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# PUBLIC LAWS

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#### Chapter 55

#### AN ACT Defining Real Estate for the Purposes of Taxation.

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

**R. S., c. 91-A, §** 4, amended. The first sentence of section 4 of chapter 91-A of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by section 1 of chapter 399 of the public laws of 1955, is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Real estate, for the purposes of taxation, shall include all lands in the State and all buildings and other things affixed to the same, together with the water power, shore privileges and rights, forests and mineral deposits appertaining thereto; interests and improvements in land, the fee of which is in the State; interests by contract or otherwise in land real estate exempt from taxation; and lines of electric light and power companies.'

Effective August 28, 1957

### Chapter 56

#### AN ACT Relating to Change of Purposes of Domestic Mutual Insurance Companies.

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

**R. S., c. 60, § 33, amended.** The 1st sentence of section 33 of chapter 60 of the Revised Statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Any mutual insurance company organized for one or more of the purposes set forth in section 30 may at an annual meeting, or at a special meeting the call for which shall give notice of the proposed action, change its purposes by altering or abridging the same or by enlarging the same to include one or more of the purposes set forth in section 30, except subsections III, all of IV, excepting that portion which permits the writing of automobile medical payment coverages,  $\forall$ I VII, IX, X, XIV, and the 2nd and 4th paragraphs paragraph of subsection XV, or make any other change or alteration in its certificate of organization as originally filed or subsequently amended that may be desired, provided such change or alteration is not otherwise specifically provided for and would be proper to insert in an original certificate of organization.'

Effective August 28, 1957

### Chapter 57

AN ACT Relating to Cancellation of Motor Truck Authority.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 48, § 25, sub-§ IV, amended. The 1st 2 sentences of subsection IV of section 25 of chapter 48 of the Revised Statutes are hereby amended to read as follows: