

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES
AS PASSED BY THE
Ninety-first and Ninety-second
Legislatures
OF THE
STATE OF MAINE

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EXECUTIVE ORDERS

of

Governor Sumner Sewall

From April 3, 1943 to January 1, 1945

(as reported to the Revisor of Statutes)

Whereas, in compliance with the order of the Commanding General, Eastern Defense Command and First Army, dated October 27, 1943, the Commanding General, First Service Command, has suspended effective November 1, 1943, the dimout regulations within the area under his command; and

Whereas, under authority of Section 1, Chapter 305 of the Public Laws of 1941 approved January 21, 1942, and entitled "An Act to Create the Maine Civilian Defense Corps and Provide for the Safety of the State in Time of War," the Governor is empowered and directed to cooperate with the Federal Government and to provide for the security, health, and welfare of the people of the State of Maine;

Now, therefore, I, Sumner Sewall, Governor of the State of Maine, do hereby suspend effective at 12:01 A. M., Monday, November 1, 1943, Executive Order No. 26 and all regulations issued under the authority of said Order, except that installations of a permanent nature shall not be altered so as to prevent prompt compliance, should dimout regulations be resumed.

The Director of Civilian Defense shall make such additional rules and regulations as may be necessary to effect the proper and immediate compliance with this order.

SUMNER SEWALL,
Governor of Maine.

October 28, 1943

STATE OF MAINE
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
Augusta

Executive Order—No. 30

Whereas, under the authority of Section 1 of Chapter 305 of the Public Laws of 1941, approved January 21, 1942, and entitled "An Act to Create the Maine Civilian Defense Corps and Provide for the Safety of the State in Time of War," the Governor is empowered to cooperate with the federal government and empowered and directed to make, issue and enforce such rules and regulations as he may deem necessary to carry out the provision of this Act, and

Whereas, the United States Navy has requested permission to use a specified area within the territorial jurisdiction of the State of Maine for the purpose of ground strafing, otherwise known as shooting at targets on the surface of the land or water from planes.

Now, therefore, I, Sumner Sewall, Governor of Maine, by virtue of the authority vested in me, do hereby issue the following rules and regulations to have the force and effect of law immediately after the same has been published in the State paper for three (3) consecutive days, the first publication to be November 6, 1943.

1. The United States Navy is hereby permitted to engage in the air to ground strafing of targets on the surface of the land or sea within the following designated area, provided written permission is first obtained from the private owner or owners of the land on which the target is located:

Beginning at a point on Georgetown Island in the County of Sagadahoc and State of Maine, where the Little River reaches Sheepscot Bay, thence in a general southerly direction to White Ledge, so-called, to be marked by a black and white spar buoy, thence in an easterly direction three miles, which point is to be marked by a black and white spar buoy, thence in a general north-westerly direction to Griffith Head Ledge, thence in a westerly direction to Griffith Head, thence southwesterly along the shore of Georgetown Island known locally as Mile Beach and continuing along what is known as Half Mile Beach, to the point of beginning.

2. The above described use of said area by the United States Navy is confined to the time between 10 A. M. and 4 P. M.
3. All persons other than such as are expressly so authorized by the United States Navy are forbidden to enter within the above described area between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 P. M.

SUMNER SEWALL,
Governor of Maine.

November 4, 1943

STATE OF MAINE
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
Augusta

Executive Order—No. 31

Whereas, under the authority of Section 1 of Chapter 305 of the Public Laws of 1941, approved January 21, 1942, and entitled "An Act to Create the Maine Civilian Defense Corps and Provide for the Safety of the State in Time of War," the Governor is empowered to cooperate with the federal government and empowered and directed to make, issue and enforce such