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or flume of his wife or of another, shall be punished by imprisonment for not less than one year nor more than 10 years.'

Effective August 28, 1957

Chapter 63

AN ACT Relating to Permit Before Examination for Applicant to Practice Hairdressing and Beauty Culture.

Emergency preamble. Whereas, acts of the Legislature do not become effective until 90 days after adjournment; and

Whereas, applicants for examination to practice hairdressing and beauty culture will be harmed unless their permits to practice extend to the time when examination results are announced; and

Whereas, the following legislation is immediately necessary to prevent undue hardship; 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:

R. S., c. 25, § 224, amended. The 2nd paragraph of section 224 of chapter 25 of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by chapter 79 of the public laws of 1955, is hereby amended to read as follows:

'If any applicant to practice hairdressing and beauty culture, who has been a resident of the State of Maine for a period of at least 6 months, qualifies for examination, the Board may issue to such applicant until ~~the time for holding an examination~~ **results of the applicant's examination have been given** a permit to practice hairdressing and beauty culture under the supervision of a person registered to practice hairdressing and beauty culture. Such applicant shall not be considered an apprentice. The applicant shall pay to the Board a fee of \$3.'

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

Effective March 22, 1957

Chapter 64

AN ACT Relating to Transfer of Property in Public Assistance.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 25, § 287, amended. Section 287 of chapter 25 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by section 1 of chapter 99 of the public laws of 1955, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 287. Disqualification of applicant and recipient. Any applicant for or recipient of old age assistance, who divests himself directly or indirectly of any property after January 1, 1952 without a reasonable consideration or for the purpose of qualifying for such assistance shall forfeit all right to receive assistance under the provisions of sections 276 to 297, inclusive, for a period of 2 years from the date of the property transfer unless the property or its equivalent value is restored to the applicant or recipient.

~~Any recipient of old age assistance who is convicted of a felony shall be disqualified from receiving old age assistance.~~

Any recipient of old age assistance shall be disqualified from receiving old age assistance unless he files with the Department, whenever the Department may require it, the following information:

I. A sworn statement concerning income, assets and liabilities of the recipient sworn to by the recipient;

II. An individual sworn statement made on the part of each ~~accessible~~ adult child residing in this State or spouse of said recipient, and such statements shall include full information regarding individual income, assets and liabilities.

~~Provided, however, if~~ If the recipient is unable to obtain the sworn statement from such child or spouse as above provided then upon proof of his inability to do so, the Department shall determine whether such inability to do so is real and genuine, and if it decides that it is real and genuine, then the merits of his case shall may be considered. Any determination made under the provisions of this section shall be subject to the right of appeal by the recipient under the provisions of section 284.'

Sec. 2. R. S., c. 25, § 312, amended. Section 312 of chapter 25 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by section 2 of chapter 99 of the public laws of 1955, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 312. Disqualification of applicant and recipient. Any applicant for or recipient of aid to the blind who divests himself directly or indirectly of any property after January 1, 1952 without a reasonable consideration or for the purpose of qualifying for such aid shall forfeit all right to receive aid to the blind under the provisions of sections 298 to 318, inclusive, for a period of 2 years from the date of the property transfer unless the property or its equivalent value is restored to the applicant or recipient.'

Sec. 3. R. S., c. 25, § 319-J, amended. Section 319-J of chapter 25 of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by section 30 of chapter 405 of the public laws of 1955, is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 319-J. Transfer of property prohibited. Any applicant for or recipient of aid to the disabled, who divests himself directly or indirectly of any property after January 1, 1952 without a reasonable consideration or for the purpose of qualifying for such aid shall forfeit all right to receive aid under the provisions of sections 319-A to 319-T, inclusive, for a period of 2 years from the date of the property transfer unless the property or its equivalent value is restored to the applicant or recipient.'