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## **LAWS**

OF THE

# STATE OF MAINE

### AS PASSED BY THE

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# **PUBLIC LAWS**

**OF THE** 

# STATE OF MAINE

AS PASSED AT THE

FIRST REGULAR SESSION

of the

ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTEENTH LEGISLATURE

1993

- (vii) \$40,001 to \$50,000, \$75;
- (viii) \$50,001 to \$75,000, \$100;
- (ix) \$75,001 to \$150,000, \$150;
- (x) \$150,001 to \$250,000, \$200;
- (xi) \$250,001 to \$500,000, \$300;
- (xii) \$500,001 to \$1,000,000, \$400;
- (xiii) \$1,000,001 to \$2,000,000, \$500; or
- (xiv) More than \$2,000,000, \$600.

Sec. 5. 18-A MRSA §2-902, as amended by PL 1983, c. 706, is further amended to read:

### §2-902. Duty of custodian of will; liability

After the death of a testator, any person having custody of a will of the testator shall deliver it with reasonable promptness to a person able to secure its probate and if none is known, to an appropriate court for filing and recording until probate is sought. Any person having custody of a will shall is not be liable, to any person aggrieved, for failure to learn of the death of the testator of that will and the failure, therefore, to deliver that will as required. Any person who willfully fails to deliver a will, or who willfully defaces or destroys any will of a deceased person, is liable to any person aggrieved for the damages, which may be sustained by such failure to deliver, or by such defacement or destruction. Any person who willfully refuses or fails to deliver a will, or who so defaces or destroys it, after being ordered by the court in a proceeding brought for the purpose of compelling delivery is subject to penalty for contempt of court.

See title page for effective date.

## **CHAPTER 149**

H.P. 489 - L.D. 647

An Act to Amend the Law Pertaining to the Termination of Credit Insurance

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

- **Sec. 1. 24-A MRSA §2859, sub-§4,** ¶C, as enacted by PL 1977, c. 672, §4, is amended to read:
  - C. In the event where debtors are insured under individual policies When a debtor is insured under an individual or group policy, nonpayment by such

<u>a</u> debtor of any required premium over 31 days past due, provided that at least 10 days prior to termination the debtor has been given a notice of the right to cure in substantially the same form required by Title 9-A, section 5-110, subsection 3;

- **Sec. 2. 24-A MRSA §2859, sub-§4, ¶F,** as enacted by PL 1979, c. 127, §156-D, is amended to read:
  - F. In the case where If credit is extended on a closed-end basis, coverage for an individual insured under the policy may be terminated upon expiration of the term of the loan or term for which a charge was paid: <u>; or</u>
- Sec. 3. 24-A MRSA §2859, sub-§4, ¶G is enacted to read:
  - G. When credit insurance is paid for by the debtor in a single premium at the inception of the debt, if the debt is placed in charged-off status by the creditor because the debt is uncollectible, the insurance coverage may be terminated by the creditor and any refund of premium must be applied against any outstanding indebtedness. The creditor shall give notice of the termination of insurance coverage to the debtor at the debtor's last known address.

See title page for effective date.

#### CHAPTER 150

H.P. 764 - L.D. 1031

# An Act to Extend Burial Eligibility for Dependent Children

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

- **Sec. 1. 37-B MRSA §504, sub-§4, ¶A-1,** as amended by PL 1989, c. 502, Pt. D, §21, is further amended to read:
  - A-1. As used in this subsection, unless the context indicates otherwise, the following terms have the following meanings.
    - (1) "Eligible dependent" means the wife, husband, surviving spouse, unmarried minor child, unmarried dependent child enrolled in secondary school or unmarried adult child who became incapable of self-support before reaching 18 years of age on account of mental or physical defects.