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Chapter 92

AN ACT Exempting Taxicab Drivers from the Minimum Wage Law.

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

R. S., c. 30, § 132-B, sub-§ III, ¶ C-1, additional. Subsection III of section 132-B of chapter 30 of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by chapter 362 of the public laws of 1959, is amended by adding a new paragraph C-1, to read as follows:

‘C-1. Any individual employed as a taxicab driver;’

Effective September 16, 1961

Chapter 93

AN ACT Providing an Advisory Committee for Security Dealers.

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

R. S., c. 59, § 241-A, additional. Chapter 59 of the Revised Statutes, as amended, is further amended by adding a new section to be numbered 241-A, to read as follows:

‘Sec. 241-A. Advisory committee. Information derived by or communicated to the Bank Commissioner, deputy bank commissioner or any examiner or employee of the department in the course of official duty may be disclosed by the commissioner:

I. To an advisory committee to be made up of not more than 5 officials or directors, or both, of firms which are registered dealers in securities chosen by the Maine Investment Dealers Association, so far as such information may relate to the conditions, policies and practices of securities dealers and salesmen under his supervision and in such manner and to such extent as in the judgment of the commissioner will tend to assist him in the discharge of his obligations under this chapter. Any information so communicated to such advisory board shall be held by each member thereof in strict confidence.’

Effective September 16, 1961

Chapter 94

AN ACT Relating to State Humane Agents.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 100, § 14, amended. Section 14 of chapter 100 of the Revised Statutes, as amended, is further amended to read as follows:

‘Sec. 14. Unlicensed dogs; warrants; disposal. The municipal officers of each city, town or plantation municipality shall annually within 10 days from

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the first day of June issue a warrant, returnable on the first day of July following, to one or more police officers ~~or~~, constables ~~or~~ State Humane Agents, directing him or them to proceed forthwith to enter complaint and summons to court the owner or keeper of any unlicensed dog. The said police officer ~~or~~, constable ~~or~~ State Humane Agent shall, before entering such complaint and obtaining said summons, call on the owner or keeper of said dog and demand that he conform with the law and pay the license fees due, and if the owner pays such license fees, he shall pay in addition thereto the officer's fee of \$2, which the officer shall retain and make return and pay over to the city or town clerk the license fees received by him.

On the first day of July the municipal officers of ~~cities, towns and plantations municipalities~~ shall issue to one or more police officers ~~or~~, constables ~~or~~ State Humane Agents a warrant returnable on the first Monday of the following February, directing him or them to seek out, catch and confine all dogs within such ~~city, town or plantation municipality~~ which are not licensed, collared and tagged or enclosed, as required by sections 9 to 28, and to enter complaint and summons to court the owner or keeper of any such dog. Such court may order such police officers ~~or~~, constables ~~or~~ State Humane Agents to sell, give away, kill or cause to be killed each such dog which, after being detained by him or them for a period of 6 days, shall not have been licensed, collared and tagged.'

Sec. 2. R. S., c. 100, § 15, amended. Section 15 of chapter 100 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:

'**Sec. 15. Officers to make returns.** Each police officer ~~or~~, constable ~~or~~ State Humane Agent to whom the warrants named in ~~the preceding~~ section 14 are issued shall return the same at the time specified. Such officers shall receive from the ~~city, town or plantation municipality~~ the sum of \$2 for each dog killed or otherwise disposed of, and for other services rendered under ~~the provisions of~~ sections 9 to 28, they shall receive such compensation as the municipal officers may determine.

~~Provided, however, that in~~ In no case shall such officer be entitled to more than \$2 as a fee for disposing of any dog.'

Effective September 16, 1961

Chapter 95

AN ACT Clarifying the Time of Payment of Wages.

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

R. S., c. 30, § 50-A, additional. Chapter 30 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding a new section 50-A, to read as follows:

'**Sec. 50-A. Cessation of employment.** Any employee, leaving his or her employment, shall be paid in full within a reasonable time after demand at the office of the employer where payrolls are kept and wages are paid. Whoever violates any of the provisions of this section shall be punished by a fine of not less than \$25 nor more than \$50.'

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