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### CHAPTER 390

#### AN ACT to Provide Opportunity for Reasonable Correction of Applications before the Board of Environmental Protection.

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

38 MRSA § 361-C is enacted to read:

#### § 361-C. Petition for reconsideration

The commissioner shall give reasonable notice to the applicant, upon request, of the date the board will act on the application and that a draft order relating to the application is available in the Augusta office of the department. Draft orders shall be available to any persons at the Augusta office of the department prior to the date the board acts on the draft order.

Within 10 days of the applicant's receipt of a final board decision, any person aggrieved by the decision may petition the Board of Environmental Protection in writing for an opportunity to present new or additional evidence to cure any deficiencies in the original application, correct errors in the final decision, secure reconsideration of the conditions of approval or of the denial, or challenge any facts of which official notice was taken. Such petition shall set forth in detail the findings, conclusions or conditions to which the applicant objects, the basis of the objections, the nature of the relief requested and the nature of the new or additional evidence.

The board shall, within 30 days of receipt of such petition and after appropriate notice, grant the petition in full or in part, order a public hearing or dismiss the petition. Any public hearing held under this section shall be held within 30 days of the board's decision to hold such hearing and the commissioner shall provide reasonable notice to interested persons. The time for appeal of a final decision of the board on any application shall be computed from the date upon which notice is received of any administrative action pursuant to this section.

Effective October 1, 1975

## CHAPTER 391

AN ACT Relating to the Statutes Concerning Licensing of Dogs.

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

Sec. 1. 7 MRSA § 3451, 2nd ¶, first and 3rd sentences, as amended by PL 1965, c. 193, § 3, are further amended to read:

A fee of \$1.50 shall be paid the city or town clerk for each license issued on male dogs, and a fee of \$5 \$5.50 shall be paid for all female dogs capable of bearing young.

When such certificate accompanies the application, a fee of \$1.50 shall then be paid on such spayed females.