

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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LAWS  
OF THE  
STATE OF MAINE

AS PASSED BY THE

ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTH LEGISLATURE

FIRST REGULAR SESSION

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Whereas, in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts create an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution of Maine and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore,

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

28 MRSA § 701, as last repealed and replaced by PL 1975, c. 741, § 21, is amended by adding at the end the following new paragraph to read:

Every applicant for an original or renewal malt liquor license shall remit with his application a filing fee of \$10, except in unorganized places the filing fee of \$10 shall be paid to the county treasurer of the county in which the unincorporated place is located, and all such applications for license in unincorporated places shall be accompanied by evidence of payment of filing fee to the county treasurer.

Emergency clause; retroactivity. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this Act shall take effect when approved, and shall be retroactive to July 26, 1976.

Effective May 16, 1977 unless otherwise indicated

## CHAPTER 169

### AN ACT Concerning Cruelty to Animals.

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

17-A MRSA § 510, sub-§ 1, ¶ C, as enacted by PL 1975, c. 499, § 1, and as amended by PL 1977, c. 35, is further amended to read:

C. He deprives any animal which he owns or possesses of necessary sustenance, necessary medical attention, proper shelter, protection from the weather or humanely clean conditions;

Effective October 24, 1977

## CHAPTER 170

### AN ACT Establishing the Offense of Illegal Transportation of Alcoholic Beverages Onto or Off of the Premises of a Licensee Licensed for On-premise Consumption.