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it has received a complete application by
December 15th of the preceding year.

Effective September 19, 1985.

CHAPTER 299

S.P. 616 - L.D. 1627

AN ACT Concerning the Bureau of Public Lands.

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

Sec. 1. 12 MRSA §553, sub-§3, ¶C, as enacted by PL 1975, c. 339, §6, is amended to read:

C. Make a written report on or before the 30th day of each the first regular legislative session to the Legislature or to such committee as it appoints joint standing committee of the Legislature having jurisdiction over natural resources, containing a complete accounting of the income and expenditures of the Bureau of Public Lands during the biennium ending on the 31st day of December next preceding the convening of such session. The report shall also contain a summary of the bureau's management activities during the past year regarding timber, recreation, wildlife and other subjects as appropriate. The director shall also report on any gates or other constructed barriers to public access by motor vehicle to any public reserved lands, when these block the sole or primary motor vehicle access, whether or not these barriers are located on public or private land and whether or not they are owned by the State or private parties. The director shall also report on any campsite or recreational facility fees charged under Title 30, section 4162, subsection 4, paragraph E;

Sec. 2. 12 MRSA §557, sub-§4, as enacted by PL 1983, c. 819, Pt. A, §8, is amended to read:

4. Legislative approval of budget. Expenditures from the Public Lands Management Fund are subject to legislative approval in the same manner as appropriations from the General Fund. No money may be expended without allocation by the Legislature. The

joint standing committee of the Legislature having jurisdiction over appropriations shall approve the allocation.

Sec. 3. 30 MRSA §4162, sub-§4-A, as enacted by PL 1983, c. 715, is repealed.

Sec. 4. 30 MRSA §4163, as amended by PL 1983, c. 833, §2, and c. 819, Pt. A, §58, is repealed and the following enacted in its place:

§4163. Funds from public reserved lands

All income received by the Director of the Bureau of Public Lands from the public reserved lands, except income provided for in section 4166, shall be deposited with the Treasurer of State, to be credited to a Public Reserved Lands Management Fund which is established as a nonlapsing fund. Any interest earned on this money shall also be credited to the Public Reserved Lands Management Fund.

Expenditures from the Public Reserved Lands Management Fund are subject to legislative approval in the same manner as appropriations from the General Fund. No money may be expended without allocation by the Legislature. The joint standing committee of the Legislature having jurisdiction over appropriations shall approve the allocations.

The Director of the Bureau of Public Lands shall use 50% of the net income derived from camp leases on the public reserved lands under section 4162, subsection 4, for the construction and maintenance of public overnight campsites and other camping and recreational facilities.

Effective September 19, 1985.

CHAPTER 300

S.P. 603 - L.D. 1579

AN ACT Concerning the Licensing of Small Maine Breweries.

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

28 MRSA §501, sub-§1-A is enacted to read: