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Chapter 126

AN ACT Relating to Commercial Driver Education Instructors Appointed by Secretary of State.

Emergency preamble. Whereas, Acts of the Legislature do not become effective until 90 days after adjournment of the Legislature unless enacted as emergencies; and

Whereas, there are many areas in the State that do not have driver education teachers; and

Whereas, in order to make the highways of the State more safe for the people of Maine, the following legislation is vitally necessary; 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:

Sec. 1. R. S., T. 29, § 532, amended. The 4th sentence of section 532 of Title 29 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:

‘Such instruction permit shall only be valid when applicant is accompanied by an instructor approved by the State Department of Education or eligible commercial driver education instructors licensed by the Secretary of State.’

Sec. 2. R. S., T. 29, § 722-A, additional. Title 29 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding a new section 722-A to read as follows:

§ 722-A. Secretary of State may appoint

The Secretary of State may appoint a driver education teacher, licensed by the State Department of Education, to give professional driving instruction meeting the need of a licensee or new applicant when a duly licensed commercial instructor is not available within a reasonable distance from his domicile. The fee required by section 722 shall be waived for the purposes of this section.’

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

Effective March 30, 1965

Chapter 127

AN ACT to Clarify the Law with Respect to Municipal Investments.

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

R. S., T. 30, § 5051, sub-§ 4, amended. Subsection 4 of section 5051 of Title 30 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:

'4. **Trust company or national bank.** The municipal officers are authorized and may, where the terms of the instrument, order or article creating the fund does not prohibit, designate in writing a trust company or national bank having its principal office within the State, for the purpose of investment and may consent to the investment of such funds in a common trust fund maintained by said trust company or bank for investment under the rule of prudence set out in Title 18, section 4054.'

Effective September 3, 1965

Chapter 128

AN ACT Relating to Transportation of Vehicles for Body Repair Without Inspection Stickers.

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

R. S., T. 29, § 2122, amended. The 5th paragraph of section 2122 of Title 29 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:

'No dealer or holder of a transporter registration certificate in new or used motor vehicles shall permit any such vehicle owned or controlled by him to be released for operation upon the highways until it has been inspected and a proper inspection sticker certifying such inspection placed thereon, with the exception of vehicles that have been inspected and found mechanically sound but need body repair. Said vehicles may be released for direct transportation to and from an establishment where said body repairs are to be done. If such vehicle bears thereon a certificate showing a prior inspection, the same shall be removed.'

Effective September 3, 1965

Chapter 129

AN ACT Relating to Waiver of Motor Vehicle Operator License Examinations for Members of Armed Forces.

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

R. S., T. 29, § 582, amended. The first sentence of section 582 of Title 29 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:

'The Secretary of State may waive examination in the case of applicants who have been duly licensed by this State to operate a motor vehicle during any one of the 3 preceding calendar years without a lapse of 3 years since date of expiration of last license ~~or who have been duly licensed by this State and who have been, on or after December 7, 1941, members of the armed forces of the United States.~~

Effective September 3, 1965