

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

The following document is provided by the
LAW AND LEGISLATIVE DIGITAL LIBRARY
at the Maine State Law and Legislative Reference Library
<http://legislature.maine.gov/lawlib>



Reproduced from electronic originals
(may include minor formatting differences from printed original)

LAWS
OF THE
STATE OF MAINE

AS PASSED BY THE

ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE

FIRST REGULAR SESSION
December 1, 2004 to March 30, 2005

FIRST SPECIAL SESSION
April 4, 2005 to June 18, 2005

THE GENERAL EFFECTIVE DATE FOR
FIRST REGULAR SESSION
NON-EMERGENCY LAWS IS
JUNE 29, 2005

THE GENERAL EFFECTIVE DATE FOR
FIRST SPECIAL SESSION
NON-EMERGENCY LAWS IS
SEPTEMBER 17, 2005

PUBLISHED BY THE REVISOR OF STATUTES
IN ACCORDANCE WITH MAINE REVISED STATUTES ANNOTATED,
TITLE 3, SECTION 163-A, SUBSECTION 4.

Penmor Lithographers
Lewiston, Maine
2005

CHAPTER 103**H.P. 882 - L.D. 1285****Resolve, Directing the Secretary of State To Develop a Titling System for Mobile Homes**

Sec. 1. Mobile home titling system. Resolved: That the Secretary of State shall develop a titling system for new mobile homes. In developing the system, the Secretary of State shall review the Final Report of the Study Group on the Title of Certain Personal Property, dated January 15, 2004. In conducting its review, the Secretary of State may invite the participation of interested stakeholders, including, but not limited to, the Manufactured Housing Board; the Manufactured Housing Association of Maine; the Maine Credit Union League; the Maine Bankers Association; and the Maine Association of Community Banks; and be it further

Sec. 2. Submission of proposal. Resolved: That the Department of the Secretary of State shall submit a proposal related to the system developed pursuant to section 1, along with any necessary implementing legislation, for presentation to the Second Regular Session of the 122nd Legislature. The department is authorized to introduce a bill related to its proposal to the Second Regular Session of the 122nd Legislature at the time of submission of its proposal.

See title page for effective date.

CHAPTER 104**H.P. 881 - L.D. 1284****Resolve, Regarding Increased Reimbursement for Physicians Caring for MaineCare Members**

Sec. 1. Development of standards. Resolved: That the Department of Health and Human Services shall convene a working group of interested parties to develop standards for the distribution of \$3,000,000 in funding appropriated to the MaineCare program for physician incentive payments for increased reimbursement for caring for MaineCare members. In developing the standards, the working group shall consider increased reimbursement based on the number of MaineCare members cared for by the physician, the need for increased access to specialty services and incentives to encourage physicians to increase the number of MaineCare members cared for in the physicians' practices. The department shall report to the Joint Standing Committee on Health and Human Services by January 15, 2006 on the standards

selected by the working group for distribution of the \$3,000,000 in increased physician incentive payment funding.

See title page for effective date.

CHAPTER 105**H.P. 987 - L.D. 1423****Resolve, Directing the Department of Professional and Financial Regulation and the Maine Community College System To Develop a Proposal To Certify Home Repair Tradespersons To Perform Limited Plumbing and Electrical Work**

Sec. 1. Development of proposal. Resolved: That the Department of Professional and Financial Regulation and the Maine Community College System, referred to in this resolve as "the department" and "the system," respectively, shall jointly develop a proposal to establish a certification program for home repair and renovation tradespersons to perform limited plumbing and electrical work. In developing this proposal, the department and the system shall:

A. Consider the establishment of a level of certification that requires less training and experience than is currently required under the laws governing plumbers in the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 32, chapter 49 and the laws governing electricians in Title 32, chapter 17; and

B. Consider whether a person who is certified under the new level of certification should be affiliated with or work under the direct supervision of a professional licensed under Title 32, chapter 17 or 49; and be it further

Sec. 2. Input of interested parties. Resolved: That, in developing the proposal, the department and the system shall solicit input from interested parties, including, but not limited to:

A. The Electricians' Examining Board, established by the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 5, section 12004-A, subsection 13;

B. The Plumbers' Examining Board, established by Title 5, section 12004-A, subsection 32; and

C. Consumers of home repair, plumbing and electrical services; and be it further

Sec. 3. Report. Resolved: That, no later than December 7, 2005, the department and the system