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Sec. 23. R. S., T. 29, § 1702, amended. The 4th sentence of section 1702 of Title 29 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:

This section shall not be construed to prohibit the use of tire chains or studded tires of reasonable proportions on vehicles when required for safety because of snow, ice or other conditions tending to cause such vehicle to slide or skid.

Sec. 24. R. S., T. 29, § 1961, amended. The last paragraph of section 1961 of Title 29 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:

No person riding upon any bicycle, coaster, roller skates, sled or toy vehicle shall attach the same or himself to any moving vehicle upon a way.

Sec. 25. R. S., T. 29, § 1961, amended. Section 1961 of Title 29 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding at the end, a new paragraph, to read as follows:

Every person riding a bicycle upon a roadway shall be granted all of the rights and shall be subject to all of the duties applicable to the driver of a vehicle by this Title, except as to special regulations and except as to those provisions in this Title which by their nature can have no application.

Sec. 26. R. S., T. 29, § 2122, amended. The 7th paragraph of section 2122 of Title 29 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:

The Chief of the State Police, the sheriff of each county or his deputy, a state police officer or ~~a state driver license examiner~~ certain employees of the Motor Vehicle Division so designated by the director may issue a permit to owners of motor vehicles which are not inspected to enable them to operate such vehicle to an inspection station for the purpose of complying with this law.

Effective October 7, 1967

Chapter 246

AN ACT to Create Uniform Fishing Relations on all Boundary Waters between State of Maine and Province of New Brunswick.

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

R. S., T. 12, § 2554-A, additional. Title 12 of the Revised Statutes, as revised, is amended by adding a new section 2554-A, to read as follows:

§ 2554-A. Boundary waters between Maine and New Brunswick

Waters affected by this section are as follows: In the County of Aroostook; St. Francis River, Glazier Lake, St. John River, Monument Brook, North Lake, The Thoroughfare between North and East Grand Lake and East Grand Lake; in the County of Washington, East Grand Lake, Mud Lake, St. Croix River, Spednik Lake and Grand Falls flowage.

Notwithstanding any other law to the contrary;

1. Open water. Open water fishing season shall be from April 15th to September 30th of each year.

2. Ice fishing. The open season for ice fishing on lakes for all species except salmon, trout, togue and bass, shall be from January 1st to March 31st of each year. All other waters on the boundary between the State of Maine and Province of New Brunswick shall be closed to ice fishing.

3. Length limit. No person shall take or have in possession a landlocked salmon less than 14 inches in length, togue less than 14 inches in length, trout less than 6 inches in length and bass less than 10 inches.

4. Daily bag and possession limit. No person shall take in any one day nor possess more than 15 fish in the aggregate or 7½ pounds of landlocked salmon, togue, trout and bass.

Effective October 7, 1967

Chapter 247

AN ACT Relating to Conflicts of Interest in Municipal and Quasi-Municipal Contracts.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., T. 17, § 3104, amended. Section 3104 of Title 17 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding at the end a new paragraph to read as follows:

In the absence of actual fraud, no officer of a quasi-municipal corporation shall be deemed to be pecuniarily interested directly or indirectly in any contracts made in behalf of the quasi-municipal corporation of which he is an officer merely because he is an officer, employee or stockholder of a private corporation contracting with the quasi-municipal corporation, unless such officer of a quasi-municipal corporation is directly or indirectly the owner of at least 10% of the stock of the private corporation.

Sec. 2. R. S., T. 30, § 2251, sub-§ 2, amended. Subsection 2 of section 2251 of Title 30 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:

2. **Contracts.** A contract, other than a contract obtained through properly advertised bid procedures, made by a ~~city~~ municipality during the term of a ~~city~~ municipal official who has a direct or an indirect pecuniary interest in it is void.

Sec. 3. R. S., T. 30, § 2251, sub-§ 4, additional. Section 2251 of Title 30 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding a new subsection 4, to read as follows:

4. **Absence of actual fraud.** In the absence of actual fraud, no municipal official shall be deemed to have a direct or indirect pecuniary interest in a question or in a contract merely because he is an officer, employee or stockholder