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STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
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AN ACT Relating to Installations of Certain Gas Burning Appliances.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

R. S., c. 97, § 43-A, additional. Chapter 97 of the Revised Statutes is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section, to be numbered 43-A, to read as follows:

'Sec. 43-A. Installation of certain gas burning appliances to conform to standards. No artificial, liquefied petroleum, manufactured or natural gas burning appliances of whatever type shall hereafter be installed unless such installation complies with regulations issued by the Insurance Commissioner. Such regulations shall be the applicable standards of National Fire Protection Association as amended from time to time and shall be issued in accordance with the procedure set forth in Section 43. Such regulations may be amended or rescinded in accordance with said procedure and any person aggrieved thereby shall have all the rights granted to such a person by Section 43.

This section shall not apply to those types of heating units such as bunsen burners, torches, flares, urn burners, etc., which are not an integral part of the appliance.

Any violation of the regulations issued by the Insurance Commissioner hereunder shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$100 or by imprisonment for not more than 90 days, or by both.'