## MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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## LAWS

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

- 21 MRSA § 492, sub-§ 9-A is enacted to read:
- 9-A. Certification by registrar. A nomination shall be certified by the registrar as provided in this subsection.

The registrar of each municipality concerned shall certify which names on a petition appear on the voting list of that municipality as registered voters and shall strike out any names which do not satisfy subsection 3.

The petition shall be submitted to the registrar of each municipality concerned for certification by or before 5 p.m. on the 5th day before the date of the primary election.

Effective October 24, 1977

#### CHAPTER 443

AN ACT Regarding the Sales Tax for Sales Made Through Vending Machines.

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

Sec. 1. 36 MRSA § 1752, sub-§ 11, as last amended by PL 1975, c. 765, § 19, is further amended by adding after the 2nd sentence, the following new sentence:

Until December 31, 1980, the term "retail sale" or "sale at retail" shall also mean sale of products to a person for resale through coin-operated vending machines when sold to a retailer whose gross receipts from the retail sale of tangible personal property derived through sales from vending machines are more than 50% of his gross receipts which tax shall be paid by the retailer to the State.

Sec. 2. 36 MRSA § 1760, sub-§ 3, is amended by adding after the 3rd paragraph, the following new paragraph:

Until December 31, 1980, "food products" shall not include any product sold to a person for resale through coin-operated vending machines when sold to a retailer whose gross receipts from the retail sale of tangible personal property derived through sales from vending machines are more than 50% of his gross receipts.

Sec. 3. 36 MRSA § 1760, sub-§ 34, as enacted by PL 1973, c. 766, § 1, is further amended by adding at the end the following new sentence to read:

Until December 31, 1980, this exemption shall apply to all vending machine sales regardless of price;