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PUBLIC LAWS
OF THE
STATE OF MAINE

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CHAPTER 302

AN ACT Relating to a Third Fifty-Two Week Extension for Vocational Rehabilitation under the Workmen's Compensation Statutes.

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

Sec. 1. 39 MRSA § 52, 4th ¶, as last amended by PL 1973, c. 571, § 69, is further amended by adding a new sentence after the first sentence to read:

The 2nd 52-week period may be extended for another further period not to exceed an additional 52 weeks if such further extended period is found to be necessary and proper by any member of the commission and if the employee is carrying on the same or substantially the same program as in the prior 52 weeks of rehabilitation service.

Sec. 2. 39 MRSA § 93, sub-§ 3, as last amended by PL 1971, c. 319, is further amended by adding after the first paragraph a new paragraph to read:

Prior to the award of the 3rd period of up to 52 weeks of vocational rehabilitation as provided by section 52, the employer shall have the right of discovery and subpoena power in regard to all persons, including any private or public agent, to determine the suitability of such employee for such further rehabilitation.

Effective October 1, 1975

CHAPTER 303

AN ACT to Redirect the Use of Plumbing Permit Fees.

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

30 MRSA § 3223, sub-§ 2, as enacted by PL 1973, c. 521, § 4, is amended to read:

2. **Fees.** The permit required by this section shall be issued upon receipt by the plumbing inspector of a completed application form as prescribed by the Commissioner of Health and Welfare, and payment by the applicant of the fee determined by the regulations of the Department of Health and Welfare. One-third fourth of the amount of such fee shall be paid through the Department of Health and Welfare to the Treasurer of State to be maintained as a permanent fund and used by the department for the carrying out of its plumbing rules and regulations and the training and certification of plumbing inspectors.

The remainder shall be paid to the treasurer of the municipality and used exclusively for carrying out the plumbing laws in each such municipality.

Effective October 1, 1975