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## **ACTS AND RESOLVES**

AS PASSED BY THE

# One Hundred and Second Legislature

OF THE

## STATE OF MAINE

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## **PUBLIC LAWS**

OF THE

## STATE OF MAINE

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# One Hundred and Second Legislature

### Chapter 130

AN ACT Relating to Temporary Motor Vehicle Operators' Licenses.

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

R. S., T. 29, § 533, amended. Section 533 of Title 29 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:

### '§ 533. Temporary licenses

The Secretary of State may, in his discretion, issue a temporary driver's permit license to an applicant who has successfully passed a complete examination, or to an applicant who holds a valid or recently expired operator's license from another state or country, permitting applicant to operate a motor vehicle during a period not to exceed 30 60 days while the Secretary of State is completing his investigation and determination of all facts relative to such applicant's right to receive an operator's license. The Secretary of State may, in his discretion, issue a temporary driver's permit license to any resident applicant permitting the operation of a motor vehicle during a period not to exceed 30 60 days. Such permit or temporary license shall be in applicant's immediate possession at all times while operating a motor vehicle.'

Effective September 3, 1965

### Chapter 131

AN ACT Relating to Parental Responsibility to Support Children Receiving Aid to Dependent Children.

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

R. S., T. 22, § 3754, additional. Title 22 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding a new section 3754, to read as follows:

#### '§ 3754. Parental responsibility

The parents of a child receiving aid to dependent children shall, if of sufficient ability, be responsible for partial or total support of such child. In determining the ability of such parents, their assets as well as their income shall be considered.

The department may bring proceedings in the District or Superior Court in the county where the child resides or in the county where the parent may be found, to compel any person liable under this section to contribute to the support of any child receiving such aid, if after reasonable efforts on the part of the department, voluntary contributions have not been made. The action shall be brought as a petition for support upon not less than 7 days' notice. The court may order either the father or the mother or both parents of such child to contribute to the support of such child such sums payable weekly or monthly as are deemed reasonable and just and may enforce obedience by appropriate decrees, execution issuing for said sums when payable. When the defendant is committed to jail on execution under this section, the county having jurisdiction of the