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CHAPTER 114

H.P. 477 - L.D. 684

An Act to Allow for Continuing Law Enforcement Certification of the Commissioner of Public Safety and the Assistant to the Commissioner

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

Sec. 1. 25 MRSA §2804-H is enacted to read:

§2804-H. Continuing certification

If the commissioner or assistant to the commissioner is a law enforcement officer who is certified under sections 2804-B and 2804-C, the officer's certification does not lapse during the period the officer serves as commissioner or as assistant to the commissioner.

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CHAPTER 115

H.P. 531 - L.D. 738

An Act to Revise Maine's Trespass Laws

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

Sec. 1. 17-A MRSA §402, sub-§4, ¶D-1 is enacted to read:

D-1. Notwithstanding any other provision of this section, a landowner who posts that landowner's land by paint markings and who intends to pro-

hibit access without permission of the landowner or the landowner's agent or intends to prohibit access for a particular purpose may do this by posting in a prominent place one or more qualifying signs that by words or symbols set forth the nature of the prohibition. The landowner need not post the qualifying signs at 100-foot intervals.

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CHAPTER 116

H.P. 415 - L.D. 557

An Act to Prohibit Surveillance of Dressing Rooms, Bathrooms and Similar Places

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

Sec. 1. 17-A MRSA §511, sub-§2, as enacted by PL 1975, c. 499, §1, is amended to read:

2. As used in this section, "private place" means a place where one may reasonably expect to be safe from surveillance, including, but not limited to, changing or dressing rooms, bathrooms and similar places, but does not include ~~excluding~~ a place to which the public or a substantial group has access.

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CHAPTER 117

H.P. 553 - L.D. 774

An Act to Amend the Laws Pertaining to the Movement of a Mobile Home Over a Public Way and the Movement of Objects Requiring an Overlimit Movement Permit

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

Sec. 1. 29-A MRSA §1002, sub-§9, as enacted by PL 1993, c. 683, Pt. A, §2 and affected by Pt. B, §5, is amended to read:

9. Mobile homes. A mobile home may not be moved over a public way unless the operator of the vehicle hauling it has in possession a permit issued pursuant to section 2382 or a written certificate from the tax collector of the municipality in which the mobile home is situated on the day of the move, identifying the mobile home and stating that all