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**STATE OF MAINE**

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## Chapter 63

### AN ACT Relating to Harbor Masters.

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

R. S., c. 5, § 186, amended. Section 186 of chapter 5 of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding thereto the following:

**'Whoever neglects or refuses to obey the orders of such harbor master, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and, upon conviction, shall be punished by imprisonment for not more than 60 days, or by a fine of not more than \$50, or by both such fine and imprisonment.'**

Approved March 14, 1941

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## Chapter 64

### AN ACT Relating to Boards of Zoning Ordinances.

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

R. S., c. 5, § 140, amended. The second paragraph of section 140 of chapter 5 of the revised statutes, as enacted by chapter 127 of the public laws of 1939, is hereby amended to read as follows:

**'Boards of zoning adjustment and municipal officers when acting as such boards may be authorized in the zoning ordinance or by-law which shall specify the number and terms of members, the mode of appointment and other details relating to the organization and procedure of such board and which may empower such board to administer the details of the application of the zoning ordinance and regulations in accordance with the rules set forth in the zoning ordinance, including the power to hear and determine appeals from the refusal of building permits and to permit exceptions to or variations from the zoning regulations in the class of cases or situations and in accordance with the principles, conditions and procedure specified in the zoning ordinance and to recommend amendments thereto.'**

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