

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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## CHAPTER 216

H.P. 426 - L.D. 606

AN ACT to Clarify the Definition of Spouse.

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

Sec. 1. 5 MRSA §1001, sub-§24 is repealed and the following enacted in its place:

24. Spouse. "Spouse" means the person currently legally married to a member.

Sec. 2. Application. Section 1 of this Act shall apply to all divorce orders or amendments to divorce orders occurring on or after the effective date of this Act.

Effective September 19, 1985.

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## CHAPTER 217

H.P. 734 - L.D. 1043

AN ACT Concerning the Taking of Smelts.

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

12 MRSA §6552, sub-§1, as enacted by PL 1977, c. 661, §5, is amended to read:

1. Method and amount. From March 15th to June 15th, both days inclusive, it shall be unlawful to fish for or take smelts from the coastal waters by any means other than a hand dip net operated by one man or by angling with a hook and line or to take or possess more than 4 2 quarts of smelts in one day.

Effective September 19, 1985.

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