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PUBLIC LAWS

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

20 MRSA § 1291, sub-§ 5, first \P , as enacted by PL 1979, c. 633, is repealed and the following enacted in its place:

Any remote administrative unit, including a Maine coast island that does not have highway connections with the mainland, which does not maintain a secondary school shall pay an amount as determined by the administrative unit to cover the room and boarding costs of any student eligible to attend a secondary school in accordance with this section, provided that the commissioner has determined that boarding is the only reasonable alternative for the student to be able to obtain his secondary education. The arrangement to board the student or students, including the amount to be paid, must be approved by the commissioner in advance. Forms for this purpose shall be provided by the department. Parents or legal guardians of the students must reside within that remote administrative unit to be eligible under this section.

Effective September 18, 1981

CHAPTER 521

H. P. 1002 — L. D. 1199

AN ACT Concerning Tuition Reimbursement to Private Schools.

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

20 MRSA § 1292, first ¶, 4th sentence from end, as repealed and replaced by PL 1975, c. 746, § 14, is amended to read:

This amount shall be defined as the insured value factor and it shall not exceed \$75.7.5% of a school's legal tuition rate per pupil in any one year.

Effective September 18, 1981

CHAPTER 522

H. P. 444 — L. D. 523

AN ACT Relating to State-municipal Revenue Sharing.

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

- Sec. 1. 30 MRSA § 5055, sub-§ 5, as last amended by P&SL 1975, c. 147, Pt. C, § 15, is repealed and the following enacted in its place:
- 5. Treasurer of State. An amount equal to 4% of the receipts from the taxes imposed under Title 36, Parts 3 and 8, and credited to the General Fund, plus an amount equal to \$237,000 of the receipts from the tax imposed under Title 36, Part 3, shall be transferred by the Treasurer of State to the Local Government Fund on the first day of each month, beginning July 1, 1983.

The Treasurer of State shall distribute the balance in the Local Government Fund on the 20th day of each month, beginning July 20, 1983.

Sec. 2. Effective date. This Act shall take effect July 1, 1983.

Effective July 1, 1983

CHAPTER 523

S. P. 236 — L. D. 654

AN ACT Relating to Veterans' Tax Exemptions.

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

- Sec. 1. 36 MRSA § 653, sub-§ 1, \P F, sub- \P ¶ (1) and (2) are repealed.
- Sec. 2. 36 MRSA § 661, last paragraph, as enacted by PL 1981, c. 133, § 5, is repealed as follows:

This section terminates on March 31, 1982

Sec. 3. Appropriation. The following funds are appropriated from the General Fund to carry out the purposes of this Act.

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FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION, DEPARTMENT OF

Bureau of Taxation

All Other

\$203,500