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practicable or clinically safe.

2. Dentures already in existence. Any removable dental prosthesis in existence prior to the effective date of this section, which was not marked in accordance with subsection 1 at the time of its fabrication, shall be so marked at the time of any subsequent rebasing.

3. Technical assistance. The Commissioner of Human Services shall provide technical assistance for marking methods and materials and other matters necessary to effectuate the provisions of this section.

4. Violations. Failure of any dentist to comply with this section is a violation for which the dentist may be subject to proceedings pursuant to section 1091, provided that he is charged with the violation within 2 years of initial insertion of the dental prosthetic device.

Effective September 23, 1983.

CHAPTER 22

H.P. 156 - L.D. 181

AN ACT Concerning the Marking of Wild Birds.

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

Sec. 1. 12 MRSA §7235, sub-§4, as enacted by PL 1979, c. 543, §24, is amended to read:

4. <u>Restrictions.</u>

A. No wild bird, either live or dressed, shall may be removed from the licensee's premises until a metallic seal <u>leg band</u> has been securely attached to each bird.

> (1) This metallic seal <u>leg</u> band shall remain attached to the birds until they are finally prepared for consumption.

> (2) The seal shall be supplied by the commissioner at a cost of 10¢.

B. No wild animal, either live or dressed, or

part thereof, shall may be removed from the licensee's premises until an identifying mark or seal has been securely attached to each animal. This seal or mark shall remain attached to that animal until it is finally prepared for consumption or manufactured into a finished product. This seal or mark shall be supplied by the licensee and shall be registered with the commissioner.

C. No person may engage in the business of breeding or rearing white-tailed deer at any time.

D. No person may breed, rear or keep alive any animal taken in accordance with chapter 709, sub-chapter IV.

E. Notwithstanding this subsection, Ringneck pheasants shall be the only pheasants required to be marked with a metallic leg band.

Sec. 2. 12 MRSA §7240, sub-§3, as enacted by PL 1979, c. 420, §1, is amended to read:

3. <u>Restrictions.</u> Upon receipt of shipment, importers of <u>Ringneck</u> pheasants shall attach securely to each bird a metallic seal <u>leg band</u>, the type and design of which shall be designated by the commissioner.

A. This seal <u>leg band</u> shall remain attached to the birds until they are finally prepared for consumption.

B. The seal shall be supplied by the commissioner at a cost of 10¢ each.

Effective September 23, 1983.

CHAPTER 23

H.P. 172 - L.D. 202

AN ACT to Transfer Fayette from the Northern Kennebec to the Southern Kennebec Judicial Division of the District Court.

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

4 MRSA §153, sub-§13 is amended to read: