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ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

Ninety-seventh Legislature

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

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At The

SPECIAL SESSION

September 21-23, 1954

Supplementary to the Acts and Resolves of the Regular Session

Chapter 431

AN ACT Relating to the Fee for Stamping Beaver Skins.

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

Sec. 1. Stamping fee. All beaver skins must be presented to the Warden Supervisor in whose division they were caught or a Warden of that division authorized by the Chief Warden to tag and mark beaver and if said Supervisor or Warden is satisfied that the beaver presented were legally trapped in his division, he shall tag and mark the same in the manner as directed and with the materials furnished by the Commissioner. There shall be not less than 3 Wardens, in addition to the Supervisor, designated in any warden division for the purpose of stamping beaver skins. A fee of \$1 shall be paid by the trapper for each skin tagged and marked.

In case said beaver skins are libeled under the provisions of this chapter, and the libel is, for any reason, quashed or ruling thereon is against the state, or in case any complaint or indictment involving said skins results in a verdict for the defendant, said skins shall on request and payment of the \$1 fee be immediately tagged, marked and delivered to the person entitled to possession of the same.

Sec. 2. Repealing and amending clause. All acts and resolves or parts thereof inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed or amended to conform to the provisions of this act.

Sec. 3. Effective date. The provisions of this act shall become effective January 3, 1955.

Effective January 3, 1955

Director's note: Repealed by P. L., 1955, c. 405, § 48. Re-enacted by P. L., 1955, c. 150.

Chapter 432

AN ACT Relating to Licenses for Spouses and Children of Members of the Armed Forces of the United States to Hunt or Fish.

Emergency preamble. Whereas, there are members of the armed forces of the United States of America stationed at military and naval posts and bases within the state; and

Whereas, there are no provisions of law permitting spouses and minor children of such members to purchase licenses to hunt and fish at the resident license fee; and

Whereas, in order to permit spouses and minor children of such members to fish, it is vitally necessary that the following legislation become effective as soon as possible; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the legislature, these facts create an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution of Maine and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore,

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

Sec. 1. Licenses for spouses and minor children of members of armed service to hunt or fish. A license to hunt or fish shall be issued, at the resident license fee, to any member of the armed forces of the United States of America who is a citizen of the United States and stationed at some military or naval post, station or base within the state, or his or her spouse or minor child who is at least 16 years of age. Said member of the armed forces, desiring a hunting or fishing license, must present certification from the commander of said post, station or base, or his designated agent, that the person mentioned in the certification is stationed at or attached to said post, station or base.

Licenses shall be issued by the clerk of the town in which said military or naval post, station or base is situated.

Holders of such licenses shall be subject to all the laws of the state and the rules and regulations of the Commissioner of Inland Fisheries and Game regulating hunting and fish; and for violations of said laws or rules and regulations, such license shall be revoked in the same manner as provided for by law for the revocation of hunting and fishing licenses.

Sec. 2. Repealing and amending clause. All acts and resolves or parts thereof inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed or amended to conform to the provisions of this act.

Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this act shall take effect when approved.

Effective September 23, 1954

Director's note: Repealed by implication by Revised Statutes of 1954. Re-enacted by P. L., 1955, c. 9.

Chapter 433

AN ACT Relating to Standard Time During the Month of October, 1954.

Emergency preamble. Whereas, all of the other New England states have either advanced or are contemplating an advance of standard time for the month of October, 1954; and