

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

## Ninety-seventh Legislature

OF THE

# STATE OF MAINE

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## Chapter 335

### AN ACT Relating to Employment of Minors.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 30, § 23, amended. Section 23 of chapter 30 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 23. Employment of minors under 16 years of age prohibited in certain establishments. No minor under 16 years of age shall be employed, permitted or suffered to work in, about or in connection with any manufacturing or mechanical establishment, hotel, rooming house, laundry, dry cleaning establishment, bakery, bowling alley, poolroom, commercial places of amusement, including traveling shows and circuses, or in any theater or moving picture house as usher or attendant, nor in or about a projection booth. The provisions of this section pertaining to theaters shall not apply to minors under 16 years of age who are employed or in training as theatrical actors.'

Sec. 2. R. S., c. 30, § 42, amended. The 1st paragraph of section 42 of chapter 30 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Any person, firm or corporation, agent or manager of any firm or corporation, who, either for himself or for some firm or corporation, or by himself, or through his agents, servants or foremen, employs, permits or suffers any child to be employed, or to work in violation of any of the provisions of section 22 ~~26, 27, 28~~ to 29, inclusive, and sections 40 or 41, or otherwise fails to comply with any of the provisions of said sections, shall be punished by a fine of not less than \$25, nor more than \$200.'

Effective August 20, 1955

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## Chapter 336

### AN ACT Increasing Salary of Sheriff of Cumberland County.

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

R. S., c. 89, § 149, amended. That part of section 149 of chapter 89 of the revised statutes which relates to the salary of the sheriff of Cumberland county is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Cumberland, ~~\$5,000~~ \$5,500.'

Effective August 20, 1955

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## Chapter 337

### AN ACT Relating to Fraudulent Practices in Operation of Motor Vehicles for Profit.

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

R. S., c. 48, § 22, amended. The last sentence of section 22 of chapter 48 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows: