## MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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## **LAWS**

#### **OF THE**

## STATE OF MAINE

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> J.S. McCarthy Company Augusta, Maine 2001

# THE SANITARY DISTRICT WILL OWN YOUR PROPERTY, SUBJECT ONLY TO MUNICIPAL TAX LIENS.

If you can not pay the outstanding charges, costs and interest that are the subject of this notice or the subject of installment payment arrangements that you have made with the district, please contact me immediately to discuss this notice.

#### District Treasurer

See title page for effective date.

#### **CHAPTER 320**

H.P. 1078 - L.D. 1447

#### An Act to Protect Off-track Betting Facilities

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

**Sec. 1. 8 MRSA §271, sub-§8,** as reallocated by RR 1997, c. 1, §6, is amended to read:

8. Term of license and race date assignment. Notwithstanding any provision of this chapter to the contrary, each license to conduct live racing or to engage in simulcast wagering, including by operating an off-track betting facility as defined in section 275-A and all awards of race dates issued or made by the commission, beginning with licenses issued and race dates awarded for 1998, may be for a 2-year period; except, that if a commercial track does not use during the first year of any such 2 year license a race date that it was entitled to receive for both years pursuant to section 275 N, then the commission may hold a hearing prior to the 2nd year or the term of that racing license to determine whether the award of that race date for the second year of the term should be revoked.

**Sec. 2. 8 MRSA §275-N**, as amended by PL 1999, c. 568, §1, is further amended to read:

#### §275-N. Limitations on off-track betting facilities

The commission may not allow interstate simulcasting or license any off-track betting facility for any calendar year unless during the preceding 2 calendar year years there were at least 150 race dates on which live racing actually was conducted at the commercial tracks. Interstate simulcasting always must be allowed at any commercial track that conducted at least 136 race dates during the immediately preceding 2 calendar year years or at an existing commercial track

as defined in section 275-A, subsection 1, paragraph B at which at least 35 race dates were conducted during the immediately preceding year 2 years if the interstate simulcasting at the commercial track is conducted during the regular meeting. For the purposes of this section, any race date that the commission determines was canceled due to a natural or other disaster must be counted as a race date.

See title page for effective date.

#### **CHAPTER 321**

H.P. 1234 - L.D. 1681

#### An Act Relating to Personal Privacy and Governmental Information Practices

Mandate preamble. This measure requires one or more local units of government to expand or modify activities so as to necessitate additional expenditures from local revenues but does not provide funding for at least 90% of those expenditures. Pursuant to the Constitution of Maine, Article IX, Section 21, two thirds of all of the members elected to each House have determined it necessary to enact this measure.

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

#### PART A

**Sec. A-1. 3 MRSA §956, sub-§2, ¶K,** as amended by PL 1999, c. 661, §1, is further amended to read:

K. Any other information specifically requested by the committee of jurisdiction; and

**Sec. A-2. 3 MRSA §956, sub-§2,** ¶**L,** as enacted by PL 1999, c. 661, §2, is amended to read:

L. A comparison of any related federal laws and regulations to the state laws governing the agency or program and the rules implemented by the agency or program—; and

Sec. A-3. 3 MRSA  $\S956$ , sub- $\S2$ ,  $\P M$  is enacted to read:

M. Agency policies for collecting, managing and using personal information over the Internet and nonelectronically, information on the agency's implementation of information technologies and an evaluation of the agency's adherence to the fair information practice principles of notice, choice, access, integrity and enforcement.