

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES
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Legislatures
OF THE
STATE OF MAINE
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rules and regulations for the holding, conducting and operating of such amusements as he may deem advisable for the purpose of this act; and shall have the power and authority to regulate, supervise and exercise general control over the operation of such amusements; and to investigate as to the direct or indirect ownership and control of any licensee; and to revoke or suspend any license because of licensee permitting nuisances, improper conduct, abuse of privileges, or for other cause shown upon reasonable notice or hearing.

Sec. 5. Expenses of administration. The necessary expenses of administering the provisions of this act shall be paid out of the fees received under the provisions of this act.

Sec. 6. Effect of other laws. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith shall be inoperative as to this act, and its share of the state stipend for aid and encouragement to agricultural societies shall not be withheld from any such society because of the conducting on the fair grounds of the game of "Beano".

Sec. 7. Penalties. Any person, firm, association or corporation holding or conducting, or aiding or abetting in the holding or conducting of such amusement within the state without a license therefor duly issued by the chief of the state police, or any person, firm, association or corporation who violates any of the provisions of this act or any of the rules or regulations of the chief of the state police prescribed by authority of this act shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$1,000.

Effective July 9, 1943

Chapter 356

AN ACT Relating to the Salaries of Commissioner of Labor and Industry and the Commissioner of Insurance as Members of the Industrial Accident Commission.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 55, § 28, amended. The 3rd paragraph of section 28 of chapter 55 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

The chairman shall receive a salary of \$4,500 per annum, and the other commissioners a salary of \$4,000 each per annum. The commissioner of labor and industry, in addition to his salary as such, shall receive for his services as a member of the commission ~~two thousand dollars~~ \$1,000 per annum. ~~The commissioner of insurance, for his services as a member of the commission, shall receive the additional sum of fifteen hundred~~

dollars per annum. The members of the commission shall also receive their actual, necessary, cash expenses while away from their office on official business of the commission.'

Sec. 2. R. S., c. 125, § 33, amended. The 2nd and 3rd sentences of section 33 of chapter 125 of the revised statutes are hereby amended to read as follows:

'The commissioner of labor and industry, in addition to his salary as such, shall receive for his services as a member of the commission ~~two thousand dollars~~ \$1,000 annually. ~~The commissioner of insurance, for his services as a member of the commission, shall receive the additional sum of fifteen hundred dollars annually.~~ The members of the commission shall also receive their actual, necessary, cash expenses while away from their office on official business of the commission.'

Sec. 3. R. S., c. 125, § 20, amended. Section 20 of chapter 125 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 20. The department of labor and industry. The commissioner of labor and industry and state factory inspector shall receive an annual salary of ~~two thousand dollars~~ \$3,000; the commissioner and the deputy state factory inspector shall also receive their actual traveling expenses.'

Sec. 4. R. S., c. 125, § 16, amended. Section 16 of chapter 125 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 16. The insurance department. The insurance commissioner shall receive an annual salary of ~~two thousand five hundred dollars~~ \$4,500.'

Effective July 9, 1943

Chapter 357

AN ACT Defining the General Highway Fund.

Emergency preamble. Whereas, the finances of the state are such as to require an immediate program of strictest economy in the management of all its affairs; and

Whereas, it is immediately necessary in accordance with the foregoing to determine the program for highway construction to be henceforth pursued so that available funds may be used to the greatest advantage and be most wisely and economically expended; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the legislature these facts create an emergency within the meaning of section 16 of Article XXXI of the constitu-