

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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**ACTS AND RESOLVES**  
AS PASSED BY THE  
**Ninety-second and Ninety-third**  
**Legislatures**  
OF THE  
**STATE OF MAINE**

**From April 22, 1945 to May 14, 1947**  
**AND MISCELLANEOUS STATE PAPERS**  
**From May 25, 1945 to May 14, 1947**

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**PUBLIC LAWS**  
OF THE  
**STATE OF MAINE**

As Passed by the Ninety-third Legislature

**1947**

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hereinabove mentioned. Any corporation now or hereafter organized under the laws of this state shall, in addition to the rights, powers and franchises specified in its articles of incorporation, have full power and authority to exchange insurance contracts of the kind and character herein mentioned. The right to exchange such contracts is hereby declared to be incidental to the purposes for which such corporations are organized and as much granted as the rights and powers expressly conferred. Where such contracts are exchanged through an attorney, agent or other representative acting for such individuals, firms or corporations, the said attorney, agent or other representative shall file with the commissioner a declaration in writing, verified by the oath of such attorney, agent or other representative, setting forth:

- I. The name of the attorney, agent or other representative through whom such contracts are exchanged.
- II. A copy of the form of policy, contract or agreement under which such insurance is to be exchanged.
- III. A copy of the form of power of attorney or other authority of such attorney, agent or other representative under which such contracts are to be exchanged.
- IV. The location of the office or offices from which such contracts or agreements are to be issued.
- V. That applications have been made for indemnity upon at least 100 separate risks as represented by bona fide applications to become concurrently effective, and that there is on deposit with such attorney, or properly constituted trustees, a sum in cash or convertible securities sufficient to pay at least 1 total loss equal to the maximum line on any 1 risk.'

Effective August 13, 1947

## Chapter 243

AN ACT Relating to Publication of Applications for Liquor Licenses.

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

R. S., c. 57, § 22-A, additional. Chapter 57 of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section, to be numbered 22-A, to read as follows:

'Sec. 22-A. Notice of application for license to be published. No new license for the sale of liquor shall be issued, except licenses for malt liquor not to be consumed on the premises, until notice of application for same has

been published by the commission in the official state paper and a 10-day period has elapsed from the date of such publication.'

Effective August 13, 1947

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## Chapter 244

### AN ACT Relating to the Supreme Court of Probate.

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

R. S., c. 140, § 32, amended. Section 32 of chapter 140 of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof a new paragraph to read as follows:

'When an appeal is taken on any ground to the appointment of a guardian of an adult person by the judge of probate under the provisions of section 4 and the following sections of chapter 145, the judge of probate may, notwithstanding such appeal, appoint a special guardian with or without further notice, if he decides that such appointment is necessary or expedient. Such special guardian shall give the same bond, have the same powers, and perform the same duties as regular guardians until the appeal is disposed of.'

Effective August 13, 1947

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## Chapter 245

### AN ACT Relating to Control of the Sale of Alcohol.

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

R. S., c. 57, § 7, amended. Section 7 of chapter 57 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 7. Penalty for non-compliance with subsection II of the preceding section. No person shall purchase, import, transport or sell alcohol in this state unless in accordance with the rules and regulations made by the commission under authority granted by subsection II of the preceding section or pursuant to license under the provisions of section 13. Whoever violates any of such rules and regulations shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$200, or by imprisonment for not more than 6 months, or by both such fine and imprisonment.'

Effective August 13, 1947