors and marines who served in the Philippine insurrection; the polls of all disabled veterans of the world war. . . who are receiving compensation or vocational training from the United States government on account of disability incurred in or aggravated by service in the world war; and the estates up to the value of thirty-five hundred dillars of all soldiers, sailors and marines . . . who served in the war of 1861-1865, the Indian wars, the war with Spain, in the Philippine insurrection or the world war and were honorably discharged, who shall have reached the age of sixty-two years, or are receiving a pension or compensation from the pension bureau of the United States Veterans Bureau for total disability. . . ; provided, however, that no exemption shall be allowed hereunder in favor of any person who is not a legal resident of the State of Maine."

Very truly yours,

Frank A. Farrington
Deputy Attorney General

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