

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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

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

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**PUBLIC LAWS**  
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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.

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## 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

unemployment claims are filed and easily accessible to any member of the public.

Sec. 2. Transition provision. The compilation shall be completed by the Commissioner of Labor no later than July 1, 1984.

Effective September 23, 1983.

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## CHAPTER 116

S.P. 388 - L.D. 1171

### AN ACT to License the Harvest of Seaweeds.

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

Sec. 1. 12 MRSA §6001, sub-§38-A is enacted to read:

38-A. Seaweed. "Seaweed" means all marine algae.

Sec. 2. 12 MRSA §6801, as amended by PL 1981, c. 480, §7, is repealed.

Sec. 3. 12 MRSA §6802 is enacted to read:

§6802. Seaweed permit

1. Permit required. It is unlawful for any person to engage in the activities authorized by the permit under this section without a current seaweed permit or other license issued under this Part authorizing the activities.

2. Other licenses. The holder of a current marine worm dealer or wholesale seafood license may engage in the activities authorized under this section without paying any additional fees.

3. Permitted activities. The holder of a seaweed permit may take seaweed or possess, ship, transport or sell seaweed that he has harvested for commercial purposes.

4. Supplemental permit. An employee or immediate relation of the holder of a current seaweed permit may obtain a supplemental permit to engage in the activities authorized by this section.