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ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

One Hundredth Legislature

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

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'Sec. 68-A. Catching lobsters by other than conventional method illegal. It is unlawful to fish for or catch lobsters from the coastal waters of the State by any method other than the conventional method of lobster traps or pots.

I. Exception if lobster immediately liberated alive when caught. If any lobster so caught or taken is immediately liberated alive into coastal waters, then the person so liberating the lobster is excused from the unlawful taking or catching of it.

II. Definition. A "lobster trap or pot" for the purposes of this section shall be held to mean a stationary device set on the ocean bottom and commonly used along the Maine coast for catching lobsters.'

Effective September 16, 1961

Chapter 205

AN ACT Providing Added Special Designating Plates for Handicapped Person.

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

R. S., c. 22, § 13, amended. Section 13 of chapter 22 of the Revised Statutes, as amended, is further amended by adding before the last paragraph a new paragraph to read as follows:

'The Secretary of State on application shall issue, with the payment of \$1, a set of special designating plates to be used in addition to the regular registration plates, to any handicapped person, when such application is accompanied by the certification of at least 2 physicians as to such person's physical disability.'

Effective September 16, 1961

Chapter 206

AN ACT Relating to Municipal Regulation of Subdivisions of Land.

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

R. S., c. 90-A, § 61, sub-§ V, ¶ A, sub-¶ 1, repealed and replaced. Subparagraph 1 of paragraph A of subsection V of section 61 of chapter 90-A of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by section 1 of chapter 405 of the public laws of 1957, is repealed and the following enacted in place thereof:

'1. Subdivision means the division into 3 or more lots in urban areas or 4 or more lots in rural areas, except this provision shall not apply to any divisions for agricultural uses, including associated sales, service, processing and storage.

a. Urban areas shall mean areas so designated in the local zoning ordinance, or if there is no local zoning ordinance, the areas designated as urban compact by the State Highway Commission.'

Effective September 16, 1961