

# 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**  
OF THE  
**STATE OF MAINE**

AS PASSED AT THE  
FIRST REGULAR SESSION

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

28 MRSA §154, first ¶, as repealed and replaced by PL 1975, c. 741, §11, is amended to read:

State retail liquor stores and state agency stores may be open for the sale and delivery of liquor between the hours of 9 6 a.m. and midnight in municipalities and unincorporated places which have voted affirmatively on section 101, subsection 1. The State Liquor Commission shall establish the hours of operation of each state retail liquor store and state agency store.

Effective September 23, 1983.

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## CHAPTER 103

H.P. 914 - L.D. 1167

AN ACT to Permit Compensation to be  
Paid to Beekeepers for Damage Done by Bears.

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

7 MRSA §2505 is enacted to read:

§2505. Damage to hives from bears

Any licensed beekeeper may obtain a permit from the Commissioner of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife or his agents to protect hives from damage by bears.

Effective September 23, 1983.

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## CHAPTER 104

H.P. 379 - L.D. 462

AN ACT to Prohibit the Commercial Sale  
of Chain Saws and Skidders not Equipped  
with Spark Arresters.

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

12 MRSA §9601-A is enacted to read:

§9601-A. Prohibition on sale of equipment without spark arresters

No person may sell or offer to sell any internal combustion chain saw or skidder in this State that has not been provided with a spark arresting device approved by the director. This prohibition shall not apply to casual sales as defined in Title 36, section 1752.

Effective September 23, 1983.

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## CHAPTER 105

S.P. 236 - L.D. 678

AN ACT Concerning Appeals by the State  
in Criminal Cases.

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

15 MRSA §2115-A, sub-§4, as repealed and replaced by PL 1979, c. 343, §2, is amended to read:

4. Time. An appeal taken pursuant to subsections subsection 1 or 2 shall be taken within 20 days after the entry of the order or such further time as may be granted by the court pursuant to a rule of court, and an appeal taken pursuant to subsection 1 shall also be taken before the defendant has been placed in jeopardy. An appeal taken pursuant to this subsection shall be diligently prosecuted.

Effective September 23, 1983.

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## CHAPTER 106

H.P. 154 - L.D. 179

AN ACT to Amend the Maine Statutes to  
Provide for the Sale of Kerosene or Similar  
Illuminating or Fuel Oils which Flash over  
100° Fahrenheit, Closed Cup Test.