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Chapter 55

AN ACT Exempting Certain Salesmen from the Minimum Wage Law.

Effective September 16, 1961

Director's note: Repealed by P. L., 1961, c. 277, § 9. Reenacted as part of R. S., c. 30, § 132-B, sub-§ III, ¶ C by P. L., c. 277, § 3.

Chapter 56

AN ACT Revising the Maine Economic Poisons Law.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 32, § 238, amended. Section 238 of chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 238. Definitions. As used in sections 237 to 247, the following words and phrases shall have the following meanings:

I. Active ingredient. "Active ingredient" means ~~an ingredient which will prevent, destroy, repel or mitigate insects, fungi, rodents, weeds or other pests:~~

A. In the case of an economic poison other than a plant regulator, defoliant or desiccant, an ingredient which will prevent, destroy, repel or mitigate insects, nematodes, fungi, rodents, weeds or other pests;

B. In the case of a plant regulator, an ingredient which, through physiological action will accelerate or retard the rate of growth or rate of maturation or otherwise alter the behavior of ornamental or crop plants or the produce thereof;

C. In the case of a defoliant, an ingredient which will cause the leaves or foliage to drop from a plant;

D. In the case of a desiccant, an ingredient which will artificially accelerate the drying of plant tissue.

II. Adulterated. "Adulterated" shall apply to economic poison if its strength or purity falls below the professed standard or quality as expressed on labeling or under which it is sold, or if any substance has been substituted wholly or in part for the article, or if any valuable constituent of the article has been wholly or in part abstracted.

III. Antidote. "Antidote" means the most practical immediate treatment in case of poisoning and includes first aid treatment.

IV. Commissioner. "Commissioner" means the Commissioner of Agriculture or his authorized agents.