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be addressed to the court and may be granted in the court's discretion upon a finding that it will further the interest of justice.

Sec. 14. Application. Section 1 of this Act applies to all judgments imposing fines which remain unpaid and which predate the effective date of this Act.

Effective August 4, 1988.

CHAPTER 709

H.P. 1716 — L.D. 2355

AN ACT to Require Legislative Confirmation of Members of the Maine Human Rights Commission.

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

Sec. 1. 5 MRSA §4561, as repealed and replaced by PL 1983, c. 812, §32, is amended to read:

§4561. Members

The Maine Human Rights Commission, established by section 12004, subsection 8, shall be an independent commission of no more than 5 members. No more than 3 of the members shall be of the same political party. The members shall be appointed by the Governor, who subject to review by the joint standing committee of the Legislature having jurisdiction over judiciary and confirmation by the Legislature. The Governor shall designate one member to be its the chairman.

Sec. 2. 5 MRSA §4564, as amended by PL 1983, c. 812, §33, is further amended to read:

§4564. Compensation; reappointment

Each member of the commission shall be compensated as provided in chapter 379. All members of the commission shall be eligible for reappointment subject to section 4561.

Sec. 3. Application. Each member of the Maine Human Rights Commission serving on the effective date of this Act shall serve the remainder of the term for which that member was appointed. All appointments made on or after the effective date of this Act are subject to this Act.

Effective August 4, 1988.

CHAPTER 710

S.P. 963 — L.D. 2555

AN ACT to Reform the Pharmacy Laws.

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

Whereas, the pharmacy board and the Department of Professional and Financial Administration need the recodified laws in force in time to prepare for the next fiscal year; 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. 5 MRSA \$12004, sub-\$1, \$A, sub-\$(29) is amended to read:

(29) Board of Commissioners of the Profession of Pharmacy Sec. 2. 22 MRSA c. 551, sub-c. II, as amended, is repealed.

Sec. 3. 22 MRSA c. 557, as amended, is repealed.

Sec. 4. 32 MRSA c. 41, as amended, is repealed.

Sec. 5. 32 MRSA c. 117 is enacted to read:

CHAPTER 117

MAINE PHARMACY ACT

SUBCHAPTER I

TITLE AND DEFINITIONS

§13701. Short title

This chapter shall be known and may be cited as the "Maine Pharmacy Act."

§13702. Definitions

As used in this chapter, unless the context otherwise indicates, the following terms have the following meanings.

- 1. Board. "Board" means the Board of Commissioners of the Profession of Pharmacy.
- 2. Commissioner. "Commissioner" means the Commissioner of the Department of Professional and Financial Regulation.
- 3. Dangerous substance. "Dangerous substance" means a substance defined in section 13731, subsection 2.