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delinquency. It is the intent of the Legislature that the Commissioner of Mental Health and Corrections be given considerable flexibility in implementing, directing and executing this program.

§ 252. Coordinator

The commissioner may appoint a Coordinator of Youth Activities, which person will be selected, not primarily on the basis of professional training, but rather on the basis of high moral standards, outstanding character, one who has exhibited outstanding traits of leadership and who has appealed to the youth of our State. Emphasis should be given to a person who has had some experience in dealing with youth and their problems and who has demonstrated effectiveness either in sports or other youth-oriented activities.

The coordinator shall cooperate, and assist when warranted, with the problems of the State Committee on Children and Youth, with the various communities of the State, with the Division of Probation and Parole, with the aftercare organization of our juvenile centers, with the committed population of the juvenile centers, and with any and all other agencies which are desirous of receiving assistance in this effort to stimulate preventive measures in our various communities.

§ 253. Funds awarded

The commissioner is authorized to grant funds not exceeding \$350 each to communities and nonprofit organizations who have youth or similar activities which promote the overall objectives of this chapter.

Sec. 2. Budgetary requests and report. It is legislative intent that this activity will be an on-going program through the years and the commissioner is authorized to recommend the sums which will be required for ensuing bienniums in the operations section of the Budgetary Requests for the 104th Legislature.

A report on the effectiveness and on the general operation of this program will be made by the commissioner to the Chairman of the Legislative Research Committee for the 104th legislative session.

Sec. 3. Personnel.	1967-68	1968-69
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MENTAL HEALTH AND CORRECTIONS, DEPARTMENT OF

Personal Services	(1)	—	(1)	—
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Effective October 7, 1967

Chapter 490

AN ACT Relating to Method of Fixing Salaries of Certain State Officials.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., T. 5, § 281, amended. The last paragraph of section 281 of Title 5 of the Revised Statutes is repealed and the following enacted in place thereof:

He (Commissioner of Finance and Administration) shall receive a salary of \$20,436 per year.

Sec. 2. R. S., T. 5, § 282, amended. The 2nd paragraph of section 282 of Title 5 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows :

The salaries of the bureau chiefs shall be fixed by the commissioner, with the approval of the Governor, except that the salary of the State Tax Assessor shall be \$17,420 per year.

Sec. 3. R. S., T. 6, § 81, amended. The last sentence of section 81 of Title 6 of the Revised Statutes is repealed and the following enacted in place thereof :

The director (Aeronautics Commission) shall receive a salary of \$13,728 per year.

Sec. 4. R. S., T. 9, § 1, amended. The last sentence of the first paragraph of section 1 of Title 9 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows :

He (Bank Commissioner) shall receive an annual salary ~~to be determined by the Governor and confirmed by the Council~~ of \$15,796 and his actual traveling expenses incurred in the performance of his duties.

Sec. 5. R. S., T. 10, § 401, amended. The last paragraph of section 401 of Title 10 of the Revised Statutes is repealed and the following enacted in place thereof :

He (Commissioner of Economic Development) shall receive a salary of \$18,928 per year.

Sec. 6. R. S., T. 12, § 3501, sub-§ 4, repealed and replaced. Subsection 4 of section 3501 of Title 12 of the Revised Statutes is repealed and the following enacted in place thereof :

4. Salary. The commissioner (Sea and Shore Fisheries) shall receive a salary of \$14,196 per year.

Sec. 7. R. S., T. 22, § 1, amended. The last sentence of the 2nd paragraph of section 1 of Title 22 of the Revised Statutes is repealed and the following enacted in place thereof :

He (Commissioner of Health and Welfare) shall receive a salary of \$19,656 per year.

Sec. 8. R. S., T. 23, § 51, amended. The 3rd sentence of section 51 of Title 23 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows :

One member shall be appointed by the Governor as chairman (Highway Commission) who shall devote each full working day to his duties and whose salary shall be ~~fixed by the Governor and Council~~ \$20,436 per year.

Sec. 9. R. S., T. 34, § 1, amended. The 3rd sentence of the 2nd paragraph of section 1 of Title 34 of the Revised Statutes is repealed and the following enacted in place thereof :

He (Commissioner of Mental Health and Corrections) shall receive a salary of \$17,316 per year.

Effective October 7, 1967

Chapter 491

AN ACT Relating to Time Limit of Keeping Sick or Injured Dogs by Agency Boarding Such Dogs.

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

R. S., T. 7, § 3406, amended. The 2nd and 3rd sentences of section 3406 of Title 7 of the Revised Statutes are amended to read as follows:

Any licensed veterinarian, humane society or shelter accepting such a sick, stray, injured or abandoned dog shall keep the same for a period of ~~2 weeks~~ 14 days and shall be entitled to receive from the State the sum of ~~\$~~ \$1.50 per day for such period or part thereof as they shall provide food and shelter, provided such licensed veterinarian, humane society or shelter shall notify the clerk of their respective municipality within 24 hours after accepting such a dog, such notice to include a detailed description of the dog and the circumstances of its finding. Upon the expiration of said ~~2 weeks~~ 14 days if the owner of the dog has not appeared to claim the same then said licensed veterinarian, humane society or shelter may give away, sell or otherwise humanely dispose of said dog. **No dog shall leave any boarding agency until licensed by the person accepting said dog in accordance with section 3451.**

Effective October 7, 1967

Chapter 492

AN ACT Relating to Joint State and Municipal Purchasing.

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

R. S., T. 5, § 1811, sub-§ 8, additional. Section 1811 of Title 5 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding a new subsection 8, to read as follows:

8. Municipal purchasing. To permit any political subdivision or School Administrative District in the State of Maine to make purchases of materials, equipment and supplies through the State Bureau of Purchases, subject to such procedures, rules and regulations as may be prescribed by the State Purchasing Agent. This subsection shall apply to a municipality notwithstanding any provision in its municipal charter to the contrary.

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