

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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LAWS
OF THE
STATE OF MAINE

AS PASSED BY THE

ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE

SECOND SPECIAL SESSION
June 19, 2018 to September 13, 2018

THE GENERAL EFFECTIVE DATE FOR
SECOND SPECIAL SESSION
NON-EMERGENCY LAWS IS
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ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE

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TITLE 3, SECTION 163-A, SUBSECTION 4.

Augusta, Maine
2019

OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS	2019-20	2020-21
All Other	\$500	\$500
	\$500	\$500
OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS TOTAL	\$500	\$500

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CHAPTER 200
S.P. 260 - L.D. 894

**An Act To Expressly Allow
Nonprofit Corporations To
Conduct Electronic Voting**

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

Sec. 1. 13-B MRSA §604, sub-§2, as enacted by PL 1977, c. 525, §13, is amended to read:

2. Members to vote in person or by proxy; validity. A member entitled to vote may vote in person or, unless the articles of incorporation or the bylaws otherwise provide, may vote by proxy executed in writing by the member or by ~~his~~ the member's duly authorized attorney-in-fact. ~~No A proxy shall be is not~~ valid after 11 months from the date of its execution, unless otherwise provided in the proxy. Where directors or officers are to be elected by members, the bylaws may provide that such elections may be conducted by mail or by electronic transmission.

Sec. 2. 13-B MRSA §604, sub-§5 is enacted to read:

5. Voting by electronic transmission. The bylaws may provide, or the board of directors or members may determine, that some or all votes by members, as well as actions taken in accordance with section 606, may be conducted by electronic transmission under procedures established by the corporation. A vote conducted by electronic transmission must be filed with the minutes of members' meetings and has the same effect as an in-person vote or a vote by proxy.

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CHAPTER 201
H.P. 731 - L.D. 976

**An Act To Require Additional
Lead Screening for Children**

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

Sec. 1. 22 MRSA §1315, sub-§5-C, as amended by PL 2015, c. 267, Pt. LLLL, §1, is further amended to read:

5-C. Lead poisoning. "Lead poisoning" means a confirmed elevated level of blood lead ~~that is injurious, as defined in rules adopted by the department using reference levels no higher than the 97.5th percentile of blood lead levels in children established by a national health and nutrition examination survey adopted by the federal Department of Health and Human Services, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention that is equal to or exceeds 5 micrograms per deciliter.~~

Sec. 2. 22 MRSA §1330 is enacted to read:

§1330. Report

The department shall report to the joint standing committee of the Legislature having jurisdiction over health and human services matters whenever the federal Department of Health and Human Services, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention adopts a new blood lead reference level based on the 97.5th percentile of blood lead levels in children established by a national health and nutrition examination survey.

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CHAPTER 202
H.P. 740 - L.D. 985

**An Act To Maintain High
School Diploma Standards by
Repealing Proficiency-based
Diploma Standards and
Adding the Equivalent in
Standards Achievement**

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

Sec. 1. 20-A MRSA §4722, as amended by PL 2017, c. 466, §§8 and 9, is further amended to read:

§4722. High school diploma standards

A secondary school shall provide a comprehensive program of instruction leading to a high school diploma as set out in section 4721. The commissioner shall develop rules for the transition between the requirements of this section and the parameters for es-