

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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

**AS PASSED BY THE**  
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**TITLE 3, SECTION 163-A, SUBSECTION 4**

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**J.S. McCarthy Company**  
**Augusta, Maine**  
**1995**

**5. Provides information.** Provides written lead-based paint hazard information to current and prospective tenants and to current and prospective owners or managers of child-care or preschool facilities, including but not limited to information on the importance of promptly reporting the presence of deteriorated paint to the owner or to the owner's agent. The notice must include the name, address and telephone number of the owner or the owner's agent.

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**CHAPTER 454**

**H.P. 1093 - L.D. 1538**

**An Act to Strengthen the Motor Vehicle Laws Pertaining to Registration of Motor Vehicles**

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

**Sec. 1. 29-A MRSA §101, sub-§62,** as enacted by PL 1993, c. 683, Pt. A, §2 and affected by Pt. B, §5, is amended to read:

**62. Resident.** "Resident" means a person who has declared or established residency in this State or has been domiciled in this State for a period of at least 30 days, except for persons in compliance with section 109, subsection 1.

A nonresident who has a place of business in this State Except for a person in compliance with section 109, subsection 1, a person is deemed to be a resident:

A. For all vehicles owned by that person that are garaged or maintained in this State; or

B. If engaged in the business of renting you-drive or you-haul vehicles for an apportioned share of all vehicles based on the ratio of the mileage of vehicles operated in this State to the total mileage of vehicles operated both within and without the State.

**Sec. 2. 29-A MRSA §351, sub-§1-A** is enacted to read:

**1-A. Residents required to register.** An owner establishing residency in the State shall apply for a registration within 30 days of becoming a resident.

**Sec. 3. 29-A MRSA §514, first ¶,** as enacted by PL 1993, c. 683, Pt. A, §2 and affected by Pt. B, §5, is amended to read:

A person required to register a vehicle in this State who instead registers the vehicle in another state or province or who fails to register a vehicle in this

State within 30 days of establishing residency is guilty of evasion of registration fees and excise taxes. Violation of this section is a traffic infraction punishable by a fine of not less than \$500 nor more than \$1,000.

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**CHAPTER 455**

**S.P. 562 - L.D. 1530**

**An Act to Modify and Update Certain Laws Pertaining to Inland Fisheries and Wildlife**

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

**Whereas,** confusion exists as to the application of certain laws administered by the Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife; and

**Whereas,** this confusion poses difficulties for the sporting public and those charged with enforcement of these laws; and

**Whereas,** it is vitally necessary that this confusion be resolved to prevent any injustice or hardship to the hunters, anglers, trappers and recreational vehicle owners of the State; 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. 12 MRSA §7035, sub-§11-A,** as enacted by PL 1989, c. 177, is repealed.

**Sec. 2. 12 MRSA §7071, sub-§8,** as enacted by PL 1985, c. 90, is repealed and the following enacted in its place:

**8. Trespass reminder.** The following notice must be printed on each hunting and fishing license: This license does not authorize you to enter private property without permission.

**Sec. 3. 12 MRSA §7074, sub-§6** is enacted to read:

**6. Rules.** Notwithstanding any other provision of this section, the commissioner may adopt rules as necessary to satisfy the provisions of the federal