

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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OF THE
STATE OF MAINE

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(8) Control ingress and egress to and from a disaster area, the movement of persons within the area and the occupancy of premises therein;

(9) Suspend or limit the sale, dispensing or transportation of alcoholic beverages, firearms, explosives and combustibles; and

(10) Make provision for the availability and use of temporary emergency housing.

Sec. 34. 37-B MRSA §743, as enacted by PL 1983 c. 460, §3, is repealed and the following enacted in its place:

§743. Termination of emergency

1. Proclamation by Governor. Whenever the Governor is satisfied that a disaster or civil emergency no longer exists, he shall terminate the emergency proclamation by another proclamation affecting the sections of the State covered by the original proclamation, or any part thereof. That proclamation shall be published in newspapers of the State and posted in places which the Governor deems appropriate.

2. Limitation. No state of emergency may continue for longer than 30 days unless renewed by the Governor. The Legislature, by joint resolution, may terminate a state of emergency at anytime. Thereupon, the Governor shall issue an executive proclamation ending the state of emergency.

Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this Act shall take effect when approved.

Effective February 1, 1984.

CHAPTER 595

H.P. 1404 - L.D. 1826

AN ACT to Clarify when Counties may
Charge Municipalities Interest on
Delinquent Taxes.

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

36 MRSA §892-A, 2nd ¶, as amended by PL 1981, c. 142, is further amended to read:

The rate of interest shall be specified by vote of the county commissioners and a notification of this rate shall be included in the warrant to assessors required under Title 30, section 254. The rate of interest may not exceed the rate of interest established by the State Tax Assessor under section 186. Interest may not be charged a municipality before the latest date, set by the municipality under section 505 for charging interest on delinquent taxes, which falls within the county's fiscal year to which the delinquent tax is to apply. The specified rate of interest shall apply to delinquent taxes committed during the taxable year until those taxes are paid in full, and the interest shall be added to and become part of the taxes.

Effective July 25, 1984.

CHAPTER 596

H.P. 1409 - L.D. 1831

AN ACT to Update the Validity Clause for Utilities.

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

35 MRSA §2348, as amended by PL 1977, c. 85, is further amended to read:

§2348. Validity clause

The location of all pipes, hydrants, wires and cables and all conduits and other structures for the conducting and maintaining of such pipes, hydrants, wires and cables over, under the surface of and in those streets and highways in which such companies are empowered to obtain locations for their pipes, wires, hydrants and cables which have been located over, under the surface of and in the streets and highways prior to January 1, ~~1962~~ 1984, and which shall be hereafter so located in accordance with chapters 171 to 179, are valid and declared legal and the same shall henceforth be legal structures in said streets and highways until the location thereof shall have been changed in any manner required or authorized by law.