

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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**LAWS**  
OF THE  
**STATE OF MAINE**

AS PASSED BY THE  
  
ONE HUNDRED AND ELEVENTH LEGISLATURE

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J.S. McCarthy Co., Inc.  
Augusta, Maine  
1983

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**PUBLIC LAWS**  
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§1058. Furnishing or allowing consumption of liquor by certain persons prohibited

1. Offense. It is a violation of this section for any person, other than a licensee or his agent within the scope of his employment, to knowingly:

A. Procure, or in any way aid or assist in procuring, furnish, give or deliver liquor for a minor or any intoxicated person; or

B. Allow any minor under his control, or on premises under his control, to consume alcoholic beverages.

2. Exceptions. This section does not apply to liquor served to a minor in a home in the presence of his parent or guardian.

3. Penalty. Violation of this section is a Class E crime.

Effective September 23, 1983.

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## CHAPTER 15

H.P. 500 - L.D. 566

AN ACT Regarding the Recording of Instruments in the Day Book of the Registry of Deeds.

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

33 MRSA §653 is repealed and the following enacted in its place:

§653. Time of recording; attestation

Every register shall, at the time of receiving any deed or instrument for record, certify thereon the day and the hour and minute when it was received. Every such paper shall be considered as recorded at the time when it was received and that time shall be entered on the record thereof. The register shall enter that time, the names of the grantor and grantee and the name of the town or unincorporated place as shown by the instrument in which the property conveyed is located in a book kept for that purpose and open to inspection in business hours. The register shall suffer no deed or instrument for the conveyance of real estate to be altered, amended or withdrawn

until it is fully recorded and examined. The records may be attested by the volume, and it shall be deemed to be a sufficient attestation of those records, when each volume bears the attest with the written signature of the register or other person authorized by law to attest those records.

Effective September 23, 1983.

## CHAPTER 16

H.P. 338 - L.D. 397

### AN ACT to Amend Temporarily the Benefit Financing Provisions of the Employment Security Law.

Emergency preamble. Whereas, Acts of the Legislature do not become effective until 90 days after adjournment unless enacted as emergencies; and

Whereas, this legislation is vitally necessary to prevent a financial hardship on employers under the Employment Security Law during the 1983 tax year; and

Whereas, if this provision is not enacted, employers under the Employment Security Law will be assessed a reduction in tax credits of 1.2% for 1983 in accordance with the United States Internal Revenue Code, Section 3302 (c) (3); and

Whereas, in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts create an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution of Maine and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore,

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

26 MRSA §1221, sub-§2, ¶B is enacted to read:

B. Each employer subject to this chapter, other than those liable for payments in lieu of contributions, shall pay, in addition to his contribution rate as prescribed in subsection 4, 6/10 of 1% of the wages paid by him with respect to employment during the calendar years 1983 and 1984. This paragraph is repealed January 1, 1985.

Emergency clause. In view of the emergency