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# ACTS AND RESOLVES

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### § 581-A. Proof of age

Every person between the ages of 15 and 25 years shall supply to the department satisfactory proof of his date of birth, before the department may accept his application for an examination prior to the issuance of a permit or original license.

This section shall not affect any applicant who has an application on file on January 1, 1968.

**Sec. 2. Effective date.** This Act shall take effect on January 1, 1968.

Effective January 1, 1968

## Chapter 38

**AN ACT Relating to Open Season on Muskrat in Penobscot County.**

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

**R. S., T. 12, § 2358, sub-§ 1, amended.** The 3rd paragraph of subsection 1 of section 2358 of Title 12 of the Revised Statutes, as revised, is amended to read as follows:

The open season on mink and muskrat shall be during the month of November in each calendar year; except that the open season on muskrat in Somerset County shall be from October 21st to November 21st of each year; in **Penobscot County south of the Canadian Pacific Railroad tracks** and Washington County shall be from April 1st to April 30th of each year and in York and Franklin Counties and that portion of Cumberland County which borders on the Saco River from Route 35 north to the Oxford County line shall be only from March 20th to April 20th in each year; and except that the open season on muskrat in Aroostook County **and in Penobscot County north of the Canadian Pacific Railroad tracks** shall be during the period from April 15th to May 15th and except that the open season on muskrat in Piscataquis County shall be during the month of April only in each year; and except that the open season on muskrat within the watershed of Saco River in Oxford County, and on all lakes, ponds, marshes and streams tributary thereto, and within said county, shall be only from the first day of November to the 25th day of April in the following year.

Effective October 7, 1967

## Chapter 39

**AN ACT Relating to Recognition of Certain Motor Vehicle Licenses Held by Members of Armed Forces or Their Spouses.**

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

Whereas, the following legislation is vitally necessary to prevent undue hardship for members of the Armed Forces and their spouses, who under certain cir-

cumstances have valid motor vehicle operators' licenses issued either by the United States Government or some other state; 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:*

**R. S., T. 29, § 535-A, - 535-B, additional.** Title 29 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding 2 new sections, 535-A and 535-B, to read as follows:

**§ 535-A. Recognition of certain licenses for members of the Armed Forces**

The provisions of this Title relative to the obtaining and possession of a license to operate a motor vehicle in this State shall not apply to a person on active duty in the Armed Forces, provided that such person has in his possession a valid operator's license issued by his state of domicile, or if returning from duty outside the United States, has a valid operator's license in his possession issued by the Armed Forces of the United States in foreign countries, but such Armed Forces license shall be valid only for a period of 45 days after the licensee has returned to the United States.

**§ 535-B. Recognition for out-of-state licenses held by spouses of members of the Armed Forces**

The provisions of this Title relative to the obtaining and possession of a license to operate a motor vehicle in this State shall not apply to the spouse of a member of the Armed Forces of the United States who is accompanying such member on military or naval assignment to this State, who has a valid operator's license issued by another state, and whose right to drive has not been suspended or revoked in this State. Such exemption shall not apply to a spouse who is a resident of this State.

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

Effective March 9, 1967

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## Chapter 40

### AN ACT Prohibiting Unauthorized Person from Driving a Motor Vehicle.

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

**R. S., T. 29, § 900-A, additional.** Title 29 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding a new section 900-A, to read as follows:

**§ 900-A. Prohibiting unauthorized person from driving**

No person shall authorize or knowingly permit a motor vehicle owned by him or under his control to be driven upon any highway by any person who is not authorized under this Title or in violation of any of the provisions of this Title.

Effective October 7, 1967