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3. Termination of employment. Upon termination of the employment of a legislative counsel or agent, the fact of such termination and the date thereof shall be entered upon the docket at the direction of the employer.

§ 312. Registration docket; maintenance and inspection

i. Secretary of State to keep docket. The Secretary of State shall prepare and keep a docket for the registration of legislative counsel or agents and of their employers, which docket shall be open to public inspection during the office hours of said Secretary of State and shall contain the names of legislative counsel and agents and of their employers, the addresses of each, the date and subject matter of the employment the nature of the compensation to be paid the legislative counsel or agents, and, by appropriate words, a designation of whether such employment is as counsel or agent or both. Such docket shall be so arranged and indexed that under the name of each employer shall appear the names of all legislative counsel or agents employed by him and that the name or names of each employer represented by any counsel or agent shall appear under the name of such counsel or agent.

2. Statement of expenses.

A. It shall be the duty of every person, firm, association or corporation who employs a legislative counsel or agent to file an itemized statement in the office of the Secretary of State within 30 days after the adjournment of the Legislature.

B. The itemized statement shall show in detail all expenses paid, incurred or promised directly or indirectly in connection with legislation pending at the last previous session, with the names of the payees and the amount paid to each, including all disbursements paid, incurred or promised to legislative counsel or agents, and also specifying the nature of said legislation and the interest of the person, firm, association or corporation therein.

C. The itemized statement shall be verified by the oath of such person or in the case of a firm of a member thereof or in the case of a domestic corporation or association of an officer thereof or in the case of a foreign corporation or association of an officer or agent thereof.

Effective October 3, 1973

CHAPTER 341

AN ACT to Redefine the Legal Standard of Time for Hauling of Lobster Traps.

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

R. S., T. 12, § 4458, sub-§ 1, amended. Subsection 1 of section 4458 of Title 12 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:

1. Definition of sunset and sunrise. For the purpose of this section sunset and sunrise is that time given for sunset or sunrise in the Maine Farmer's Almanae as computed and established for Augusta, Maine, by the Naufical Almanac Office of the United States Naval Observatory for the particular day involved converted to the legal standard of time in force in this State on that day.

Effective October 3, 1973

CHAPTER 342

AN ACT Relating to Number of Lobster Traps on Trawls in Saco Bay and Westerly, Cumberland County.

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

R. S., T. 12, § 4464, amended. Section 4464 of Title 12 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:

§ 4464. —Saco Bay; Cumberland County

It is unlawful to have on any trawl more than 3 lobster traps on one warp and buoy in that any part of Saco Bay west of and westerly of a line running 150° true from the center of Spurwink River in Searborough the active lighthouse at Two Lights in Cape Elizabeth to the Hue and Cry Buoy.

Effective October 3, 1973

CHAPTER 343

AN ACT to Authorize the Commissioner of Sea and Shore Fisheries to Exercise Additional Authority in the Management of Alewife Fisheries, Shad, Smelt and Eels.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., T. 12, § 3708, amended. The first paragraph of section 3708 of Title 12 of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by section 1 of chapter 254 of the public laws of 1969, is repealed and the following enacted in place thereof:

The Commissioner of Sea and Shore Fisheries is authorized to develop, manage or lease alewife fishing rights in accordance with this section.

Sec. 2. R. S., T. 12, § 3708, sub-§ 1, repealed and replaced. Subsection 1 of section 3708 of Title 12 of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by section 1 of chapter 254 of the public laws of 1969, is repealed and the following enacted in place thereof:

1. Alewife rights. The commissioner shall grant the right to take alewives, exclusive or otherwise, to any municipality entitled to such rights on January 1, 1974 and may grant the right to take alewives to any municipality, provided: