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Chapter 249

AN ACT Increasing Limits of Industrial Mortgage Insurance Under Maine Industrial Building Act.

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

R. S., c. 38-B, § 9, sub-§ II, amended. Subsection II of section 9 of chapter 38-B of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by section 1 of chapter 421 of the public laws of 1957, is amended to read as follows:

'II. **Principal obligation; limit.** Involve a principal obligation, including initial service charges and appraisal, inspection and other fees approved by the authority, not to exceed ~~\$1,000,000~~ \$2,000,000 for any one project and not to exceed 90% of the cost of project;'

Effective September 16, 1961

Chapter 250

AN ACT Eliminating Smokeless Powder from Explosives Regulations.

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

R. S., c. 97, § 43, amended. Section 43 of chapter 97 of the Revised Statutes is amended by inserting after the first paragraph, a new paragraph, as follows:

'This section will not apply to the purchase, sale, transportation or storage of smokeless powder in amounts not in excess of 15 pounds, or primers not in excess of 1,000 in number.'

Effective September 16, 1961

Chapter 251

AN ACT Relating to Area Directional Signs for Sanford and Rangeley Areas and Acadia National Park.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 23, § 149-A, amended. The first paragraph of section 149-A of chapter 23 of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by chapter 419 of the public laws of 1957 and as amended, is further amended to read as follows:

'In order to guide the users of the state turnpike system to the exit leading therefrom to the ~~6~~ 19 major recreational areas of the State, there shall be erected and maintained at strategic points on the rights-of-way beside the lanes of traffic approaching the said exits, separate descriptive and directional signs of such design that each sign will be conspicuous and readable when traveling at the maximum lawful speed. The State Highway Commission shall erect and maintain said signs on the state constructed and maintained inter-

state system and the Maine Turnpike Authority shall erect and maintain said signs on the highways constructed by said authority; and said State and authority shall cause the wording of said signs to be sufficiently descriptive of the area to identify it clearly to the traveling public. **Nothing in this section shall require the State Highway Commission to erect signs which are not in accordance with the Manual for Signing and Pavement Marking of the National System of Interstate and Defense Highways, this manual having been adopted by the American Association of State Highway Officials and approved by the U. S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of Public Roads.'**

Sec. 2. R. S., c. 23, § 149-A, amended. The first line of the 2nd paragraph of section 149-A of chapter 23 of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by chapter 419 of the public laws of 1957 and as amended, is further amended to read as follows:

'The ~~16~~ 19 major recreational areas of the State are:'

Sec. 3. R. S., c. 23, § 149-A, sub-§ I-B, additional. Section 149-A of chapter 23 of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by chapter 419 of the public laws of 1957 and as amended, is further amended by adding a new subsection I-B, to read as follows:

I-B. Sanford Region: Such sign shall be constructed and maintained on the Maine Turnpike about $\frac{1}{2}$ distance northerly between the Kittery and Sanford exits and shall be worded as follows:

Sanford — Recreational Lake Region — Exit 2;'

Sec. 3-A. R. S., c. 23, § 149-A, sub-§ VIII-A, additional. Section 149-A of chapter 23 of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by chapter 419 of the public laws of 1957 and as amended, is further amended by adding a new subsection to be numbered VIII-A, to read as follows:

'VIII-A. Acadia National Park—Route 3—Exit 15;'

Sec. 4. R. S., c. 23, § 149-A, sub-§ IX-A, additional. Section 149-A of chapter 23 of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by chapter 419 of the public laws of 1957 and as amended, is further amended by adding a new subsection to be numbered IX-A, to read as follows:

'IX-A. Rangeley — Recreation and Ski Areas — Exit 12;'

Effective September 16, 1961

Chapter 252

AN ACT Providing for School Bus Shelters for School Children.

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

R. S., c. 41, § 14-A, additional. Chapter 41 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding a new section 14-A, to read as follows: