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G. Name the municipality claiming the lien;

H. Set forth the phrase "NOTICE OF PER-SONAL PROPERTY TAX LIEN" in that part of the financing statement otherwise used to describe the collateral;

I. Indicate that the notice is filed as a non-UCC filing; and

J. Indicate that the taxpayer or owner, if an organization, has no organizational identification number, regardless of whether such a number may exist for that entity.

The Except as provided in this subsection, the notice of lien need not contain the information required by Title 11, section 9-1516, subsection (2), paragraph (e), subparagraph (iii) and must be accepted for filing without that information notwithstanding the provi-sions of Title 11, section 9-1520, subsection (1). A copy of the notice of lien must be given by certified mail, return receipt requested, at the last known address, to the taxpayer, to the owner, if the owner is not the taxpayer, and to any party who has asserted that it holds an interest in any of the property that is subject to the lien in an authenticated notification received by the municipality within 5 years prior to the date on which the municipality sends the notice of lien for filing, or who has filed a financing statement with the office identified in Title 11, section 9-1501, subsection (1), paragraph (b) that remains effective as of the date on which the municipality sends the notice of lien for filing. Failure to give notice to any secured party who has a perfected security interest prevents the lien from taking priority over that security interest, but does not otherwise affect the validity of the lien.

Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this Act takes effect July 1, 2004.

Effective July 1, 2004.

CHAPTER 632

S.P. 619 - L.D. 1687

An Act To Protect the Privacy of Home Information of Maine State Retirement System Members, Benefit Recipients and Staff

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

Sec. 1. 5 MRSA §17057, sub-§3 is enacted to read:

<u>3. Home contact information.</u> Except as provided in this subsection, records of home contact information of retirement system members, benefit recipients or staff members that are in the possession of the retirement system are confidential, not open to public inspection and not public records as defined in Title 1, section 402, subsection 3.

A. For purposes of this subsection, "home contact information" means a home address, home telephone number, home facsimile transmission number or home e-mail address.

B. This subsection does not apply to home contact information of a retirement system member or benefit recipient if that person has signed a waiver of the confidentiality of the member's or recipient's home contact information. The retirement system shall make available a waiver form for such purpose.

See title page for effective date.

CHAPTER 633

S.P. 626 - L.D. 1694

An Act To Amend the Motor Vehicle Laws

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

Sec. 1. 25 MRSA §2103-A, sub-§1, as enacted by PL 1989, c. 754, Pt. C, §1, is amended to read:

1. Content of state rules. Any state rule adopted under this section must contain a brief description of the substance of the referenced federal regulations or amendments and instructions for obtaining a copy or a certified copy of those referenced federal regulations or amendments from the appropriate federal agency.

Sec. 2. 29-A MRSA §521, sub-§9-A, as enacted by PL 1997, c. 673, §2, is amended to read:

9-A. Enforcement of disability parking restrictions. Local or county <u>A</u> law enforcement agencies officer may enforce handicapped disability parking restrictions on private off street parking areas. The State Police shall enforce handicapped disability parking restrictions at service facilities established on the Maine Turnpike and on the interstate highway system in the State. <u>A person commits a traffic</u> infraction if that person parks in a parking space designated and clearly marked for persons with physical disabilities and has not been issued or is not transporting a person who has been issued a disability