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diagnostic, therapeutic, adjustive or manipulative techniques utilized within the chiropractic profession, excluding prescriptive medication or surgery.

Sec. 2. 32 MRSA §554 is repealed and the following enacted in its place:

§554. Display of certificate; rights

When the board grants to a person the certificate mentioned in section 552, the certificate shall designate the holder as a doctor of chiropractic or chiropractor and shall be publicly displayed at the person's principal place of business so long as that person shall continue to practice chiropractic for gain or hire. The certificate shall entitle the person to whom it is granted to practice chiropractic in any county in this State, in all of its branches, but it shall not authorize its holder to practice obstetrics so far as the same relates to parturition, nor to administer drugs nor perform surgical operations with the use of instruments, except as now allowed by statute. Nothing in this section may be construed to prohibit any legally registered doctor of chiropractic in this State from practicing surgery after having passed a satisfactory examination therein before the State Board of Registration in Medicine.

Effective September 23, 1983.

CHAPTER 114

H.P. 915 - L.D. 1168

AN ACT to Clarify Municipal Regulation.
of Motor Vehicles on Ice-covered Bodies of
Water.

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

Sec. 1. 12 MRSA §685-A, sub-§3, ¶F, as amended by PL 1973, c. 569, §10, is further amended to read:

F. Reflect a consideration of the availability and capability of the natural resources base, including soils, topography or sufficient healthful water supplies; and

Sec. 2. 12 MRSA §685-A, sub-§3, ¶G is enacted to read:

G. Regulate, as necessary, motor vehicles as defined in Title 29, section 1, subsection 7, on icebound inland lakes which are completely encompassed by unorganized territories during the hours from sunset to sunrise of the following day.

Sec. 3. 30 MRSA §1901, sub-§6, as amended by PL 1977, c. 390, §3, is further amended to read:

6. Municipality. "Municipality" includes only cities and towns, but shall include plantations in chapter 239, subchapters V and VI and, for purposes of regulating motor vehicles on icebound inland lakes pursuant to section 2151, subsection 7.

Sec. 4. 30 MRSA §2151, sub-§7, as enacted by PL 1981, c. 446, is repealed and the following enacted in its place:

7. Vehicles on icebound inland waters. Providing for the regulation of motor vehicles as defined in Title 29, section 1, subsection 7, on icebound inland lakes during the hours from sunset to sunrise of the following day. The municipal officers may enact all ordinances authorized by this subsection. Seven days' notice of the meeting at which the ordinances are to be proposed shall be given in the manner provided for town meetings, and the ordinances shall be effective immediately. A village corporation and a plantation shall have the same powers and duties as a municipality under this subsection. Motor vehicles on icebound inland lakes which are completely encompassed by unorganized territories shall be regulated by the Maine Land Use Regulation Commission. Motor vehicles on icebound inland lakes which are abutted by an unorganized territory and either one or more municipalities, village corporations or plantations, in any combination, shall be regulated by those municipalities, village corporations or plantations, as provided in paragraphs A and B.

No ordinance authorized by this subsection is valid unless:

A. Each municipality abutting a lake has enacted an identical local ordinance, in which case the ordinance of any municipality is in effect on the entire lake and any law enforcement officer from any of those municipalities may enforce the ordinance on any portion of the lake; or

B. In cases where a lake is divided by an easily identifiable boundary into 2 or more nearly separate bodies, each municipality abutting one of the distinguishable portions of the lake has

enacted an identical local ordinance. The ordinance of any municipality is in effect only on that distinguishable portion of the lake and any law enforcement officer from any of those municipalities may enforce the ordinance anywhere on that portion of the lake.

Sec. 5. 30 MRSA §5401 is amended to read:

§5401. Powers and duties

A village corporation or its municipal officers, as the case may be, shall have the same powers and duties which a town or its municipal officers, as the case may be, have under section 2151, subsection 2, paragraph H; subsections 3 and 7, and section 2153.

Effective September 23, 1983.

CHAPTER 115

S.P. 387 - L.D. 1170

AN ACT to Require the Department of Labor to Make Available to all Claimants for Unemployment Insurance the Complete Set of All Department of Labor Rules and Policies Governing the Determinations of Eligibility and Payment of Benefits.

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

Sec. 1. 26 MRSA §1082, sub-§3, as amended by PL 1981, c. 168, §13, is further amended to read:

3. Publication. The Commissioner of Labor shall cause to be printed for distribution to the public the text of this chapter, the commission's regulations, his annual reports to the Governor and any other material the commissioner or the commission deems relevant and suitable, and shall furnish the same to any person upon application therefor.

The commissioner shall cause to be printed a comprehensive set of Department of Labor internal rules, policies, regulations, memoranda, instructions and other forms used in determining eligibility, payment of benefits and similar issues. The compilation shall be indexed conveniently to facilitate its use by the public, available in each local office where