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premises, if any, which must be prominently stated on the first page of the complaint, state the book and page number of the mortgage, if any, state the existence of public utility easements, if any, that were recorded subsequent to the mortgage and prior to the commencement of the foreclosure proceeding and without mortgagee consent, state the amount due on the mortgage, state the condition broken and by reason of such breach demand a foreclosure and sale. If a clerk's certificate of the filing of the complaint is presented for recording pursuant to this section, the clerk's certificate must bear the title "Clerk's Certificate of Foreclosure" and prominently state, immediately after the title, the street address of the mortgaged premises, if any, and the book and page number of the mortgage, if any. Service of process on all parties in interest and all proceedings must be in accordance with the Maine Rules of Civil Procedure. "Parties in interest" includes mortgagors, holders of fee interest, mortgagees, lessees pursuant to recorded leases or memoranda thereof, lienors and attaching creditors all as reflected by the indices in the registry of deeds and the documents referred to therein affecting the mortgaged premises, through the time of the recording of the complaint or the clerk's certificate. Failure to join any party in interest does not invalidate the action nor any subsequent proceedings as to those joined. Failure of the mortgagee to join, as a party in interest, the holder of any public utility easement recorded subsequent to the mortgage and prior to commencement of foreclosure proceedings is deemed consent by the mortgagee to that easement. Any other party having a claim to the real estate whose claim is not recorded in the registry of deeds as of the time of recording of the copy of the complaint or the clerk's certificate need not be joined in the foreclosure action, and any such party has no claim against the real estate after completion of the foreclosure sale, except that any such party may move to intervene in the action for the purpose of being added as a party in interest at any time prior to the entry of judgment. Within 10 days of submitting the complaint for filing with the court, the mortgagee shall provide a copy of the complaint or of the clerk's certificate as submitted to the court that prominently states, immediately after the title, the street address of the mortgaged premises, if any, and the book and page number of the mortgage, if any, to the municipal tax assessor of the municipality in which the property is located and, if the mortgaged premises is manufactured housing as defined in Title 10, section 9002, subsection 7, to the owner of any land leased by the mortgagor. The failure to provide the notice required by this section does not affect the validity of the foreclosure sale.

See title page for effective date.

CHAPTER 230 H.P. 856 - L.D. 1256

An Act To Improve the Safety and Survival of 9-1-1 Callers and First Responders

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

Sec. 1. 25 MRSA §2927, sub-§3-C is enacted to read:

3-C. Payment for standardized dispatch protocols for fire 9-1-1 calls. To assist public safety answering points in the adoption and implementation of standardized dispatch protocols for answering fire 9-1-1 calls, the bureau shall use up to 5¢ of each surcharge collected under subsections 1-E and 1-F to provide public safety answering points dispatcher training consistent with the protocols, necessary software and printed support materials. The bureau shall provide quality assurance training and software to assist public safety answering points in ensuring compliance with the protocols.

A. The bureau shall adopt rules related to the adoption, implementation and administration of standardized dispatch protocols for answering fire 9-1-1 calls. Rules adopted pursuant to this paragraph are routine technical rules as defined in Title 5, chapter 375, subchapter 2-A.

Sec. 2. Protocol phase-in. The Public Utilities Commission, Emergency Services Communication Bureau shall phase in over a 3-year period the required adoption and implementation of standardized dispatch protocols for answering fire 9-1-1 calls by all public safety answering points under the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 25, section 2927, subsection 3-C. In developing criteria pursuant to section 2927, subsection 3-C to phase in over a 3-year period the adoption and implementation of standardized dispatch protocols for answering fire 9-1-1 calls, the bureau shall seek input from the management of all public safety answering points.

Sec. 3. Report. By January 15, 2019, the Public Utilities Commission, Emergency Services Communication Bureau shall submit a report to the joint standing committee of the Legislature having jurisdiction over utilities and energy matters that includes the cost to adopt and implement standardized dispatch protocols for answering police 9-1-1 calls, the time it would take to phase in the adoption and implementation of standardized dispatch protocols for answering police 9-1-1 calls based on available funding from the surcharge in the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 25, section 2927, subsections 1-E and 1-F, whether there should be a certification and licensing requirement for all standardized dispatch protocols and any recommendations to ensure the efficient and effective over-

sight of the standardized dispatch protocols. The joint standing committee of the Legislature having jurisdiction over utilities and energy matters may submit legislation during the First Regular Session of the 129th Legislature relating to the report.

Sec. 4. Appropriations and allocations. The following appropriations and allocations are made.

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

Emergency Services Communication Bureau 0994

Initiative: Provides allocations in fiscal years 2015-16 and 2016-17 to provide public safety answering points dispatcher training for answering fire 9-1-1 calls, software, printed support materials and quality assurance training.

OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS	2015-16	2016-17
All Other	\$904,466	\$616,329
OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS TOTAL	\$904,466	\$616,329

See title page for effective date.

CHAPTER 231 H.P. 776 - L.D. 1125

An Act To Expand Public Access to Epinephrine Autoinjectors

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

Sec. 1. 22 MRSA c. 423 is enacted to read:

CHAPTER 423

ACCESS TO EPINEPHRINE AUTOINJECTOR

§2150-F. Definitions

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

- 1. Administer. "Administer" means to apply an epinephrine autoinjector directly to a human body.
- 2. Authorized entity. "Authorized entity" means any entity, organization or place of employment, other than a school under Title 20-A, section 6305, in connection with or at which allergens capable of causing anaphylaxis may be present, including but not limited to recreation camps, colleges, universities, day care facilities, youth sports leagues, amusement parks, restaurants and sports arenas.

- 3. Epinephrine autoinjector. "Epinephrine autoinjector" means a single-use device used for the automatic injection of a premeasured dose of epinephrine into a human body.
- **4. Health care practitioner.** "Health care practitioner" means an individual who is licensed, registered or otherwise authorized in the appropriate jurisdiction to prescribe and administer drugs in the course of professional practice.

§2150-G. Epinephrine autoinjectors; emergency administration

- 1. Prescribing to an authorized entity permitted. A health care practitioner may prescribe epinephrine autoinjectors in the name of an authorized entity for use in accordance with this section, and pharmacists and health care practitioners may dispense epinephrine autoinjectors pursuant to a prescription issued in the name of an authorized entity. A prescription authorized pursuant to this section is valid for 2 years.
- 2. Authorized entities permitted to maintain supply. An authorized entity may acquire and stock a supply of epinephrine autoinjectors pursuant to a prescription issued under subsection 1. An epinephrine autoinjector must be stored in a location readily accessible in an emergency and in accordance with the instructions for use for the epinephrine autoinjector and any additional requirements that may be established by the department. An authorized entity shall designate employees or agents who have completed the training required under subsection 4 to be responsible for the storage, maintenance, control and general oversight of epinephrine autoinjectors acquired by the authorized entity.
- 3. Use of epinephrine autoinjectors. An employee or agent of an authorized entity who has completed the training required by subsection 4 may use epinephrine autoinjectors prescribed pursuant to subsection 1 to:
 - A. Provide an epinephrine autoinjector to a person the employee or agent believes in good faith is experiencing anaphylaxis, or the parent, guardian or caregiver of such a person, for immediate administration, regardless of whether the person has a prescription for an epinephrine autoinjector or has previously been diagnosed with an allergy; and
 - B. Administer an epinephrine autoinjector to a person the employee or agent believes in good faith is experiencing anaphylaxis, regardless of whether the person has a prescription for an epinephrine autoinjector or has previously been diagnosed with an allergy.
- **4. Training.** An employee or agent of an authorized entity shall complete an anaphylaxis training pro-