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or loans for the use of the state highway commission for highway purposes. The said loan or loans shall not exceed 1/3 of the highway revenue received during the previous fiscal year and shall be repaid within the same fiscal year out of revenue credited to the general highway fund during that fiscal year.'

Effective August 20, 1951

Chapter 332

AN ACT Relating to Entrances to Highways.

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

R. S., c. 20, § 8-I, additional. Chapter 20 of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 8-I, to read as follows:

'Sec. 8-I. Construction of entrances to highways regulated. It shall be unlawful to construct or maintain any driveway, entrance or approach within the right of way of any state or state aid highway, without a written permit from the state highway commission and such right of way shall be deemed the full width of the right of way as laid out by the state, county or the town. The commission is authorized and directed to make such rules and regulations as to design, location and construction of driveways, entrances and approaches on said highways as will adequately protect and promote the safety of the traveling public, but the commission shall in no case deny reasonable ingress and egress to property abutting the highway except on limited access highways. No permit shall be required for any existing driveway, entrance or approach unless the grade or location of the same is changed, but if any driveway, entrance or approach is changed in location or grade or improved, a permit shall be required.

Whoever violates any of the foregoing provisions or the rules and regulations made under authority thereof shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$100.'

Effective August 20, 1951

Chapter 333

AN ACT Relating to Bulldozing of Streams.

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

R. S., c. 128, § 12-A, additional. Chapter 128 of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 12-A, to read as follows:

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'Sec. 12-A. Bulldozing of rivers, streams and brooks. The bulldozing between the banks of a river, stream or brook in unorganized territory in excess of 1,000 feet in length in any one mile, measured along the thread of the stream, is prohibited unless permission is first obtained from the commissioner of inland fisheries and game.

Whoever violates the provisions of this section shall be punished by a fine of not less than \$100, nor more than \$500.'

Effective August 20, 1951

Chapter 334

AN ACT Relating to Composite Certificates of Organization of Corporations.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 49, § 10-A, additional. Chapter 49 of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section, to be numbered 10-A, to read as follows:

'Sec. 10-A. Composite certificate of organization. The secretary of state shall prepare and furnish upon request therefor a certified composite certificate of organization which shall contain only such provisions as are in effect at the time of certification as a result of amendments to the original charter or certificate of organization or because of agreements of consolidation or merger. The secretary of state shall make in each case such reasonable charge therefor as he deems proper, in no case less than \$10. Any such certified copy may be recorded in the registry of deeds in the county where the principal office of the corporation is located.'

Sec. 2. R. S., c. 49, § 124, amended. Section 124 of chapter 49 of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof a new paragraph, to read as follows:

'Such foreign corporation may file a re-stated or composite charter or certificate of incorporation certified under the seal of the state or country in which such corporation is incorporated by the secretary of state thereof or by the officer having charge of the original record therein in lieu of a copy of the original charter or certificate of incorporation.'

Sec. 3. P. L., 1951, c. 148, repealed; limitation. Chapter 148 of the

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