

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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

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J.S. McCarthy Co., Inc.  
Augusta, Maine  
1986

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1. Nuclear power plants. The annual registration fee for operating nuclear power plants is ~~\$59,200~~ \$75,000 per year.

Sec. 2. Allocation. The following funds are allocated from other special revenues for the fiscal years ending June 30, 1986, and June 30, 1987, to carry out the purposes of this Act.

	<u>1985-86</u>	<u>1986-87</u>
<u>HUMAN SERVICES, DEPARTMENT OF</u>		
Bureau of Health		
Personal Services	\$15,800	\$15,800
Provides funding to support 3 existing positions.		

Effective September 19, 1985.

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## CHAPTER 41

H.P. 676 - L.D. 936

AN ACT to Establish Alcohol Awareness Week.

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

Sec. 1. 1 MRSA §123 is enacted to read:

§123. Alcohol awareness week

The Governor shall annually issue a proclamation setting aside the first full week in December of each year as Alcohol Awareness Week. The proclamation shall invite and urge citizens, alcoholism service agencies, schools and other suitable organizations and groups to observe this week through appropriate activities. The Alcohol and Drug Abuse Planning Committee shall, through the departments represented on the committee, make appropriate information available to citizens, organizations and groups within the limits of their budgets.

Sec. 2. 20-A MRSA §4803, sub-§5, as enacted by PL 1981, c. 693, §§5 and 8, is repealed and the following enacted in its place:

5. Alcohol Awareness Day. Alcohol Awareness Day, the first Monday in December, shall be observed by studying for at least 45 minutes, a constructive approach toward the use of alcohol and the problems and dangers of alcohol abuse upon the individual, the family and society. The commissioner shall prepare appropriate materials for this observance.

Effective September 19, 1985.

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## CHAPTER 42

H.P. 320 - L.D. 431

### AN ACT to Eliminate Volume Determined Delivery Prices of Milk.

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

Whereas, a new pricing order 85-2 promulgated by the Maine Milk Commission will establish different wholesale prices for milk; and

Whereas, the pricing order 85-2 will require rural retail markets and other small retail concerns to pay a higher wholesale price for milk deliveries from the dealer; and

Whereas, the higher wholesale price will force small retail establishments to charge more for milk offered for sale in the stores; and

Whereas, this volume determined pricing schedule is bound to cause economic difficulties for small stores to maintain their clientele and serve their communities; and

Whereas, the Maine Milk Commission formulated the pricing structure for its order 85-2 with the assumption that volume discounting would be in effect; and

Whereas, the Legislature, as a matter of policy, has decided that the Maine Milk Commission minimum prices should be reflective of a single minimum price per unit; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts create an emergency within the meaning of