

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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**LAWS**  
**OF THE**  
**STATE OF MAINE**

**AS PASSED BY THE**

**ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE**

**FIRST REGULAR SESSION**  
**December 5, 2012 to July 10, 2013**

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**FIRST REGULAR SESSION**  
**NON-EMERGENCY LAWS IS**  
**OCTOBER 9, 2013**

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**IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE MAINE REVISED STATUTES ANNOTATED,**  
**TITLE 3, SECTION 163-A, SUBSECTION 4.**

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**Augusta, Maine**  
**2013**

Initiative: Allocates funds for the per diem and All Other costs associated with adding an additional member to the Board of Osteopathic Licensure and with rulemaking.

<b>OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS</b>	<b>2013-14</b>	<b>2014-15</b>
Personal Services	\$495	\$660
All Other	\$4,663	\$2,884

OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS TOTAL	\$5,158	\$3,544
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<b>PROFESSIONAL AND FINANCIAL REGULATION, DEPARTMENT OF DEPARTMENT TOTALS</b>	<b>2013-14</b>	<b>2014-15</b>
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OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS	\$12,083	\$9,444
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DEPARTMENT TOTAL - ALL FUNDS	\$12,083	\$9,444
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See title page for effective date.

**CHAPTER 102  
H.P. 30 - L.D. 35**

**An Act To Amend the Law  
Concerning the Membership of  
the Maine Economic Growth  
Council**

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

**Sec. 1. 10 MRSA §929-A, sub-§2**, as amended by PL 2007, c. 420, §5, is further amended to read:

**2. Membership.** The council consists of 19 members. The Governor, President of the Senate and Speaker of the House of Representatives shall jointly appoint the following 18 members, 2 of whom shall serve as cochairs of the council:

A. Thirteen members having a broad range of expertise in areas including but not limited to: labor, environment, business and education;

B. ~~Four members of the Legislature~~ Two members of the Senate with a demonstrated interest in economic development, one of whom belongs to the political party holding the largest number of seats in the Senate and one of whom belongs to

the political party holding the 2nd largest number of seats in the Senate; and

B-1. Two members of the House of Representatives with a demonstrated interest in economic development, one of whom belongs to the political party holding the largest number of seats in the House of Representatives and one of whom belongs to the political party holding the 2nd largest number of seats in the House of Representatives; and

C. One member from the Maine Innovation Economy Advisory Board under section 949.

The Commissioner of Economic and Community Development or the commissioner's designee is a member of the council.

**Sec. 2. 10 MRSA §929-A, sub-§3**, as repealed and replaced by PL 1997, c. 425, §1, is repealed and the following enacted in its place:

**3. Appointments; terms.** This subsection governs the appointment and terms of members.

A. A member appointed pursuant to subsection 2, paragraph A or C serves a 3-year term and serves until a successor is appointed.

B. A member appointed pursuant to subsection 2, paragraph B or B-1 must be appointed no later than March 15th of the first year of the legislative biennium in which appointment is made and serves a 2-year term that begins on March 15th of the first year of the legislative biennium in which appointment is made, regardless of whether by the end of the term the member remains a Senator or a member of the House of Representatives.

**Sec. 3. Effective date.** This Act takes effect January 1, 2015.

Effective January 1, 2015.

**CHAPTER 103  
H.P. 573 - L.D. 822**

**An Act To Establish Invite  
Your Maine Legislator to  
School Month**

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

**Sec. 1. 1 MRSA §150-J** is enacted to read:

**§150-J. Invite Your Maine Legislator to School Month**

January is designated Invite Your Maine Legislator to School Month, and the Governor shall annually issue a proclamation inviting and urging teachers, school administrators and Legislators to observe this