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Sec. 2. P. L., 1933, cc. 110, 186, repealed. Chapters 110 and 186 of the public laws of 1933 are hereby repealed.

Approved April 6, 1935.

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## Chapter 188.

### AN ACT Relating to Bounty on Bobcats.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 38, § 77, amended. The first paragraph of section 77 of chapter 38 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'There shall be a bounty of ~~\$10~~ \$15 for every bobcat, loupcevrier and Canada lynx which is killed within the state, to be paid by the treasurer of state to the person killing the same upon compliance with the following conditions. No bounty shall be paid unless the claimant, within 5 days after he has killed such animal ~~or has returned from the hunting in which he killed it~~, exhibits to the town treasurer the entire skin thereof, with the ears, nose and tail thereon in as perfect a state as when killed, except natural decay, and signs a certificate under oath which said treasurer may administer, stating that he killed such animal and the time and place within the state. Such certificate must be approved by and bear the signature of the warden or chief warden in whose district the animal was killed, stating that he believes the cat to have been killed at the time and place stated therein, and the treasurer shall thereupon cut off the whole of the tail from the skin and forward the same by mail to the commissioner together with the claimant's certificate in the following form:'

Sec. 2. R. S., c. 38, § 77, amended. The last paragraph of section 77 of chapter 38 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Upon receipt by the state controller of a certificate from the commissioner showing that said commissioner has received the tail of the bobcat, loupcevrier or Canada lynx from the treasurer sent as aforesaid, together with said treasurer's certificate, said controller shall audit the claim for bounty and the same shall be paid forthwith by the treasurer of state to the claimant from fines and penalties recovered and money received, or collected under any provision of the inland fish or game laws, or amendment thereof, or for sale of any seized or confiscated articles. After the foregoing appropriation has been exhausted, any further bounties shall be paid from the general appropriation of the department of inland fisheries and game, and if said appropriation is not exhausted any balance thereof shall revert to the general funds of the fish and game department. The town treasurer for administering the oath to a claimant's certificate as

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above, and for forwarding the same with the tail of the animal to the commissioner shall be paid by the claimant the sum of 25 cents.'

Approved April 6, 1935.

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## Chapter 189.

### AN ACT to Regulate the Practice of Professional Engineering; Creating a State Board of Registration for Professional Engineers.

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

**Sec. 1. General provisions.** In order to safeguard life, health and property, any person practicing or offering to practice the profession of engineering, shall after January 1, 1936 be required to submit evidence that he is qualified so to practice and shall be registered as hereinafter provided; and it shall be unlawful for any person to practice or to offer to practice the profession of engineering, in the state, or to use in connection with his name or otherwise assume, use, or advertise any title or description tending to convey the impression that he is a professional engineer, unless such person has been duly registered or exempted under the provisions of this act.

**Sec. 2. Definitions.** The term "professional engineer" as used in this act shall mean a person who, by reason of his knowledge of mathematics, the physical sciences, and the principles of engineering, acquired by professional education and practical experience, is qualified to engage in engineering practice as hereinafter defined.

The practice of professional engineering within the meaning and intent of this act shall be held to mean any professional service, such as consultation, investigation, evaluation, planning, design, or responsible supervision of construction in connection with any public or private utilities, structures, buildings, machines, equipment, processes, works, or projects, wherein the public welfare, or the safeguarding of life, health or property is concerned or involved, when such professional service requires the application of engineering principles and data.

The term "board" as used in this act shall mean the state board of registration for professional engineers, provided for by this act.

**Sec. 3. State board of registration for professional engineers; appointment of members; terms.** A state board of registration for professional engineers is hereby created whose duty it shall be to administer the provisions of this act. The board shall consist of 5 professional engineers, who shall be appointed by the governor by and with the consent of the council from among nominees recommended by the representative engineer-