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# ACTS AND RESOLVES

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#### § 4. Industrial and vocational training

The department shall establish and maintain suitable courses for vocational ~~trades and industrial training education~~ in the ~~Boys Training Center at South Portland and the State Reformatory at South Windham~~ juvenile, correctional and penal institutions under its control, and to install such equipment as may be necessary, and employ such suitable and qualified instructors subject to the approval of the State Vocational Director as may be necessary to carry out the purposes of this section. The expenses of carrying out this section shall be paid from the appropriations for the above ~~named~~ institutions.

Effective October 7, 1967

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## Chapter 12

### AN ACT Relating to Sale of Fireworks.

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

**R. S., T. 8, § 211, amended.** The first two sentences of the first paragraph of section 211 of Title 8 of the Revised Statutes are amended to read as follows:

No person shall sell, or keep or offer for sale, or use, or explode or cause to explode any combustible or explosive composition or substance, or any combination of such compositions or substances, or any other article, which was prepared for the purpose of producing a visible or audible effect by combustion, explosion, deflagration or detonation, including in the above terms blank cartridges or toy cannons in which explosives are used, the type of balloon which requires fire underneath to propel the same, firecrackers, torpedoes, skyrockets, roman candles, bombs, sparklers, rockets, wheels, colored fires, fountains, mines, serpents, or other fireworks of like construction, or any fireworks containing any explosive or flammable compound, or any tablets or other device containing any explosive substance or flammable compound. The term "fireworks" as used in this chapter shall not include toy pistols, toy canes, toy guns or other devices in which paper caps or plastic caps containing 25/100ths grains or less of explosive compound are used, if they are so constructed that the hand cannot come in contact with the cap when in place for the explosion, or toy pistol paper caps or plastic caps which contain less than 20/100th grains of explosive mixture, the sale, possession and use of which shall be permitted at all times.

Effective October 7, 1967

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## Chapter 13

### AN ACT Relating to Actions of Married Women for Loss of Consortium of Husband.

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

**R. S., T. 19, § 167-A, additional.** Title 19 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding a new section 167-A, to read as follows:

§ 167-A. Loss of consortium

A married woman may bring a civil action in her own name for loss of consortium of her husband.

Effective October 7, 1967

## Chapter 14

AN ACT to Clarify the Statutes Relating to Boards of Assessment Review.

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

**Sec. 1. R. S., T. 30, § 2060, sub-§ 6, ¶ D, amended.** Paragraph D of subsection 6 of section 2060 of Title 30 of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by chapter 97 of the public laws of 1965, is amended to read as follows:

D. ~~Municipalities~~ **Towns** of 5,000 or more residents may by ordinance provide for a board of assessment review consisting of 5 or 7 members. The terms of office of members shall not exceed 5 years and initial appointments shall be such that the terms of office of no more than 2 members shall expire in any single year.

**Sec. 2. R. S., T. 30, § 5351, sub-§ 2, ¶ E, additional.** Subsection 2 of section 5351 of Title 30 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding a new paragraph E, to read as follows:

E. **Cities** of 5,000 or more residents may by ordinance provide for a board of assessment review consisting of 5 or 7 members. The terms of office of members shall not exceed 5 years and initial appointments shall be such that the terms of office of no more than 2 members shall expire in any single year.

Effective October 7, 1967

## Chapter 15

AN ACT Relating to the Place of Taxation of Camp Trailers.

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

**Sec. 1. R. S., T. 36, § 603, sub-§ 2, ¶ G, amended.** Paragraph G of subsection 2 of section 603 of Title 36 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:

G. All house and camp trailers, as defined in section 1481, except those taxed as stock in trade.

**Sec. 2. R. S., T. 36, § 1484, sub-§ 2, amended.** Subsection 2 of section 1484 of Title 36 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows: