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#### **ACTS AND RESOLVES**

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by the Maine Turnpike Authority, when such user is not the holder of an uncanceled license as required by this chapter, or when such user has failed to file any report or pay tax as required by this chapter, shall be punished by a fine of not less than \$10 nor more than \$300.'

Sec. 9. Termination of liability on existing bonds. Liability accrued prior to the effective date of this Act on bonds tendered pursuant to section 3027 of Title 36 shall continue in full force and effect after the effective date of this Act; but no further liability on such bonds shall accrue after the effective date of this Act.

Sec. 10. Effective date. This Act shall become effective September 30, 1965.

Effective September 30, 1965

#### Chapter 199

AN ACT Relating to Stock of Merchandise in Retail Stores Under Liquor Law.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., T. 28, § 701, amended. The 2nd paragraph of section 701 of Title 28 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:

'Population shall be determined according to each Federal Decennial Census as shown by any official report authorized by the Federal Census Act and shall apply to the licensing period next following such official report.

Hotel—Malt liquor	\$200.00
Club—Spirituous and vinous	200,00
Club—Malt liquor	00.001
Public service—Spirituous and vinous	200.00
Public service—Malt liquor	100.00
Restaurant, class A-Spirituous and vinous	750.00
Restaurant—Malt liquor only	200.00
Restaurant—Vinous liquor only	200.00
Tavern—Malt liquor only	300.00
Retail store—Malt liquor only	<del>100</del> . <del>00</del> 1
If merchandise is groceries only	100.00
If other stock of merchandise	200.00

Sec. 2. R. S., T. 28, § 751, amended. The last paragraph of section 751 of Title 28 of the Revised Statutes is repealed and the following enacted in place thereof:

'All retail store licensees must have and maintain an adequate stock of groceries in no case less than \$1,000 wholesale value or a stock of merchandise reason-

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ably compatible with a stock of malt liquor in no case less than \$1,000 wholesale value, or a combination of both in no case less than \$1,000 wholesale value. No merchandise shall be considered to be reasonably compatible with a stock of malt liquor, for the purpose of licensing a retail store, which consists of gasoline and oil; used or new cars, parts or accessories; or such other items of stock that may be equally incompatible in nature.'

Effective September 3, 1965

#### Chapter 200

AN ACT Relating to Improper Conditions for Industrial Safety.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., T. 26, § 45, amended. The first paragraph of section 45 of Title 26 of the Revised Statutes is repealed and the following enacted in place thereof:

'The work places, equipment, tools and working conditions provided by an employer shall be reasonably safe and not in such condition as to be hazardous to the employee engaged therein. If, upon inspection, the commissioner or any authorized agent of the department shall find that an existing condition is such as to be injurious to the health of the persons employed or residing therein by reason of inadequate heating, lighting, ventilation or sanitary arrangement, or that reasonable safeguards for preventing accidents or injuries to those employed are not provided, he shall notify, in writing, the employer, proprietor or agent operating such work place to make, within 30 days, the alterations or additions by him deemed necessary for the reasonable safety and protection of the employees. In case of extraordinary hazard, the commissioner or his agent may demand that the hazard be removed immediately.'

Sec. 2. R. S., T. 26, § 45-A, additional. Title 26 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding a new section 45-A, to read as follows:

'§ 45-A. Application of sections 44 and 45

Sections 44 and 45 shall not apply to work on a farm or in or about a private residence, commercial fishing or logging, nor to employment in any Federal Government establishment nor to any activity subject to the control of the Interstate Commerce Commission, or the Maine Public Utilities Commission.'

Effective September 3, 1965

#### Chapter 201

AN ACT Relating to Part-Time School Attendance.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., T. 20, § 859, amended. The first sentence of the 4th paragraph of section 859 of Title 20 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows: