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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

SEVENTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

1909

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PUBLIC LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

As Passed by the Seventy-fourth  
Legislature

1909

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**Chapter 59.**

An Act to amend Section sixteen of Chapter fifteen of the Revised Statutes, relating to Public Schools.

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

Section sixteen of chapter fifteen of the revised statutes is hereby amended by striking out after the word "to" in line three of said section the words "examine teachers as prescribed" and inserting in place thereof the words 'employ teachers certificated as required' and by adding after the word "law" in line nine of said section the words 'and that it has complied in all ways with the laws prescribing the duties of towns in relation to public schools,' so that said section, when amended shall read as follows:

Section 16,  
chapter 15,  
R. S.  
amended.

'Section 16. When the governor and council have reason to believe that a town has neglected to raise and expend the school money required by law, or to employ teachers certificated as required by law, or to have instruction given in the subjects prescribed by law, or to provide suitable text-books in the subjects prescribed by law, or faithfully to expend the school money received from the state or in any way, to comply with the law prescribing the duties of towns in relation to public schools, they shall direct the treasurer of state to withhold further payment to such town from the state school fund and mill tax until such town satisfies them that it has expended the full amount of school money as required by law and that it has complied in all ways with the law prescribing the duties of towns in relation to public schools.'

School fund  
and mill tax  
to be with-  
held from  
delinquent  
towns.

Approved March 11, 1909.

**Chapter 60.**

An Act to amend Section thirty-four of Chapter forty-one of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter one hundred and twenty-five of the Public Laws of nineteen hundred and seven, relating to Bait Barrels.

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

Section thirty-four of chapter forty-one of the revised statutes, as amended by chapter one hundred and twenty-five of the public laws of nineteen hundred and seven, is hereby amended by striking out all of said section after the words "thirty days" and inserting in place thereof the following:

Section 34,  
chapter 41,  
R. S., as  
amended by  
chapter 125,  
public laws,  
1907, further  
amended.

'In all contracts relating to the sale of clam bait, fresh or salt, by the barrel, and clam bait barrels, such barrel shall be twenty-five and one-fourth inches long, and fifteen and one-half inches head diameter, outside measure.