

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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**STATE OF MAINE**

**AS PASSED BY THE**

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**IN ACCORDANCE WITH MAINE REVISED STATUTES ANNOTATED,**  
**TITLE 3, SECTION 163-A, SUBSECTION 4.**

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**J.S. McCarthy Company**  
**Augusta, Maine**  
**1999**

prints, footprints or photographs may also be taken for any law enforcement purpose when a person voluntarily submits to them.

**Sec. B-16. 25 MRSA §1542-A, sub-§8**, as amended by PL 1999, c. 110, §9, is further amended to read:

**8. Fingerprint record forms.** Fingerprints taken pursuant to subsection 1, paragraphs A, B as to a person arrested as a fugitive from justice and D and subsection 5, paragraphs B, C and D must be taken on a form furnished by the State Bureau of Identification, such form to be known as the Criminal Fingerprint Record. Fingerprints taken pursuant to subsection 1, paragraphs E, F and G must be taken on a form furnished by the bureau, such form to be known as the Noncriminal Fingerprint Record. Fingerprints taken pursuant to subsection 5, ~~paragraph A~~, paragraphs B as to a person taken into custody for a juvenile crime pursuant to a uniform interstate compact on juveniles and H must be taken on a form furnished by the State Bureau of Identification, such form to be known as the Juvenile Crime Fingerprint Record. Fingerprints taken pursuant to subsection 1, ~~paragraphs paragraph C or F~~ must be taken upon the form appropriate for that purpose.

**Sec. B-17. 25 MRSA §1547**, as amended by PL 1995, c. 65, Pt. A, §76 and affected by §153 and Pt. C, §15, is repealed and the following enacted in its place:

**§1547. Courts to submit juvenile and criminal records to the State Bureau of Identification**

At the conclusion of a juvenile court proceeding or at the conclusion of a prosecution for a criminal offense except a violation of Title 12 or Title 29-A that is a Class D or E crime other than a Class D crime that involves hunting while under the influence of intoxicating liquor or drugs or with an excessive blood-alcohol level or the operation or attempted operation of a watercraft, all-terrain vehicle, snowmobile or motor vehicle while under the influence of intoxicating liquor or drugs or with an excessive blood-alcohol level, the court shall transmit to the State Bureau of Identification an abstract duly authorized on forms provided by the bureau.

**Sec. B-18. Effective date.** This Act takes effect September 1, 2000.

Effective September 1, 2000.

## CHAPTER 261

H.P. 1195 - L.D. 1705

### An Act to Amend the Maine Administrative Procedure Act

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

**Sec. 1. 5 MRSA §8056, sub-§1, ¶B**, as amended by PL 1995, c. 373, §6, is further amended to read:

B. File the original rule as signed by the Attorney General or an assistant attorney general and the authorized representative of the agency, and the statement required by section 8052, subsection 5, with the Secretary of State in a form prescribed by the Secretary of State, which form is susceptible to frequent and easy revision; .

(1) Through rulemaking, an agency may incorporate by reference all or any part of a code, standard, rule or regulation that has been adopted by an agency of the United States or of this State or by a nationally recognized organization or association.

(2) The reference in the agency rules must fully identify the incorporated matter by exact title, edition or version and date of publication.

(3) The rules must state where copies of the incorporated matter are available at cost from the agency issuing the rule or where copies are available from the agency of the United States, this State or an organization or association originally issuing that matter.

(4) An agency incorporating a matter by reference shall submit a copy of the incorporated matter to the Secretary of State;

See title page for effective date.

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## CHAPTER 262

H.P. 1449 - L.D. 2070

### An Act to Protect Library Materials in Circulation

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

**Sec. 1. 17-A MRSA §360, sub-§1, ¶C**, as amended by PL 1997, c. 319, §1, is further amended to read: