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PART B

Sec. B-1. 1 MRSA c. 14-A is enacted to read:

CHAPTER 14-A

NOTICE OF INFORMATION PRACTICES

§541. Definitions

As used in this chapter, unless the context otherwise indicates, the following terms have the following meanings.

1. Personal information. "Personal information" means information about a natural person that readily identifies that specific person.

2. Public entity. "Public entity" means:

- A. The Legislature;
- B. The Judicial Department;
- C. A state agency or authority;
- D. The University of Maine System, the Maine Maritime Academy and the Maine Technical College System;
- E. A county, municipality, school district or any regional or other political or administrative subdivision; and
- F. An advisory organization established, authorized or organized by law or resolve or by executive order issued by the Governor.

§542. Notice of information practices

Each public entity that has a publicly accessible site on the Internet associated with it shall develop a policy regarding its practices relating to personal information and shall post notice of those practices on its publicly accessible site on the Internet. The policy must include:

1. Information collected. A description of the personal information collected on the publicly accessible site on the Internet;

2. Use and disclosure of information. A summary of how the personal information is used by the public entity and the circumstances under which it may be disclosed to others;

3. Choice. The extent to which the user has a choice of whether to provide personal information via the publicly accessible site on the Internet and the consequences of refusing to give that information;

4. Procedures for access and correction. The procedures, if any, by which the user may request access to that user's personal information and request correction of that information; and

5. Security. The steps taken to protect personal information from misuse or unauthorized access.

See title page for effective date.

CHAPTER 322

H.P. 1339 - L.D. 1794

An Act Requiring Cigarette Distributors to Determine Compliance of Manufacturers with Tobacco Manufacturers Laws

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

Sec. 1. 36 MRSA §4383 is enacted to read:

§4383. Distributor responsibilities

1. Distributor's determination of manufacturer compliance. A distributor may not affix, or cause to be affixed, stamps to individual packages of cigarettes sold or distributed by the distributor in this State if the tobacco product manufacturer of those cigarettes has:

A. Failed to become a participating manufacturer pursuant to Title 22, section 1580-I, subsection 1; and

B. Failed to create a qualified escrow fund pursuant to Title 22, section 1580-I, subsection 2 for any cigarettes the distributor sold or distributed for that tobacco product manufacturer.

As used in this section, "tobacco product manufacturer" has the same meaning as that term is defined in Title 22, section 1580-H, subsection 9.

2. Penalties. A distributor who violates this section is subject to the same penalties as provided in section 4366-B, subsection 4.

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CHAPTER 323

H.P. 1267 - L.D. 1718

An Act Relating to Licensing Board Fee Caps