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## **PUBLIC LAWS**

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#### ACCOUNTS OF PUBLIC UTILITIES.

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produces, refines, manufactures or compounds internal combustion engine fuels as herein defined within the state; and also any person, association of persons, firm or corporation who purchases in lots of five thousand gallons or more, either within or without the state, internal combustion engine fuels, as herein defined, for the purpose of resale within the state.'

Approved March 30, 1931.

### Chapter 116.

#### AN ACT Relating to Procedure before Public Utilities Commission.

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

**R. S., c.** 62, sec. 63; relating to exceptions to rulings, amended. Section sixty-three of chapter sixty-two of the revised statutes is hereby amended by striking out the whole of said section and by substituting in place thereof the following:

'Sec. 63. Questions of law may be raised on exceptions to rulings; decision certified to clerk of commission. Questions of law may be raised by alleging exceptions to the ruling of the commission on an agreed statement of facts, or on facts found by the commission, and such exceptions shall be allowed by the chairman of the commission and certified by the clerk thereof to the next term of the law court to be entered on the docket thereof and argued and determined according to the rules of procedure in said court. The result shall be certified by the clerk of the law court to the clerk of the commission, the prevailing party to recover costs.'

Approved March 30, 1931.

### Chapter 117.

AN ACT Relating to Closing of Accounts of Public Utilities.

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

R. S., c. 62, sec. 22; relating to accounts closed Dec. 31st, balance sheet filed with commission, amended. Section twenty-two of chapter sixty-two of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding thereto the following: 'and may in its discretion excuse any public utility from filing such returns when the gross revenue of such utility does not exceed the sum of one thousand dollars.' So that said section as amended shall read as follows:

'Sec. 22. When public utility may be excused from filing such returns. The accounts of all public utilities shall be closed annually on the thirty-

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