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Chapter 384

AN ACT Relating to Definition of and Educational Assistance for Orphans of Veterans.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 41, § 136, amended. Section 136 of chapter 41 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:

‘Sec. 136. “Orphan of veteran,” defined. For the purposes of administering ~~the provisions of~~ sections 136 to 139, an orphan of a veteran shall be defined as a child not under 16 ~~and not over 22~~ years of age whose father served in the military or naval forces of the United States during World War I, World War II or the Korean Campaign and was killed in action or died from a service connected disability as a result of such service. War orphans, whose fathers entered the service from Maine or who have resided in the State for 5 years immediately preceding application for aid under ~~the provisions of~~ said sections and which children have graduated from high school and are ~~attending not over 21 years of age at the time of first entering~~ a vocational school or an educational institution of collegiate grade, shall be eligible for benefits provided under said sections.’

Sec. 2. R. S., c. 41, § 137, amended. The first sentence of section 137 of chapter 41 of the Revised Statutes, as repealed and replaced by section 7 of chapter 366 of the public laws of 1961, is amended to read as follows:

‘In order to assist any person qualifying as an orphan of a veteran in accordance with ~~the provisions of~~ section 136 in securing higher education, the State Department of Education shall pay, for any person which it finds eligible for such assistance, a maximum of \$150 per year, for a period of time not exceeding 8 semesters of attendance nor exceeding 6 consecutive academic years from the date of first entrance, towards the cost of such higher education.’

Effective September 21, 1963

Chapter 385

AN ACT Providing an Additional Reporter for Industrial Accident Commission.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 31, § 29, amended. The 4th paragraph of section 29 of chapter 31 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:

‘The commission shall appoint a clerk and ~~a reporter~~ full-time or part-time reporters and such clerical assistance as may be necessary, subject to ~~the provisions of~~ the Personnel Law.’

Sec. 2. Appropriation. There is appropriated from the General Fund to the Industrial Accident Commission to carry out the purposes of this act the sum of

\$7,098 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1964 and the sum of \$7,476 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1965; the breakdown of which shall be as follows:

	1963-64	1964-65
INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENT COMMISSION		
Personal Services	(1) \$5,438	(1) \$5,816
All Other	1,660	1,660
	\$7,098	\$7,476

Effective September 21, 1963

Chapter 386

AN ACT to Revise the Civil Defense and Public Safety Council Law.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 12, § 6, amended. The 2nd sentence of section 6 of chapter 12 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:

~~'Such proclamation shall be published in such newspapers of the State and posted in such places as the Governor deems necessary and a~~ If the Governor is temporarily absent from the State or is otherwise unavailable, the next person in the State who would act as Governor if the office of Governor were vacant shall, by proclamation, declare the fact and that an emergency exists in any or all sections of the State. A copy of such proclamation shall be filed with the Secretary of State.'

Sec. 2. R. S., c. 12, § 6, amended. The last paragraph of section 6 of chapter 12 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:

'Whenever the Governor is satisfied that an emergency no longer exists, he shall ~~annul~~ terminate the proclamation by another proclamation affecting the sections of the State covered by the original proclamation, or any part thereof ~~which said proclamation shall be published and posted in the same manner as provided for the issuance of the original proclamation~~ said proclamation shall be published in such newspapers of the State and posted in such places as the Governor, or the person acting in that capacity, deems appropriate.'

Sec. 3. R. S., c. 12, § 9, amended. Section 9 of chapter 12 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by section 2 of chapter 435 of the public laws of 1955, is further amended by inserting after the 2nd sentence the following new sentences:

'Political subdivisions may accept the services of the State Personnel Board and adopt the regulations thereof for the purpose of qualifying for federal administrative funds. The State Personnel Board may enter into agreements with political subdivisions of the State for the purpose of furnishing merit system coverage for civil defense employees, or employees of other agencies and departments assigned full time to civil defense duties. The State Personnel