

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-FIFTH LEGISLATURE

FIRST REGULAR SESSION
December 1, 2010 to June 29, 2011

THE GENERAL EFFECTIVE DATE FOR
FIRST REGULAR SESSION
NON-EMERGENCY LAWS IS
SEPTEMBER 28, 2011

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

Augusta, Maine
2011

**CHAPTER 213
S.P. 173 - L.D. 581**

**An Act To Repeal the Laws
Governing the Capital
Investment Fund**

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

Sec. 1. 2 MRSA §102, as amended by PL 2009, c. 194, §1, is repealed.

Sec. 2. 22 MRSA §328, sub-§3-A, as amended by PL 2011, c. 90, Pt. J, §2, is repealed.

Sec. 3. 22 MRSA §335, sub-§1, ¶E, as amended by PL 2007, c. 440, §14, is further amended to read:

~~E. Can be funded within the capital investment fund or, in~~ In the case of a nursing facility, is consistent with the nursing facility MaineCare funding pool and other provisions of sections 333-A and 334-A.

See title page for effective date.

**CHAPTER 214
H.P. 961 - L.D. 1315**

**An Act To Establish an
Integrated Statewide System
To Manage and Enforce
Electronic Warrants**

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

Sec. 1. 15 MRSA c. 99, as amended, is repealed.

Sec. 2. 15 MRSA c. 100 is enacted to read:

**CHAPTER 100
WARRANTS**

§651. Definitions

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

1. Affidavit warrant. "Affidavit warrant" means a warrant issued in response to a properly sworn charging instrument or affidavit, or both, based on probable cause to believe that an individual has committed a crime.

2. Alias name. "Alias name" means an alternative name, a pseudonym or a placeholder name.

3. Alternative name. "Alternative name" means a name used by an individual instead of or in addition to the individual's legal name.

4. Bench warrant. "Bench warrant" means an arrest warrant issued by an authorized judicial officer that directs a law enforcement officer to seize or detain an individual and includes the following types of arrest warrants:

- A. An affidavit warrant;
- B. A contempt warrant;
- C. An FTP warrant;
- D. An FTA warrant;
- E. A juvenile warrant; and
- F. A probation violation warrant.

5. Contempt warrant. "Contempt warrant" means a bench warrant issued by a judicial order:

- A. For failure of an individual to appear for a contempt hearing pursuant to the Maine Rules of Civil Procedure, Rule 66(c)(2)(E) or Rule 66(d)(2)(E); or
- B. For failure of a contemnor to comply with a contempt order pursuant to the Maine Rules of Civil Procedure, Rule 66(c)(3) or Rule 66(d)(3)(A).

6. Digital signature. "Digital signature" has the same meaning as in Title 10, section 9502, subsection 1.

7. Electronic signature. "Electronic signature" has the same meaning as in Title 10, section 9402, subsection 8.

8. FTA warrant. "FTA warrant" means a bench warrant issued for failure of an individual to appear in court as required by a criminal summons or other court order requiring an individual to appear for a court hearing.

9. FTP warrant. "FTP warrant" means a bench warrant issued for failure of an individual to pay a fine, as described in Title 14, section 3141, as ordered by the issuing court.

10. Juvenile warrant. "Juvenile warrant" means a bench warrant issued in order to detain a juvenile pursuant to section 3202.

11. Local entering agency. "Local entering agency" means a local law enforcement agency designated by the district attorney within a prosecutorial district, with the approval of the Chief Judge of the District Court.

12. Maine telecommunications and routing operations system. "Maine telecommunications and routing operations system" means the interagency