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Chapter 285

AN ACT Relating to Exemption from Taxation of Veterans Estates.

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

R. S., c. 91-A, § 10, sub-§ III, ¶ C, amended. Paragraph C of subsection III of section 10 of chapter 91-A of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by section 1 of chapter 399 of the public laws of 1955, is amended by adding at the end a new sentence to read as follows:

'The exemption provided in this paragraph shall apply in its entirety to the domicile of such veteran when said property is held in joint tenancy with his or her spouse, notwithstanding the provisions of the 2nd sentence of paragraph I.'

Effective September 12, 1959

Chapter 286

AN ACT Providing for Vocational Rehabilitation of Handicapped Individuals.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 41, §§ 195-A - 195-Q, additional. Chapter 41 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding 17 new sections to be numbered 195-A to 195-Q, to read as follows:

'Vocational Rehabilitation.

Sec. 195-A. Purpose. The purpose of sections 195-A to 195-Q is to provide for and improve the rehabilitation of physically handicapped individuals other than the blind so that they may prepare for and engage in remunerative employment to the extent of their capabilities, thereby increasing not only their social and economic well-being but also the productive capacity of the State and nation.

Pursuant to such purposes the State Board of Education is designated and established as the sole state agency to provide vocational rehabilitation services to all residents of the State under Public Law 565, 83rd Congress, 2nd session, except the blind, as provided for under chapter 25. Subject to the approval of the State Board of Education, the executive officer of the state board shall make such rules and regulations as he finds necessary or appropriate to efficient administration of a program of vocational rehabilitation, shall enter into agreements with local, state and federal agencies providing services relating to vocational rehabilitation, and shall prepare and issue a state plan of vocational rehabilitation which shall be amended from time to time as appears necessary or desirable.

Sec. 195-B. Definitions. For the purposes of sections 195-A to 195-Q the following terms are defined: