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C. This section shall not apply to any boat rigged for netting if there are no finfish taken by ~~gillnet~~ gill net aboard.

Effective September 23, 1983.

CHAPTER 53

H.P. 371 - L.D. 454

AN ACT to Clarify the Application of
Ordinary Death Benefits to Participating
Local Districts.

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

5 MRSA §1124, sub-§5 is enacted to read:

5. Applicability. Notwithstanding section 1033, subsection 3, the provisions of this section in effect on June 30, 1982, with the exception of subsection 4, are applicable to each participating local district which has adopted this section as part of its plan regardless of whether or not the district has adopted amendments enacted subsequent to its adoption of this section as part of its plan.

Effective September 23, 1983.

CHAPTER 54

H.P. 372 - L.D. 455

AN ACT to Clarify the Law Relating to
Employees of Local Districts Who may Withdraw
from the Maine State Retirement
System.

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

5 MRSA §1092, sub-§5-A, as enacted by PL 1981, c. 590, §§1 and 2, is repealed and the following enacted in its place:

5-A. Membership in districts which participates

in the Social Security System. Persons who are or would be covered by the United States Social Security System as a result of their employment by a participating local district of the Maine State Retirement System shall, as of September 1, 1982, have the option not to join or to withdraw from the system under the following conditions:

New employees may join either at the commencement of their employment, or on the next 2 anniversaries of the commencement of their employment, as long as they are still employees of the participating local district and the district continues as a participating unit. The new employees electing not to join the system at the commencement of his employment shall not receive any retirement credit for the period during which he elected not to be a member of the system.

Employees who are participating members of the state system who wish to withdraw from the system may withdraw their contributions, as provided for in section 1096, at their own discretion.

Employees who have previously withdrawn from the system may choose to rejoin within 3 years of their withdrawal, provided that:

A. They repay to the system an amount equivalent to the withdrawn contributions and, in addition, the amount of interest which would be required of terminated employees who had become reemployed and had elected to rejoin the system and to repay their contributions; and

B. The district is still a participating local district allowing new membership in the Maine State Retirement System. This right to rejoin shall be limited to one occurrence.

An employee who withdraws from the system and rejoins within the 3-year period shall not receive any retirement credit for any year or part of a year during which he was withdrawn from the system.

Effective September 23, 1983.

CHAPTER 55

H.P. 682 - L.D. 838

AN ACT Relating to Ownership of Stock in
Maine Financial Institutions.