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ONE HUNDRED AND ELEVENTH LEGISLATURE

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JOY J. O'BRIEN, Secretary of the Senate

Presented by Senator Trafton of Androscoggin.

Cosponsor: Representative Hobbins of Saco.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD
NINETEEN HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FOUR

**AN ACT to Make Corrections of Errors and
Inconsistencies in the Laws of Maine.**

Emergency preamble. Whereas, Acts of the Legislature do not become effective until 90 days after adjournment unless enacted as emergencies; and

Whereas, Acts of this and previous Legislature have resulted in certain technical errors and inconsistencies in the laws of Maine; and

Whereas, it is vitally necessary that these uncertainties and this confusion be resolved in order to prevent any injustice or hardship to the citizens of Maine; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts create an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution of Maine and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preser-

- 1 A. First name, middle name or initial and last
2 name, or first name or initial, middle name and
3 last name;
- 4 B. Legal address, including street, street num-
5 ber, apartment number, town, county and zip code;
- 6 C. Mailing address;
- 7 D. Date of birth;
- 8 E. Last domicile immediately prior to departure
9 from the United States;
- 10 F. Voting precinct or election district of last
11 domicile within the United States;
- 12 G. Whether a citizen by birth or naturalization;
13 if by naturalization, the date, place and court
14 of naturalization;
- 15 H. Notification that failure to complete the en-
16 tire application may prevent registration;
- 17 I. Passport or card of identity registration
18 number;
- 19 J. Signature;
- 20 K. Certification that all information is cor-
21 rect, sworn before a diplomatic or consular offi-
22 cial of the United States or before the master of
23 a United States vessel of 1,000 tons or more;
- 24 L. Date of application;
- 25 M. Date of registration; and
- 26 N. Choice of political party.

27 Sec. 17. 22 MRSA §1579, as enacted by PL 1983,
28 c. 226, is reallocated to be 22 MRSA §1580.

29 Sec. 18. 22 MRSA c. 405-B, as enacted by PL
30 1983, c. 459, §3, is reallocated to be 22 MRSA c.
31 405-C.

1 Section 16 incorporates the language of Public
2 Law 1983, chapter 169, section 4 and chapter 425,
3 section 3, thereby correcting potential conflicts.

4 Section 17 reallocates provisions to correct a
5 conflict.

6 Section 18 reallocates provisions in Public Law
7 1983, chapter 459, section 3, to correct
8 inconsistencies with Public Law 1983, chapter 473.

9 Section 19 reallocates provisions to correct a
10 conflict.

11 Section 20 - Pursuant to Public Law 1981, chapter
12 703, the Maine Committee on Aging was specifically
13 established as an independent agency outside the De-
14 partment of Human Services. (See Public Law 1981,
15 chapter 703, section 4, and statement of fact to
16 1981 Legislative Document 2098.) This section clari-
17 fies the intent of the 1981 legislation and removes
18 ambiguities in the interpretation of the relevant
19 provisions.

20 Sections 21 to 23 correct internal references in
21 the Revised Statutes, Title 26, chapter 7, subchapter
22 V-B.

23 Section 24 incorporates the language of Public
24 Law 1983, chapter 489, section 14 and chapter 351,
25 section 8, thereby correcting any conflict.

26 Section 25 incorporates the language of Public
27 Law 1983, chapter 257, section 1 and chapter 351,
28 section 16, thereby correcting any conflict.

29 Section 26 incorporates the language of Public
30 Law 1983, chapter 246 and chapter 351, section 19,
31 thereby correcting any potential conflicts.

32 Section 27 incorporates the language of Public
33 Law 1983, chapter 305, section 8, chapter 489, sec-
34 tion 15 and chapter 351, section 37, thereby correct-
35 ing any potential conflicts.

36 Sections 28 and 29 reallocate provisions to cor-
37 rect a conflict.