

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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**STATE OF MAINE**

**AS PASSED BY THE**

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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**  
**2018**

D. In the event of any violation of this section or any rule pursuant to this chapter, the Attorney General may seek to enjoin a further violation, in addition to any other remedy.

E. A person, corporation, firm or copartnership that fails to pay a penalty imposed pursuant to this chapter:

- (1) May be referred to the Attorney General for appropriate enforcement action; and
- (2) In addition to all fines and penalties imposed pursuant to this chapter, is liable for any interest, costs and fees incurred by the department, including attorney's fees.

**Sec. 8. 25 MRSA §2468, sub-§2, ¶A**, as amended by PL 2015, c. 396, §1, is further amended to read:

A. Each unit in any building of multifamily occupancy; a fraternity house, sorority house or dormitory that is affiliated with an educational facility; a children's home, emergency children's shelter, children's residential care facility, shelter for homeless children or specialized children's home as defined in Title 22, section 8101; or a hotel, motel, inn or bed and breakfast licensed as an eating ~~and lodging place establishment~~ or a lodging place under Title 22, chapter 562. The owner shall use a carbon monoxide detector that is powered by:

- (1) Both the electrical service in the building and a battery;
- (2) A nonreplaceable 10-year battery; or
- (3) A replaceable battery if the carbon monoxide detector uses a low-power radio frequency wireless communication signal, uses multiple sensors, has low-frequency audible notification capability or is connected to a control panel;

**Sec. 9. 25 MRSA §2468, sub-§4, ¶B**, as enacted by PL 2011, c. 553, §2, is amended to read:

B. A hotel, motel, inn or bed and breakfast upon initial licensure of that new construction as an eating ~~and lodging place establishment~~ or a lodging place under Title 22, chapter 562 on or after August 1, 2012; or

See title page for effective date.

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**CHAPTER 323  
H.P. 1142 - L.D. 1657**

**An Act To Update the  
Allowance Budget for the  
Regional Greenhouse Gas  
Initiative**

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

**Sec. 1. 38 MRSA §580-B, sub-§3**, as amended by PL 2013, c. 369, Pt. D, §4, is further amended to read:

**3. Base annual budget.** Until January 1, 2014, the base annual carbon dioxide emissions budget is established at 5,948,902 tons of carbon dioxide. For the year 2014, the base annual carbon dioxide emissions budget is established at 3,277,250 tons of carbon dioxide. Beginning with the year 2015, the annual carbon dioxide emissions budget must decline by 2.5% each year through the year 2020. For the year 2021, the department shall establish the base annual carbon dioxide emissions budget in accordance with the model rule and with rules adopted pursuant to subsection 4. Beginning with the year 2022, the annual carbon dioxide emissions budget must decline by 2.5% of the 2014 base annual carbon dioxide emissions budget each year through the year 2030.

**Sec. 2. 38 MRSA §580-B, sub-§3-A**, as enacted by PL 2013, c. 369, Pt. D, §5, is amended to read:

**3-A. Interim adjustments for banked allowances.** The 2014 base annual carbon dioxide emissions budget of 3,277,250 tons of carbon dioxide and base annual budgets for 2015 to 2020 must be reduced by an amount equivalent to the quantity of banked allowances in excess of the quantity of allowances required for compliance at the end of 2013. The base annual carbon dioxide emissions budgets for 2021 to 2025 must be reduced by an amount equivalent to the quantity of banked allowances in excess of the quantity of allowances required for compliance at the end of 2020. The State's interim adjustments for banked allowances must be made in proportion to the State's share of the total annual carbon dioxide emissions budget for all states participating in the regional greenhouse gas initiative.

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