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ACTS, RESOLVES AND CONSTITUTIONAL RESOLUTIONS

AS PASSED BY THE

One Hundred and Sixth Legislature

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

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as amended by section 1 of chapter 550 of the public laws of 1969, is further amended by adding at the end the following new paragraphs:

The chairman of the board may extend any time limit specified in subsections 1 to 4 upon written application of either party on condition the application is submitted within time provided for in the applicable step; otherwise, failure of an employee to pursue a grievance within prescribed time limits shall constitute an acceptance of the last response by the department. Failure of the department to respond within stipulated time limits provided for in the applicable step shall constitute an automatic waiver of that step and the employee may proceed to the next step as outlined in this section.

At least one day prior to the presentation of the employee's grievance to his supervisor, the employee's representative, if any, shall have access to the work location of the employee involved during the working hours for the purpose of investigating the grievance.

The department head may designate a representative, with authority to take appropriate action, who shall be at the deputy or assistant department head or labor specialist level to represent him in subsections 2 and 3 of this section.

Effective October 3, 1973

CHAPTER 494

AN ACT Relating to Penalty for Criminal Trespass in Buildings.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., T. 17, § 3854, sub-§ 2, amended. Subsection 2 of section 3854 of Title 17 of the Revised Statutes, as repealed and replaced by chapter 244 of the public laws of 1971, is amended to read as follows:

2. Entry of certain buildings. Whoever willfully enters, or attempts to enter, any dwelling house, camp, cottage or locked building, without the permission of the owner or occupant thereof, shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$100 or by imprisonment for not more than 90 days, or by both.

Sec. 2. R. S., T. 17, § 3854, sub-§ 4, additional. Section 3854 of Title 17 of the Revised Statutes, as repealed and replaced by chapter 244 of the public laws of 1971, is amended by adding a new subsection 4 to read as follows:

4. Felonious trespass. Whoever willfully enters, or attempts to enter, any dwelling house, camp, cottage or locked building, where valuables are kept, without the permission of the owner or occupant thereof, shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$1,000 or by imprisonment for not more than 2 years, or by both.

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