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The term "retail sale" or "sale at retail" also means sale of products for internal human consumption 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Sec. 3. 36 MRSA § 1760, sub-§ 3, 4th ¶, as last amended by PL 1979, c. 292, § 2, is repealed and the following enacted in its place:

This exemption does not apply to products sold to a person for resale through coin-operated vending machines when sold to a person 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Sec. 4. 36 MRSA § 1760, sub-§ 34, as last amended by PL 1979, c. 292, § 3, is repealed and the following enacted in its place:

34. Coin-operated vending machines. Sales of products for internal human consumption when sold through coin-operated vending machines by a person more than 50% of whose gross receipts from the retail sale of tangible personal property are derived from sales through vending machines.

Effective September 18, 1981

CHAPTER 164

H. P. 566 — L. D. 642

AN ACT to Repeal the Provision Concerning Waiver of an Employee's Rights under the Occupational Disease Law.

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

39 MRSA § 191, as amended by PL 1977, c. 696, § 414, is repealed.

Effective September 18, 1981

CHAPTER 165

H. P. 429 — L. D. 476

AN ACT to Allow Registers of Probate to Aid Persons Using Probate Courts.

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

18-A MRSA § 1-510, last sentence, as enacted by PL 1979, c. 540, § 1, is repealed and the following enacted in its place:

Except as otherwise provided in this section, a register may not draft or aid in drafting any documents or paper, which he is by law required to record in full or in part, under a penalty of not more than \$100, to be recovered by any complainant in a civil action for his benefit or by indictment for the benefit of the county. A register may aid in drafting applications in informal proceedings, petitions or sworn statements relating to the closing of decedents' estates which have not been contested prior to closing, applications for change of name and petitions for guardians or minors. No register nor any employee of the Probate Court may charge fees or accept anything of value for assisting in the drafting of any documents to be used or filed in the court of which he is the register or an employee.

Effective September 18, 1981

CHAPTER 166

H. P. 852 — L. D. 1015

AN ACT to Exempt the Elderly from Beano Licensing and License Fees.

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

17 MRSA § 313-A is enacted to read:

§ 313-A. Exemption for elderly

Clubs, groups or organizations, comprised only of members who are at least 62 years of age, which operate "beano" or "bingo" games for their own entertainment and recreation and not for profit, are exempt from application and licensing provisions of this chapter.

Effective September 18, 1981

CHAPTER 167

H. P. 195 — L. D. 242

AN ACT to Require State Bond Issues to Include all Interest Involved.