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# ACTS AND RESOLVES

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known as automatic laundries, dry cleaning establishments, bakery, bowling alley, poolroom, commercial places of amusement, including traveling shows and circuses, or in any theater or moving picture house. The provisions of this section pertaining to theaters shall not apply to minors under 16 years of age who are employed or in training as theatrical actors.'

**Sec. 2. R. S., c. 30, § 25, amended.** The first sentence of section 25 of chapter 30 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by section 2 of chapter 273 of the public laws of 1959, is further amended to read as follows:

'No child under 14 years of age shall be employed, permitted or suffered to work in, about or in connection with any eating place, **automatic laundries**, sporting or overnight camp or mercantile establishment, and no child between the ages of 14 and 16 years shall be so employed when the distance between the work place and the home of the child, or any other factor, necessitates the child's remaining away from home overnight.'

**Sec. 3. R. S., c. 30, § 30, amended.** Section 30 of chapter 30 of the Revised Statutes, as repealed and replaced by section 1 of chapter 348 of the public laws of 1955 and as amended by chapter 29 of the public laws of 1957, is further amended to read as follows:

'**Sec. 30. Females not to be employed more than 9 hours a day.** No female shall knowingly be employed or accept employment in any of one or more workshops, factories, manufacturing, mechanical or mercantile establishments, beauty parlors, hotels, commercial places of amusement, restaurants, dairies, bakeries, laundries, **including automatic laundries**, dry cleaning establishments, telegraph offices, in any telephone exchange which has more than 750 stations or by any of one or more express or transportation companies in the State more than a total of 9 hours in any one day; except when a different apportionment of the hours of labor is made for the sole purpose of making a shorter day's work for one day of the week; ~~and in.~~ **In** no case shall the hours of labor exceed a total of 10 hours in any one day or a total of 54 hours in any one week.'

**Sec. 4. R. S., c. 30, § 32, amended.** The first paragraph of section 32 of chapter 30 of the Revised Statutes, as repealed and replaced by section 3 of chapter 348 of the public laws of 1955, is amended to read as follows:

'No female shall knowingly be employed or accept employment in any of one or more mercantile establishments, beauty parlors, hotels, commercial places of amusement, restaurants, dairies, bakeries, laundries, **including automatic laundries**, dry cleaning establishments, telegraph offices, in any telephone exchange which has more than 750 stations or by any of one or more express or transportation companies in the State more than a total of 54 hours in any one week.'

Effective September 16, 1961

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## Chapter 136

AN ACT Placing Directors of Health and Social Welfare Under Personnel Law.

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

**R. S., c. 25, § 1, amended.** The 2nd paragraph of section 1 of chapter 25 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:

'The head of the department shall be the Commissioner of Health and Welfare who shall be appointed by the Governor with the advice and consent of the Council to serve for 3 years, or during the pleasure of the said Governor and Council. Any vacancy shall be filled by appointment as above for a like term. He may employ ~~with the approval of the governor and council~~ such bureau chiefs, deputies, assistants and employees subject to the Personnel Law as may be necessary to carry out the work of the department; and they shall be under the immediate supervision, direction and control of the commissioner. The compensation of the commissioner ~~and his bureau chiefs~~ shall be fixed by the Governor and Council. ~~The commissioner may also employ such deputies, assistants and employees as may be necessary, subject to the provisions of the personnel law.~~'

Effective September 16, 1961

## Chapter 137

### AN ACT Relating to Removal of Ice Fishing Shacks.

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

R. S., c. 37, § 54-B, additional. Chapter 37 of the Revised Statutes, as revised, is amended by adding a new section 54-B, to read as follows:

'Sec. 54-B. Ice fishing shacks to be removed. No owner of any shack or temporary structure used for ice fishing purposes shall leave or allow the same to remain on the ice of any inland waters three days after the waters on which such shack or temporary structure is located closes to ice fishing. When said structure is on the ice of any inland waters the owner's name shall be painted on the outside of said shack in 2-inch letters. Whoever violates this section shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$300 and costs or by imprisonment for not more than 90 days, or by both.'

Effective September 16, 1961

## Chapter 138

### AN ACT to Clarify the Laws of the Real Estate Commission.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 84, § 1, amended. The 2nd and 3rd paragraphs of section 1 of chapter 84 of the Revised Statutes are amended to read as follows:

'Each member of the commission shall receive as full compensation for each day actually spent on the work of said commission the sum of ~~\$70~~ \$15 and his actual and necessary expenses incurred in the performance of duties pertaining to his office.

The commission may employ a secretary and such ~~clerks and assistants~~ clerical assistants as it deems necessary to discharge the duties imposed by ~~the provisions of this chapter~~, and shall outline their duties and fix their compensation, subject to ~~the provisions of~~ the Personnel Law. The commission may employ such technical assistants and investigators as may be necessary.'