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|                |   | L.D. 1946  |     |
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| 10<br>12       | STATE OF MAINE<br>SENATE<br>116TH LEGISLATURE<br>SECOND REGULAR SESSION |  |     |
| 14             | 1   |  |     |
| 14             |   | .P. 725, L.D. 1946, Bill, "An                      | Act |
| 16             | Concerning Summer Work Permits"   |  |     |
| 18             | Amend the bill by striking  | out everything after the enact:                    | inc |
|                | clause and before the emergency   |  |     |
| 20             | the following:  |  |     |
| 22             | 'Sec. 1. 26 MRSA §775, sub-§6 §7 and affected by §9, is further         | 6, as amended by PL 1991, c. 71 r amended to read: | 13, |
| 24             |   |  |     |
| 26             | 6. Exception. This sect<br>engaged in work performed in                 | tion does not apply to mind                        |     |
|                | harvesting of field crops or oth  |  |     |
| 28             | direct contact with hazardous π   |  |     |
| 30             | or to minors engaged in how<br>participants in summer youth e           | usehold work. Minors who a                         |     |
| , 0            | funded by the Department of I   |  |     |
| 32             | individual permits as long as th  | e program employing the minor h                    | ıas |
| . 34           | <pre>submitted a master permit as section 777.</pre>                    | developed by the director und                      | ler |
| · <del>*</del> | Section ///.  |  |     |
| 6              |   | ended by PL 1991, c. 544, §7,                      | is  |
|                | further amended to read:  |  |     |

§777. Blanks furnished; filing of triplicate permits; surrender and cancellation of permits

The blank work permit required by section 775 must be formulated by the director and furnished by the director to the

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persons authorized to issue work permits. The forms of such the permits must be approved by the Attorney General. Every work permit must be made out in triplicate. All triplicates, accompanied by the original papers on which such the permits were issued, must be forwarded to the bureau by the officer issuing the permits, within 24 hours of the time the permit was issued. The bureau shall examine such the papers and promptly return them to the officer who sent them after validating the copies and retaining one copy for bureau files. The officer may then return to the minor all papers filed in proof of age. Whenever there is reason to believe that a work permit was improperly issued, the director, deputy director or agent shall notify the local superintendent of schools of the place in which such the certificate was issued. The local superintendent shall cancel such the permit when directed to do so by the director.

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The director shall develop a master permit system for participants in summer youth employment and training programs funded by the Department of Labor. The master permit eliminates the need for prior approval by the director or the superintendent of schools. A minor on a master permit may be removed from the master permit for the same reasons and in the same manner as applicable to an individual work permit.'

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## STATEMENT OF FACT

This amendment exempts participants in summer youth employment and training programs as long as the programs have submitted a master permit. The amendment also directs the Director of Labor Standards to develop a master permit system.

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