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ter institutions certified by such church or denomination for the care and treatment of the sick in accordance with its teachings, to demonstrate proficiency in any medical techniques or to meet any medical educational qualifications or medical standards not in accord with the remedial care and treatment provided in such institutions.

Sec. 3. 32 MRSA §63, sub-§10 is enacted to read:

10. Exception. Nothing in this chapter or the rules under this chapter may be construed to require an applicant for a license as a nursing home administrator who is certified by a recognized church or religious denomination which teaches reliance on spiritual means alone for healing as having been approved to administer institutions certified by such church or denomination for the care and treatment of the sick in accordance with its teachings to demonstrate proficiency in any medical techniques or to meet any medical educational qualifications or medical standards not in accord with the remedial care and treatment provided in those institutions.

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

Effective April 12, 1984.

CHAPTER 745

S.P. 885 - L.D. 2402

AN ACT Relating to the Issuance of Registered Bonds.

Emergency preamble. Whereas, Acts of the Legislature do not become effective until 90 days after adjournment unless enacted as emergencies; and

Whereas, the Tax Equity and Fiscal Responsibility Act (TEFRA) has mandated that bonds issued by a state must be in registered form rather than in bearer form if they are to maintain their exemption from federal income taxation; and

Whereas, in order to comply with the applicable provisions of federal law it is necessary that the

State be empowered to issue its bonds in registered form and that existing law in that regard be clarified; and

Whereas, the Treasurer of State will shortly be issuing bonds on behalf of the State; and

Whereas, it is in the best interest of the people of the State that its bonds be free from federal income taxation; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts create an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution of Maine and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore,

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

5 MRSA §145-B is enacted to read:

§145-B. Issuance of registered bonds; miscellaneous provisions

1. Issuance. Notwithstanding any other provisions of the laws of this State, whenever the Treasurer of State is authorized to issue and sell bonds for the State, he may issue the bonds in registered form.

2. Signatures. Registered bonds shall bear the facsimile signatures of the Governor and the Treasurer of State, or his deputy, and shall be attested by the facsimile signature of the Commissioner of Finance and Administration or such agents as he may designate. Whenever signatures on registered bonds of other state officials are required, their facsimile signatures may be used.

3. Seal. The seal of the State on registered bonds may be by facsimile.

4. Agents. The Treasurer of State may appoint, for such terms as may be agreed upon, including for as long as a registered bond may be outstanding, corporate or other authenticity, agents, transfer agents, registrars, paying or other agents, and specify the terms of their appointments, including their rights, compensation and duties. None of the agents need have an office or do business within this State.

5. Storage and transfer. The Treasurer of State may agree with custodial banks and financial intermediaries, within or without this State, and the nominees of any of them, in connection with the establishment and maintenance by others of a central depository system for the storage of transferable certificates and the transfer of registered bonds. Any such custodial banks and financial intermediaries, and nominees, if qualified and acting as fiduciaries, may also serve as authenticating agents, transfer agents, registrars, paying or other agents of the Treasurer of State with respect to the same issue of registered bonds.

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

Effective April 12, 1984.

CHAPTER 746

S.P. 837 - L.D. 2243

AN ACT to License Occupational Therapists.

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

Sec. 1. 10 MRSA §8001, as amended by PL 1983, c. 553, §11, is further amended to read:

§8001. Department; agencies within department

There is created and established the Department of Business, Occupational and Professional Regulation, in this chapter referred to as the "department," to regulate financial institutions, insurance companies, commercial sports, grantors of consumer credit and to license and regulate professions and occupations. The department shall be composed of the following bureaus, boards and commissions:

Banking, Bureau of;

Consumer Credit Protection, Bureau of;

Insurance, Bureau of;