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September 18, 1967

Harold E. Trahey, Acting Insurance
Commissioner
James S. Erwin, Attorney General

Insurance
Attorney General

Renewal Endorsements for Fire Insurance Policies.

In regard to your question of September 15 as to whether under our law a renewal endorsement can be issued in connection with a fire insurance policy, it is our opinion that under the present fire insurance statutes of the State of Maine, it would be permissible to extend a fire insurance policy in such a manner. An endorsement such as contemplated above, however, may not change any of the wording to be found in 24 M.R.S.A. § 1402, except as specifically provided by statute.

This opinion specifically overrules the opinion of the Attorney General issued to the Insurance Commissioner on October 28, 1942.

James S. Erwin
Attorney General

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