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ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

Ninety-ninth Legislature

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

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Chapter 141

AN ACT Relating to Local Option for Sale of Malt Liquor by Hotels and Clubs.

Effective September 12, 1959

Director's note: Repealed by P. L., 1959, c. 327, § 3.

Chapter 142

AN ACT Permitting Certain Public Utility Corporations to Hold Stockholders Meetings Outside the State.

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

R. S., c. 53, § 23, amended. Section 23 of chapter 53 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding at the end a new sentence, to read as follows:

'Public utility corporations organized under the laws of this State but doing business wholly outside the limits of this State may provide by their by-laws for the holding of meetings of their stockholders outside the State.'

Effective September 12, 1959

Chapter 143

AN ACT Relating to Acceptance of Surety Company Bonds in Lieu of Bail Bonds or Other Sureties.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 146, § 22, amended. The first sentence of section 22 of chapter 146 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:

'Any person aggrieved at the decision or sentence of such magistrate may, within 5 days after such decision or sentence is imposed, Sunday not included, appeal therefrom to the next Superior Court to be held in the same county, and the magistrate shall thereupon order such appellant to recognize in a reasonable sum, not less than \$20 with sufficient sureties, or in lieu thereof, when offered, a good and sufficient surety bond duly executed by a surety company authorized to do business in this State, to appear and prosecute his appeal and to be committed until the order is complied with.'

Sec. 2. R. S., c. 126, § 35-A, additional. Chapter 126 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding a new section to be numbered 35-A, to read as follows:

'Sec. 35-A. Surety bonds authorized in criminal cases. In any criminal proceeding or mesne process or other process where a bail bond recognizance or personal sureties or other obligation is required, or whenever any person is arrested and is required or permitted to recognize with sureties for his appear-