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### **ACTS AND RESOLVES**

AS PASSED BY THE

## Ninety-eighth Legislature

OF THE

### STATEOFMAINE

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### Chapter 338

AN ACT Amending the Law Permitting Municipal Employees to Receive Federal Social Security Benefits.

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

- R. S., c. 65, § 1, amended. Section 1 of chapter 65 of the Revised Statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:
- 'Sec. 1. Declaration of policy. In order to extend to employees of the political subdivisions of the State of Maine, who are not whether members of existing retirement or pension systems or not, the benefits of social security, provided under the Federal Social Security Act enacted by the Congress of the United States, it is declared to be the policy of the Legislature, subject to the limitations of this chapter, that such steps be taken as to provide such protection to employees of the political subdivisions of the State on as broad a basis as is permitted under the Social Security Act. Provided, however, that the provisions of this chapter shall also apply to employees of the University of Maine, who are members of an existing retirement or pension system The provisions of this chapter shall not apply to teachers, policemen and firemen who are under a state or local government pension or retirement plan.'

Effective August 28, 1957

#### Chapter 339

AN ACT Increasing Certain Fees of Sheriffs and Their Deputies.

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

- R. S., c. 89, § 150, sub-§§ I-V, amended. Subsections I to V, inclusive, of section 150 of chapter 89 of the Revised Statutes are hereby amended to read as follows:
  - 1. For service of all writs with summons, precepts, notices, subpoenas, executions, court orders, orders of service, copies, bills in equity with subpoena issued thereon and all other civil process or papers requiring service which are not specifically hereinafter enumerated, they shall receive therefor \$2 \$3 for each such service.
  - II. For the service of petition and subpoena for disclosure before commissioner or for the service of citation by copy to creditor as provided by chapter 120, \$3.50 \$4.
  - III. For the service of libel for divorce inserted in writ of attachment by serving summons and attested copy of writ and libel, or for the service of libel for divorce with order of court thereon by attested copy, \$\frac{\xi}{4}\$\$\$ \$5.
  - IV. For attachment of real estate at registry of deeds, which includes fee of 50c to registry, \$3.50 \$4.

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V. For attachment of personal property or for the service of writ of replevin, \$3.50 \$5, and in addition thereto \$1 for each hour after the first required for such service.'

Effective August 28, 1957

#### Chapter 340

AN ACT Relating to the Department of Finance and Administration.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 15-A, additional. The Revised Statutes are hereby amended by adding thereto a new chapter, to be numbered 15-A, and to read as follows:

#### 'Chapter 15-A.

Department of Finance and Administration. Budgeting.

Accounts and Control. Public Improvements. Purchasing.

Sections 1-3. Department of Finance and Administration.

Sections 4-16. Bureau of the Budget.

Sections 17-23. Bureau of Accounts and Control.

Sections 24-33. Bureau of Public Improvements.

Sections 34-42. Bureau of Purchases.

Sections 43-44. Automobile Travel by State Employees.

Section 45. Bonds of State Officials and Employees.

Section 46. Departments to Exchange Information and Records without Cost.

Section 47. Disposition of Uncollectible Accounts.

Section 48. Fiscal Year.

Section 49. Petty Cash Funds.

Section 50. Return of Working Capital Advances.

Section 51. State Contingent Account.

Section 52. State Funds Eliminated.

Section 53. Weekly Payment of Salaries or Wages.

Section 54. Financial Reports of Federal Funds.