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ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

One Hundred and Fifth Legislature

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

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deposit in the Members' Contribution Fund by a single payment or by an increased rate of contribution an amount computed to be sufficient to purchase an additional amount of retirement allowance which, together with his prospective retirement allowance, will provide for him a total retirement allowance not in excess of  $\frac{1}{2}$  of his average final compensation, at any eligible age.

**Sec. 12. R. S., T. 5, § 1062, sub-§ 2, ¶ F, amended.** Paragraph F of subsection 2 of section 1062 of Title 5 of the Revised Statutes, is amended to read as follows:

F. The executive ~~secretary~~ director of the retirement system ~~on or after July 1st of each year~~ will furnish to each member of the system ~~in service on July 1st of such year, upon request,~~ a statement showing the amount of accumulated contributions to the member's credit in his individual account in the Members' Contribution Fund.

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## Chapter 18

### AN ACT Relating to Boards of Registration for Certain Municipalities Under Election Laws.

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

**R. S., T. 21, § 43, amended.** The first paragraph of section 43 of Title 21 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by section 3 of chapter 398 of the public laws of 1965, is further amended to read as follows:

In a city or town which has a population of ~~5,000~~ 4,000 or over, a board of registration consisting of 3 members must be appointed as follows: One member nominated by the city committees of each of the 2 major parties and appointed by the municipal officers, and the 3rd member appointed by the Governor with the advice and consent of the Council ~~except that a city or town which has a population of 4,000 to 5,000 may, by vote of its legislative body, have a board of registration in lieu of a registrar of voters.~~

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## Chapter 19

### AN ACT Relating to Notification to Panel of Mediators in Labor Disputes.

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

**R. S., T. 26, § 882-A, additional.** Title 26 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding a new section 882-A to read as follows:

## § 882-A. Notification

The employer, union and employees shall notify the Panel of Mediators whenever contracts are to be negotiated between the employer and the employees or whenever a dispute arises between the parties threatening interruption of work, or under both conditions.

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## Chapter 20

### AN ACT Relating to Voluntary Sales Tax Registrants.

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

**R. S., T. 36, § 1756, amended.** The 2nd sentence of section 1756 of Title 36 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:

Upon registration, he shall have the rights and duties of a person required to be registered and shall be subject to the same penalties, **except that his liability may be limited to tax actually collected.**

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## Chapter 21

### AN ACT Relating to Payment of Tax by Use Fuel Dealers.

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

**Sec. 1. R. S., T. 36, § 3033, amended.** The first sentence of the 2nd paragraph of section 3033 of Title 36 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:

The State Tax Assessor shall have the power to institute legal proceedings by the Attorney General in a court of appropriate jurisdiction for the purpose of ascertaining the amount due **under this chapter** and enforcing the collection thereof, with penalties and interest thereon and for the purpose of enjoining the business of the delinquent.

**Sec. 2. R. S., T. 36, § 3035, amended.** The last sentence of the 3rd paragraph of section 3035 of Title 36 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:

If such report is not filed or such payment is not rendered by the last day of the month such dealer shall be liable to a penalty of \$1 a day for each day in arrears, or 10% of tax liability, whichever is greater, due on demand by the State Tax Assessor and recoverable in a civil action.