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punished by a fine of not more than \$1,000 or by imprisonment for not more than 11 months. The commissioner, upon receiving a written report of the wounding or killing of a human being, may revoke or suspend the current hunting license or the right to hunt or the right to obtain a hunting license, for a period not to exceed 5 years, of any person who, while on a hunting trip or in the pursuit of wild game or game birds, is alleged to have shot and wounded or killed said human being. Concurrent with the notice of the revocation or suspension of the said person's current hunting license or right to hunt or right to obtain a hunting license, the commissioner shall send to the person accused of any such offense, a written notice by certified mail or registered mail, to the address given by such person in his application for a hunting license, of a hearing to be held in not less than 10 days, which notice shall contain the time and place of hearing and a brief statement of the facts alleged to have happened. After hearing, the commissioner may affirm or modify the revocation or suspension of the hunting license for the current year of such person and may also deny to such person the right to hunt or the right to obtain a hunting license for a period not to exceed 5 years. A person aggrieved by the commissioner's decision may appeal to the Superior Court in the county where the hearing is held, by filing a complaint with the clerk of courts and sending a copy of the complaint to the commissioner. The complaint shall be filed within 30 days of the commissioner's decision. The court shall review the hearing record and may affirm, reverse or modify the commissioner's decision. ~~The hunting license of any such person convicted under this section shall be immediately revoked by the commissioner upon receipt of an attested copy of the court records and such person shall not thereafter be privileged to procure a hunting license. Such license shall not be revoked pending appeal.~~

Any such person whose hunting license has been revoked or suspended, or whose right to hunt or the right to obtain a hunting license for a period not to exceed 5 years has been denied, ~~upon conviction of violating this section~~ may, after the expiration of one year from the date of such revocation or suspension, petition the commissioner for restoration of his privilege to procure such a license. The commissioner, after hearing and after his determination that public safety will not be endangered by the restoration to the petitioner of such privilege, may restore the same. If the commissioner disallows such a petition and thereby refuses to grant the restoration of such privilege, the petitioner may appeal to the commissioner's advisory council which, after hearing on said petition, may allow the same and restore such privilege.'

Effective September 3, 1965

Chapter 375

AN ACT Authorizing Use of Prisoner Assistance by Charitable Organizations.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., T. 34, § 5, amended. Section 5 of Title 34 of the Revised Statutes is amended by inserting before the last sentence, a new sentence, as follows:

'The department may further authorize the use of such prisoners or inmates to provide assistance in the improvement of property owned by charitable organizations as may be approved by the department, provided such charitable

organizations pay for the transportation of such prisoners or inmates and for the transportation and per diem compensation for any guards who accompany such prisoners or inmates.'

Sec. 2. R. S., T. 34, § 1003-A, additional. Title 34 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding a new section 1003-A, to read as follows:

§ 1003-A. Charitable organizations

The county commissioners may authorize the use of such prisoners to provide assistance in the improvement of property owned by charitable organizations as may be approved by the county commissioners, provided such charitable organizations pay for the transportation of such prisoners and for the transportation and per diem compensation for any guards who accompany such prisoners.'

Effective September 3, 1965

Chapter 376

AN ACT Permitting Certain Corporations to Hold Stockholder Meetings Outside of State.

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

R. S., T. 13, § 145, amended. The last sentence of section 145 of Title 13 of the Revised Statutes is repealed and the following enacted in place thereof:

'Corporations organized under the laws of this State, except public utilities whose income is principally derived from operations within the State, may provide by their bylaws for the holding of meetings of their stockholders outside the State.'

Effective September 3, 1965

Chapter 377

AN ACT Relating to Municipal Regulation of Community Antennae Television Systems.

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

R. S., T. 30, § 2151, sub-§ 2, ¶ H, additional. Subsection 2 of section 2151 of Title 30 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding a new paragraph H, to read as follows:

'H. The municipal officers may contract on such terms and conditions as are in the best interests of the municipality, for the placing and maintenance of community antennae television systems and appurtenances along public ways. Systems located in accordance with such ordinances and contracts are not defects in public ways.'