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the Central Licensing Division of the Department of Business Regulation to notify, at his last known address, every person registered under this chapter of the date of the expiration of his license and the amount of the fee that shall be required for its renewal for a 2-year period. The notice shall be mailed at least one month in advance of the expiration date.

Effective September 14, 1979

CHAPTER 301

H. P. 1017 — L. D. 1250

AN ACT to Prohibit the Licensing of Deceptively Similar Names for Firms or Corporations of Agents, Brokers, Adjusters or Consultants under the Insurance Law.

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

24-A MRSA § 1517, sub-§§ 4-A and 4-B are enacted to read:

4-A. All the licensees shall be subject to the same restrictions with regard to deceptively similar names as applied to insurers under section 408, sub-§ 1.

4-B. All the licensees shall advertise only in the name under which they are licensed.

Effective September 14, 1979

CHAPTER 302

S. P. 446 — L. D. 1366

AN ACT Concerning Licensing Manufactured Housing Dealers, Itinerant Vendors, Lightning Rod Salesmen and Apprentices and Helper Electricians.

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

Sec. 1. 10 MRSA § 9021, sub-§ 4, as enacted by PL 1977, c. 550, § 1, is repealed and the following enacted in its place:

4. License term. Licenses shall expire February 28th or at such other times as the Commissioner of Business Regulation may designate and shall be issued on a biennial basis upon payment of a license fee.

Sec. 2. 10 MRSA § 9021, sub-§ 5 is enacted to read:

5. **Renewals.** The board shall notify each licensee of the expiration date of his license and indicate the amount of fee required for biennial renewal. Notice shall be mailed to each person's last known address at least 30 days in advance of the expiration date of the license. If any licensee fails to renew within 30 days after expiration, he shall be required to make a new application.

Sec. 3. 32 MRSA § 1101, sub-§ 1, last sentence, as amended by PL 1975, c. 767, § 31, is further amended to read:

The biennial renewal fee for an apprentice electrician license shall be ~~\$2~~ \$5.

Sec. 4. 32 MRSA § 1101, sub-§ 3, last sentence, as amended by PL 1975, c. 767, § 32, is further amended to read:

The biennial renewal fee for a helper electrician license shall be ~~\$2~~ \$5.

Sec. 5. 32 MRSA § 1707, as enacted by PL 1973, c. 56, is amended to read:

§ 1707. Lightning rod manufacturer's and salesman's licenses

The **biennial** fee for issuing or renewing a license to a lightning rod manufacturer shall be ~~\$20~~ \$40. The **biennial** fee for issuing or renewing a license to a lightning rod salesman shall be ~~\$2~~ \$5.

Sec. 6. 32 MRSA § 4684-A, as enacted by PL 1977, c. 440, § 2, is amended to read:

§ 4684-A. Renewal application

A renewal application made upon a form prescribed by the Department of Business Regulation shall be filed ~~each year~~ **biennially** by the applicant ~~upon the anniversary date of the original application~~ **on October 31st or at such other times as the Commissioner of Business Regulation may designate.** The renewal application shall include all changes or additions in the information required by section 4684. **Notice shall be mailed to each person's last known address 30 days in advance of his expiration date.** The renewal application shall be accompanied by a ~~\$5 filing~~ **\$10 biennial** fee.

Effective September 14, 1979

CHAPTER 303

H. P. 1210 — L. D. 1542

AN ACT Enabling the State to Enter into an Interstate Compact on the Emotionally Disordered Offender.

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