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# ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

One Hundredth Legislature

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## Chapter 284

### AN ACT Classifying Certain Tidal Waters, Cumberland County.

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

R. S., c. 79, § 15, amended. Section 15 of chapter 79 of the Revised Statutes, as amended, is further amended under the caption "Tidal Waters, Cumberland County," by adding after subsection LV, the following subsections:

'LVI. Tidal waters, not previously classified, except those in or bordering on the tidal estuary of the Androscoggin, of the Town of Brunswick not otherwise designated—Class B-1.

LVII. Tidal waters, not previously classified, of the Town of Harpswell not otherwise designated—Class B-1.'

Effective September 16, 1961

## Chapter 285

### AN ACT Relating to Compensation of Chief Deputy Sheriffs Performing Special Duties.

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

R. S., c. 89, § 150, sub-§ XVI, amended. Subsection XVI of section 150 of chapter 89 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by section 2 of chapter 328 of the public laws of 1959, is further amended by adding at the end, a new sentence, as follows:

'A chief deputy performing similar special duties shall receive an additional \$1 per day.'

Effective September 16, 1961

## Chapter 286

### AN ACT Relating to Fees of Certain Sheriffs for Service of Criminal Process.

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

R. S., c. 89, § 254, amended. The last paragraph of section 254 of chapter 89 of the Revised Statutes, as repealed and replaced by section 7 of chapter 372 of the public laws of 1959, is amended to read as follows:

'After January 1, 1962 all fees and charges of whatever nature, except charges for the publication of notices required by law, which may be payable to any county officer, shall be payable by them to the county treasurer for the use and benefit of the county, but preserving the right of sheriffs and their deputies

to receive fees for service of civil process and of sheriffs and their deputies not on a salary or per diem basis to receive fees for service of criminal process, and no county officer shall receive a private benefit from the labor of any person in the employ of the county.'

Effective September 16, 1961

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## Chapter 287

### AN ACT Repealing Provision of Financial Responsibility Law Concerning Accident by Non-licensed Driver.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 22, § 77, sub-§ II, ¶ B, amended. The first paragraph of paragraph B of subsection II of section 77 of chapter 22 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by section 2 of chapter 39 of the public laws of 1955, is further amended to read as follows:

'B. Upon receipt by him of the report of an accident ~~other than as provided for in paragraph C of this subsection~~ which has resulted in death, bodily injury, or property damage to an apparent extent of \$100 or more, the Secretary of State shall, 30 days following the date of request for compliance with the 2 following requirements, suspend the license or the right to obtain a license, or revoke the right to operate of any person operating, and the registration certificates and registration plates of any person owning a motor vehicle, trailer or semi-trailer in any manner involved in such accident, or the right to register the same, unless such operator or owner or both.'

Sec. 2. R. S., c. 22, § 77, sub-§ II, ¶ C, repealed. Paragraph C of subsection II of section 77 of chapter 22 of the Revised Statutes is repealed, as follows:

~~'C. Upon receipt by him of the report that a person, while operating a motor vehicle, trailer or semi trailer, had no license to operate, and was in any manner involved in an accident resulting in death, bodily injury or in damage to property in any amount, the secretary shall forthwith enter an order prohibiting the issuance of an operator's license to said person, or the issuance of any registration certificate and registration plates to any motor vehicle, trailer or semi trailer owned or controlled by said person, unless and until said person shall furnish sufficient security and thereafter maintain proof of financial responsibility as hereinbefore provided.'~~

Sec. 3. R. S., c. 22, § 6, amended. The first sentence of section 6 of chapter 22 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by section 1 of chapter 10 of the public laws of 1955, is further amended to read as follows:

'The Secretary of State or the deputy secretary of state may suspend or revoke any certificate of registration or any license issued to any person to operate a motor vehicle or right to operate a motor vehicle or right to obtain an operator's license after hearing for any cause which he deems sufficient.'

Effective September 16, 1961