

### ACTS AND RESOLVES

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## PUBLIC LAWS

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#### CLARIFYING THE LAW

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Whereas, their licenses are now due for renewal; and

Whereas, the payment of the license fee provided for by law would create a hardship on the members of our armed forces; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the legislature these facts create an emergency within the meaning of section 16 of Article XXXI of the constitution of Maine, and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore,

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

**R. S., c. 29, § 33, amended.** Section 33 of chapter 29 of the revised statutes, as amended, is hereby further amended by adding at the end thereof a new paragraph to read as follows:

Provided, however, that the secretary of state, on application from any person who is serving in the armed forces of the United States, and who has a license to operate a motor vehicle in the state of Maine, shall renew his license without the requirement of the payment of any fee.'

'This act shall remain in force only for the duration of the war and 6 months thereafter.'

**Emergency clause.** In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this act shall take effect when approved.

Effective March 25, 1943

#### Chapter 158

#### AN ACT Clarifying the Law Relating to Clerk Hire in the Office of Register of Deeds in Washington County.

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

Sec. 1. P. L., 1939, c. 279, § 2, repealed. Section 2 of chapter 279 of the public laws of 1939 is hereby repealed.

Sec. 2. R. S., c. 125, § 46, amended. So much of the 16th paragraph of section 46 of chapter 125 of the revised statutes as relates to clerks in the office of register of deeds in Washington county, is hereby amended to read as follows:

'for clerks in the office of register of deeds, seven hundred eighty dollars \$1,080;'

Effective July 9, 1943