

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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LAWS
OF THE
STATE OF MAINE

AS PASSED BY THE
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CHAPTER 36

H.P. 1219 - L.D. 1626

AN ACT Amending the Charter of the
Telephone Workers Credit Union of Maine.

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

Sec. 1. P&SL 1921, c. 93, §3, as amended by P&SL 1961, c. 100, §1, is further amended to read:

Sec. 3. Shareholders and capital. The capital of a credit union shall be unlimited. No person, unless employed in the telephone business or employed by the corporation, and their immediate families, shall ~~may~~ become a shareholder and the ~~by-laws~~ bylaws of the corporation shall, subject to the approval of the ~~Bank Commissioner~~ Superintendent of Banking, contain provisions to carry into effect this section. Shares of capital stock may be subscribed and paid for in such manner as the ~~by-laws~~ bylaws may prescribe ~~except that the par value of shares shall not exceed \$5.~~ The maximum amount of shares which may be held by any one member shall be established from time to time by resolution of the board of directors.

Sec. 2. P&SL 1921, c. 93, §4, first sentence is amended to read:

All the corporate powers of this corporation shall be exercised by a board of directors, who shall be shareholders and a ~~majority of whom shall~~ be residents of this State and who shall be elected by the shareholders.

Effective September 23, 1983.

CHAPTER 37

H.P. 1225 - L.D. 1630

AN ACT to Provide Authority to the
Department of Labor to Receive Federal
Funds in Order to Expand the Workplace
Safety Compliance Consultation Program.

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

Whereas, legislative authorization is required for the Department of Labor to expend federal funds; and

Whereas, the Department of Labor has the opportunity to expand worksite safety consultations through the use of available federal funds for the benefit of Maine workers and employers alike; and

Whereas, these funds are available immediately and failure to accept the funds would be detrimental to the health and safety of Maine Workers; 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:

Sec. 1. Allocation of federal funds. In order to provide for necessary expenditures of State Government for the purpose of expanding the Workplace Safety Compliance Consultation Program, the following sums, as designated in the following tabulations, are allocated from federal funds available for this purpose to the Department of Labor upon receipt.

| | <u>1982-83</u> | <u>1983-84</u> | <u>1984-85</u> |
|---|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| <u>LABOR, DEPARTMENT OF</u> | | | |
| Workplace Safety Compliance Consultation Program | | | |
| Positions | (1) | (1) | (1) |
| Personal Services | \$2,600 | \$16,700 | \$17,900 |
| All Other | <u>-</u> | <u>15,600</u> | <u>14,400</u> |
| Total | \$2,600 | \$32,300 | \$32,300 |

Sec. 2. Allocation of anticipated federal funds. In order to provide for necessary expenditures of State Government for the purpose of expanding the Workplace Safety Compliance Consultation Program, the following sums in the following tabulations are allocated from federal funds which are anticipated to be made available for this purpose to the Department of Labor upon receipt.

| | <u>1983-84</u> | <u>1984-85</u> |
|---|----------------|----------------|
| <u>LABOR, DEPARTMENT OF</u> | | |
| Workplace Safety Compliance Consultation Program | | |
| Positions | (2 1/2) | (2 1/2) |
| Personal Services | \$55,800 | \$55,800 |
| All Other | <u>18,900</u> | <u>18,900</u> |
| Total | \$74,700 | \$74,700 |

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

Effective June 13, 1983.

CHAPTER 38

S.P. 433 - L.D. 1345

AN ACT to Make Additional Allocations
from the Public Utilities Commission
Regulatory Fund, for the Fiscal Years
Ending June 30, 1984, and June 30, 1985.

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

Whereas, certain obligations and expenses incident to the operation of the department will become due and payable on or immediately after July 1, 1983; 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:

Sec. 1. Allocations from the Public Utilities Commission Regulatory Fund. Income not otherwise allocated from the Public Utilities Commission Regulatory Fund, (\$160,000), is allocated for the fiscal year July 1, 1983, to June 30, 1984, and shall