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B. Any person who has committed in his presence or is committing in his presence a Class D or Class E crime other than those described in paragraph A, subparagraphs 3 through 6.

A law enforcement officer may, without fee, take the personal recognizance of any person for his appearance on a charge of a Class D or Class E crime.

Effective October 24, 1977

#### CHAPTER 327

AN ACT to Amend the Land Use Regulation Commission Statutes.

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

Sec. 1. 12 MRSA § 685-A, sub-§ 8, 3rd ¶, ¶ A, as repealed and replaced by PL 1973, c. 788, § 43-B, is repealed and the following enacted in its place:

**A.** The change would be consistent with the standards for district boundaries in effect at the time; the comprehensive land use plan; and the purpose, intent and provisions of this chapter; and

Sec. 1-A. 12 MRSA § 685-A, sub-§ 8, 3rd [], [] B, is enacted to read:

B. The change in districting will satisfy demonstrated need in the community or area and will have no undue adverse impact on existing uses or resources or a new district designation is more appropriate for the protection and management of existing uses and resources within the affected area.

Sec. 2. 12 MRSA § 685-A, sub-§ 8, as repealed and replaced by PL 1973, c. 788, § 43-B, is amended by adding at the end the following new paragraph:

Amendments to land use standards so adopted shall be effective immediately but shall be submitted to the next regular or special session of the Legislature for approval or modification. If the Legislature fails to act, such standards shall continue in full force and effect.

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### CHAPTER 328

AN ACT Relating to Purse Seining and Stop Seining.