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STATE OF MAINE

REPORT

OF THE

ATTORNEY GENERAL

for the calendar years
1951 - 1954

sovereign power and in the performance of which the public is concerned, of a continuing nature, etc.

In particular instances where a member of the Legislature is being considered for a position the emoluments of which have been increased by the legislature of which he is a member, the problem should be submitted to this office for final determination.

JAMES G. FROST
Assistant Attorney General

June 26, 1951

To Mrs. Evelyn D. Marshall, Factory Inspector, Labor and Industry
Re: Authority under secs. 22 and 24, Ch. 25, R. S. 1944

In your memo of June 15, 1951, you request an opinion relative to the regulation of female employees working in ice cream stands similar to the stands known as "Dairy Queen", "Dairy Treat", etc.

The statute under consideration regulates the employment of females in various fields including manufacturing, mechanical or mercantile establishment, hotel, restaurant, etc.

It is our opinion that such businesses come under the heading of manufacturing establishment, and operators of such establishments are subject to the laws relative to manufacturing establishments.

You will note that under Chapter 184, Public Laws of 1951, effective August 20, under "Definition", the following definition is given:

"Retail manufacturer' shall mean any manufacturer of frozen dairy products who is not defined as a wholesale manufacturer."

JAMES G. FROST
Assistant Attorney General

June 26, 1951

To Honorable Frederick G. Payne, Governor of Maine
Re: Liquor Research Commission; School Building Commission

Your memo of June 22d received and the following are answers with respect to your inquiries concerning the Liquor Research Commission and the commission created by the Maine School Building Authority.

Question 1. Mr. Obert, Chairman of the Liquor Research Commission created by Chapter 213, P&SL 1949, asks if that Commission is to continue functioning or has ceased to exist.

Answer. It is our opinion that the Commission created in 1949 continues until the effective date of the 1951 Act (Ch. 218, P&SL 1951), at which time a new Commission should have been appointed and qualified, to continue the work started by the 1949 Act, and to perform its other prescribed duties.

If the present Commission has funds available, it may continue its duties until August 20, but funds appropriated for the fiscal year 1951-1952 will, of course, be unavailable to the present Commission.