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appeal or other review which has been denied.

Sec. 7. 34 MRSA § 183, sub-§ 6, as amended by PL 1971, c. 598, § 86, is further amended by adding at the end the following:

A person charged with or convicted of a crime as an adult in a demanding state, whose extradition from this State is sought by the demanding state shall be subject to the provisions of chapter 9, although the person is a minor under the laws of this State.

Effective September 14, 1979

CHAPTER 275

H. P. 991 — L. D. 1228

AN ACT Relating to Registration of Commercial and Custom Establishments under the Maine Meat Inspection Act.

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

22 MRSA §§ 2558 and 2559 are enacted to read:

§ 2558. Registration of commercial establishments

No person, firm or corporation shall operate a commercial slaughterhouse or commercial meat processing establishment unless the establishment is registered by the commissioner.

A commercial slaughterhouse or commercial meat processing establishment is defined as the place where commercial slaughter or commercial preparation of meat or meat food products is performed in accordance with the provisions of this chapter.

An application for registration or renewal of registration shall be made on or before September 1st of each year on a form prescribed by the commissioner. The registration shall be approved after the commissioner is satisfied that there is compliance with the regulations governing these operations. A fee of $5 shall be paid for each registration or renewal.

Each registration shall cover a group of buildings or parts thereof, in one location, constituting the commercial slaughterhouse or commercial meat processing establishment owned by the registrant.

§ 2559. Registration of custom establishments

No person, firm or corporation shall operate a custom slaughterhouse or custom meat processing establishment unless the establishment is registered by the commissioner.

A custom slaughterhouse or custom meat processing establishment is defined as the place where custom slaughter or custom preparation of meat or meat food products is performed in accordance with the provisions of this chapter.

An application for registration or renewal of registration shall be made on or before September 1st of each year on a form prescribed by the commissioner. The registration shall be approved after the commissioner is satisfied that there is compliance with the regulations governing these operations. A fee of $5 shall be paid for each registration or renewal.

Each registration shall cover a group of buildings or parts thereof, in one location, constituting the custom slaughterhouse or custom meat processing establishment owned by the registrant.

Effective September 14, 1979

CHAPTER 276

H. P. 519 — L. D. 662

AN ACT Concerning Nomination Procedure for Nonparty Candidates.

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

21 MRSA § 494, sub-§ 5, as enacted by PL 1977, c. 425, § 2, is amended to read:

5. **Number of signatures required.** Nomination petitions must be signed by the following numbers of voters:

A.   For a slate of candidates for the office of Presidential Elector, at least 2,000 **4,000** and not more than 3,000 **6,000** voters;

B.   For a candidate for the office of Governor, at least 2,000 **4,000** and not more than 3,000 **6,000** voters;

C.   For a candidate for the office of United States Senator, at least 2,000 **4,000** and not more than 3,000 **6,000** voters;

D.   For a candidate for the office of United States Representative, at least 1,000 **2,000** and not more than 1,500 **3,000** voters;