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running along the line marked by LORAN A bearing 1H7-1160 in a westerly direction to a point where that line intersects with the line defined as the "second line" in section 4465, subsection 2.

Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this Act shall take effect when approved.

Effective June 15, 1977

CHAPTER 322

AN ACT Relating to Partnerships Between Husbands and Wives.

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

Sec. 1. 19 MRSA § 164 is amended by adding at the end a new sentence to read:

This section shall not be construed to mean that a wife is not liable for the debts, contracted in the name of the partnership, of a partnership between husband and herself or between husband, herself and 3rd persons; nor shall it be construed to prohibit or limit the formation of a partnership between a husband and a wife or between a husband, wife and 3rd persons.

Sec. 2. 31 MRSA § 286, 1st sentence, as enacted by PL 1973, c. 377, § 1, is amended to read:

A partnership shall mean an association of 2 or more persons, including an association of a husband and wife, to carry on as co-owners a business for profit.

Effective October 24, 1977

CHAPTER 323

AN ACT Relating to the Spending Ceiling for Education Purposes.

Emergency preamble. Whereas, Acts of the Legislature do not become effective until 90 days after adjournment unless enacted as emergencies; and

Whereas, without legislation, effective July 1, 1977, which amends the School Finance Act of 1976, a ceiling on education expenditures will be re-imposed on all local education units; and