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**CHAPTER 480
H.P. 1150 - L.D. 1622**

**An Act To Make Technical
Changes to the Laws
Governing the Practice of Law**

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

Sec. 1. 4 MRSA §807, sub-§3, ¶O, as amended by PL 2007, c. 611, §2, is further amended to read:

O. A person who is not an attorney, but who is representing a party in any hearing, action or proceeding before the Maine Public Employees Retirement System; ~~or~~

Sec. 2. 4 MRSA §807, sub-§3, ¶P, as enacted by PL 2007, c. 611, §3, is amended to read:

P. A person who is not an attorney but who, as the executive director of the State Harness Racing Commission, is representing the Department of Agriculture, Food and Rural Resources at adjudicatory hearings before the commission in accordance with Title 8, section 263-C; ~~or~~

Sec. 3. 4 MRSA §807, sub-§3, ¶Q is enacted to read:

Q. A person who is an attorney admitted to practice in another United States jurisdiction to the extent permitted by rules of professional conduct adopted by the Supreme Judicial Court.

See title page for effective date.

**CHAPTER 481
H.P. 1107 - L.D. 1570**

**An Act To Amend the Laws
Governing the We Support
Our Troops Registration Plates**

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

Sec. 1. 5 MRSA §12004-I, sub-§84-A, as enacted by PL 2007, c. 229, §1, is amended to read:

84-A.

Transportation:	We Support	Not	29-A MRSA
Motor Vehicles	Our Troops	Authorized	§456-D
	Advisory	Board	37-B MRSA
			§158

Sec. 2. 29-A MRSA §456-D, sub-§2, ¶A, as repealed and replaced by PL 2007, c. 703, §7, is amended to read:

~~A. Ten dollars to the Maine National Guard Foundation Fund Special Revenue Funds account in the Department of Defense, Veterans and Emergency Management, referred to in this section as "the fund," for use in accordance with subsection 7 Military Family Relief Fund as established in Title 37-B, section 158;~~

Sec. 3. 29-A MRSA §456-D, sub-§3, ¶A, as repealed and replaced by PL 2007, c. 703, §7, is amended to read:

~~A. Ten dollars to the fund for use in accordance with subsection 7 Maine Military Family Relief Fund as established in Title 37-B, section 158;~~

Sec. 4. 29-A MRSA §456-D, sub-§7, as repealed and replaced by PL 2007, c. 703, §7, is amended to read:

7. Administration of fees. On a quarterly basis, the Secretary of State shall transfer the revenue from the issuance and renewal of the We Support Our Troops plates to the Treasurer of State for deposit and crediting pursuant to subsections 2 and 3.

The Treasurer of State shall reimburse the sponsor \$20,000 of the original payment from the Highway Fund after the issuance of the first 2,000 registration plates under this section.

~~Revenue in the fund must be used to provide financial assistance to members of the Maine National Guard, residents of the State who are members of the Reserves of the Armed Forces of the United States and the families of those members of the Maine National Guard or Reserves of the Armed Forces of the United States for emergencies and other special needs as determined by the We Support Our Troops Advisory Board established in Title 5, section 12004 I, subsection 84 A.~~

Sec. 5. 29-A MRSA §456-D, sub-§8, as repealed and replaced by PL 2007, c. 703, §7, is repealed.

Sec. 6. 37-B MRSA §158, as enacted by PL 2003, c. 703, §2, is amended to read:

§158. Maine Military Family Relief Fund

The Maine Military Family Relief Fund, referred to in this section as "the fund," is established as a nonlapsing fund in the department administered according to rules adopted by the Adjutant General. ~~The~~ Except as provided in subsection 1, the Adjutant General is authorized to ~~make~~ award loans and grants from the ~~Maine Military Family Relief Fund~~ fund for emergencies and other special needs to members or families of persons who are members of the Maine National Guard or residents of the State who are members or families of members of the Reserves of the Armed Forces of the United States ~~who have been called to military duty~~ and to distribute funds to a statewide