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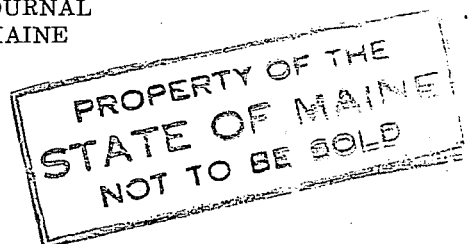
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Chapter 107

AN ACT Relating to State Owned Cars for Department of Sea and Shore Fisheries.

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

R. S., c. 14, § 29, amended. The 1st paragraph of section 29 of chapter 14 of the revised statutes, as repealed and replaced by chapter 390 of the public laws of 1947, is hereby amended to read as follows:

'The state shall provide no automobiles for travel of employees; provided, however, that this section shall not apply to the governor, the state police, department of inland fisheries and game, department of sea and shore fisheries, inspectors in the motor vehicle division of the secretary of state, supervisors in the Maine forestry district, highway department, nor to such heads of departments or members of commissions as the governor and council may from time to time designate. Nothing herein contained shall be deemed to preclude the maintenance of a reasonable and proper number of state owned cars to be operated from the state garage for occasional or emergency use.'

Effective August 6, 1949

Chapter 108

AN ACT Relating to Motor Vehicle Damage by Protected Wild Animals or Birds.

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

R. S., c. 33, §§ 84-A, 84-B, additional. Chapter 33 of the revised statutes, as revised, is hereby amended by adding thereto 2 new sections, to be numbered 84-A and 84-B, to read as follows:

'Sec. 84-A. Motor vehicle damage; investigation. The owner or driver of every motor vehicle which has been damaged by a protected wild animal or bird shall, within 24 hours thereafter, report all the facts relative to such accident to a fish and game warden. The warden shall immediately investigate the case and shall give to such person a certificate of his finding in the matter. Within 60 days thereafter, the owner of such motor vehicle shall send to the commissioner the receipted repair bill of the damage claimed. The commissioner shall thereupon cause to be made such investi-