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subparagraph (3), unless the actor is a parent of the victim; Title 17-A, section 511, subsection 1, paragraph D; Title 17-A, section 556; Title 17-A, section 852, subsection 1, paragraph B; or Title 17-A, section 855;

Sec. 4. Retroactivity. That section of this Act that amends the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 34-A, section 11203, subsection 6, paragraph B applies retroactively to September 28, 2011.

See title page for effective date.

CHAPTER 605 S.P. 672 - L.D. 1896

An Act To Provide a Temporary Registration Permit to Certain Members of the Armed Forces

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

Sec. 1. 29-A MRSA §462-A is enacted to read:

§462-A. Temporary registration permit; United States Armed Forces deployments; rules

Upon application to the Secretary of State and evidence of insurance as required by section 402, the Secretary of State may issue a temporary registration permit to a member of the United States Armed Forces authorizing that member to operate a motor vehicle or trailer for a period of 30 days if that member has returned to the State from a deployment outside the continental United States, unless the provisions of section 353 apply. The application required by this section may be completed by an authorized representative of the member of the United States Armed Forces. The Secretary of State may delegate the authority granted under this section and may adopt rules to establish the application criteria. Rules adopted pursuant to this section are routine technical rules as defined in Title 5, chapter 375, subchapter 2-A.

See title page for effective date.

CHAPTER 606 H.P. 1351 - L.D. 1831

An Act To Allow Forfeiture of Maine Public Employees Retirement System Benefits for Persons Convicted of Certain Crimes

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

- Sec. 1. 2 MRSA §1-A, sub-§3 is enacted to read:
- 3. Forfeiture and restitution. The rights and benefits of a member or retiree under this section are subject to forfeiture or assignment to the member's spouse, dependent or former spouse in accordance with the provisions of Title 5, section 17062.
- **Sec. 2. 3 MRSA §703, sub-§2,** as amended by PL 2007, c. 137, §1, is further amended to read:
- 2. Accumulated contributions available for child support. A member's accumulated contributions , which that are refundable under sections 805-A and 805-B, are available to satisfy a child support obligation that is otherwise enforceable by execution, garnishment, attachment, assignment or other process; and
- **Sec. 3. 3 MRSA §703, sub-§3,** as enacted by PL 1991, c. 746, §1 and affected by §10, is amended to read:
- 3. Qualified domestic relations order. The rights and benefits of a member or retiree under this chapter are subject to the rights of or assignment to an alternate payee, as defined in Title 5, section 17001, subsection 3-B, under a qualified domestic relations order in accordance with Title 5, section 17059; and
- Sec. 4. 3 MRSA §703, sub-§4 is enacted to read:
- 4. Forfeiture and restitution. The rights and benefits of a member or retiree under this chapter are subject to forfeiture or assignment to the member's spouse, dependent or former spouse in accordance with the provisions of Title 5, section 17062.
- **Sec. 5. 4 MRSA §1203, sub-§2,** as amended by PL 2007, c. 137, §5, is further amended to read:
- 2. Accumulated contributions available for child support. A member's accumulated contributions, which that are refundable under sections 1305-A and 1305-B, are available to satisfy a child support obligation that is otherwise enforceable by execution, garnishment, attachment, assignment or other process; and
- **Sec. 6. 4 MRSA §1203, sub-§3,** as enacted by PL 1991, c. 746, §2 and affected by §10, is amended to read:
- 3. Qualified domestic relations order. The rights and benefits of a member or retiree under this chapter are subject to the rights of or assignment to an alternate payee, as defined in Title 5, section 17001, subsection 3-B, under a qualified domestic relations order in accordance with Title 5, section 17059-; and