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# ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

## One Hundred and First Legislature

OF THE

# STATE OF MAINE

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Whereas, to provide for such protection, it is vitally necessary that those who give such protection should themselves be protected by accident and disability insurance; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts create an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution of Maine, and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore,

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

**R. S., c. 89, § 15-D, additional.** Chapter 89 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding a new section 15-D, to read as follows:

**‘Sec. 15-D. Insurance for firemen.** Any county may expend county funds to be accounted for as other moneys of the county for the purchase of accident and disability insurance on a county-wide basis, protecting all persons, whether voluntary or full time, and whether paid or unpaid, while acting as firemen for any fire department within the county, whether such fire department be a municipal or an independent department.’

**Emergency clause.** In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this act shall take effect when approved.

Effective March 21, 1963

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## Chapter 91

### AN ACT Relating to Hours of Employment in Nursing Homes.

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

**Sec. 1. R. S., c. 30, § 30, amended.** Section 30 of chapter 30 of the Revised Statutes, as last repealed and replaced by section 84 of chapter 417 of the public laws of 1961, is amended to read as follows: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, nursing homes, beauty parlors, hotels, commercial places of amusement, restaurants, retail establishments where frozen dairy products are manufactured on the premises, 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. 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. 2. R. S., c. 30, § 32, amended.** The first paragraph of section 32 of chapter 30 of the Revised Statutes, as last repealed and replaced by section 85 of chapter 417 of the public laws of 1961, is amended to read as follows:

'No female shall knowingly be employed or accept employment in any of one or more mercantile establishments, **nursing homes**, beauty parlors, hotels, commercial places of amusement, restaurants, retail establishments where frozen dairy products are manufactured on the premises, 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 21, 1963

## Chapter 92

### AN ACT Relating to the Taxation of Railroad Land and Buildings.

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

**R. S., c. 91-A, § 22, amended.** Section 22 of chapter 91-A of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by section 1 of chapter 399 of the public laws of 1955, is amended to read as follows:

'**Sec. 22. Railroad buildings; how taxed.** The buildings of every railroad corporation or association, whether within or without the located right-of-way, and its lands and fixtures outside of its located right-of-way, are subject to taxation ~~by the cities and towns~~ in the places in which the same are situated, as other property is taxed therein, and shall be regarded as nonresident land.'

Effective September 21, 1963

## Chapter 93

### AN ACT Relating to the Governor Baxter State School for the Deaf.

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

**Sec. 1. R. S., c. 27, § 159, amended.** Section 159 of chapter 27 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by section 1 of chapter 379 of the public laws of 1957, is further amended to read as follows:

'**Sec. 159. Purpose.** Governor Baxter State School for the Deaf, established by chapter 446 of the private and special laws of 1897, is to be devoted to the education and instruction of deaf ~~and dumb~~ children.'

**Sec. 2. R. S., c. 27, § 162, amended.** Section 162 of chapter 27 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:

'**Sec. 162. Admittance of children to school.** With the consent of ~~its~~ his parent or guardian, the department may admit to said school for a term not exceeding 16 years, any deaf ~~and dumb~~ child residing in this State and not less