

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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OF THE  
**STATE OF MAINE**

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## CHAPTER 267

S.P. 428 - L.D. 1297

AN ACT to Amend the Laws Relating to Fees  
for Nonresident Concealed Weapons Permit.

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

Sec. 1. 25 MRSA §2032, sub-§5, as enacted by PL 1981, c. 119, §2, is amended to read:

5. Nonresident. Any nonresident who meets the requirements of this section shall make an application to the Chief of the State Police and the application, fees and permit provisions of this section shall apply, except that a nonresident applicant shall submit an application fee not to exceed \$100 in the case of an original application and a fee not to exceed \$100 in the case of a renewal. The fees required under this subsection shall be applied to the expense of administering this subsection.

Sec. 2. 25 MRSA §2032, sub-§11, as enacted by PL 1981, c. 119, §2, is amended to read:

11. Permit for a resident to be issued or denied within 30 days; permit for a nonresident to be issued or denied within 90 days. The issuing authority, as set forth in this section, shall issue or deny, and reply in writing as to the reason for any refusal, within 30 days of the application date in the case of a resident and within 90 days of the application date in the case of a nonresident.

Effective September 23, 1983.

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## CHAPTER 268

S.P. 498 - L.D. 1504

AN ACT Concerning Probation and  
Suspended Prison Sentences.

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

Sec. 1. 17-A MRSA §1203, sub-§1, as repealed and replaced by PL 1979, c. 663, §122, is amended to read:

1. ~~Subject to the limitation in subsection 2,~~ The court may sentence a person to a term of imprisonment, not to exceed the maximum term authorized for the crime, an initial portion of which shall be served and the remainder of which shall be suspended. The imprisonment for the initial unsuspended portion of the term may be at a different institution from that specified for the suspended portion. The period of probation shall commence on the date the person is released from his initial unsuspended portion of the term of imprisonment, unless the court orders that it shall commence on an earlier date. If the period of probation is to commence upon release from the initial unsuspended portion of the term of imprisonment, the court may nonetheless revoke probation for any criminal conduct committed during that initial period of imprisonment.

Sec. 2. 17-A MRSA §1203, sub-§2, as reenacted by PL 1979, c. 512, §39, is repealed.

Sec. 3. 17-A MRSA §1203-A, as reenacted by PL 1981, c. 470, Pt. A, §39, is repealed.

Effective September 23, 1983.

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## CHAPTER 269

S.P. 146 - L.D. 437

AN ACT to Establish a Chief Justice of  
the Superior Court.

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

Sec. 1. 4 MRSA §17, sub-§2, as amended by PL 1977, c. 544, §1, is further amended to read:

2. Examine the status of dockets. Examine the status of dockets of all courts so as to determine cases and other judicial business that have been unduly delayed. From such reports, the administrator shall indicate which courts are in need of additional judicial personnel and make recommendations to the Chief Justice, to the Chief Justice of the Superior Court and to the Chief Judge of the District Court concerning the assignment or reassignment of personnel to courts that are in need of such personnel. The administrator shall also carry out the directives of the Chief Justice as to the assignment of personnel in these instances;