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AS PASSED BY THE

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Chapter 131

AN ACT Relating to Fluoride in Public Water Supplies.

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

R. S., c. 22, § 122-B, additional. Chapter 22 of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 122-B, to read as follows:

'Sec. 122-B. Fluoride in public waters; rules and regulations. No municipality, water district, individual or any agency operating a public water supply shall add any fluoride to any such water supply without written approval of the department of health and welfare. The department is authorized to make such rules and regulations as it deems necessary to carry out the provisions of this section.'

Effective August 20, 1951

Chapter 132

AN ACT Relating to the Breeding and Raising of Mink.

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

R. S., c. 27, § 123-I, additional. Chapter 27 of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 123-I, to read as follows:

'Breeding and Raising Mink

'Sec. 123-I. Breeding and raising mink. Mink that have been propagated in captivity for 2 or more generations shall be considered domesticated animals subject to all the laws of the state with reference to possession, ownership and taxation as are at any time applicable to domesticated animals. Such domesticated mink, the pelts or products thereof, shall be deemed agricultural products and the breeding, raising, producing in captivity and marketing thereof shall be deemed an agricultural pursuit. Provided that any person, firm or corporation engaged in breeding and raising mink shall be licensed under the provisions of section 11, chapter 33, revised statutes of 1944, as revised.'

Effective August 20, 1951