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## **Public Law**

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# Chapter 117 H.P. 817 - L.D. 1124

# An Act To Create an Ownership Interest in Agency Liquor Store Licenses

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

Sec. 1. 28-A MRSA §453-B, as repealed and replaced by PL 2001, c. 358, Pt. V, §2, is repealed and the following enacted in its place:

#### <u>§ 453-B</u>. <u>License fees</u>

The initial license fee for an agency liquor store and the fee for a transferee of a license for an agency liquor store under section 457 is \$2,000. The renewal fee for an annual license is \$300.

Sec. 2. 28-A MRSA §457, as amended by PL 1997, c. 373, §49, is repealed and the following enacted in its place:

## § 457. Transfer of agency liquor store license

Upon application of a licensee under this chapter, an agency liquor store license must be transferred to a new owner upon the sale of the licensed establishment and payment of the transfer fee required in section 453-B if the new owner is eligible under section 601 and the physical premises of the establishment remain unchanged.

**Sec. 3. Rules.** No later than March 1, 2008, the Department of Public Safety shall adopt routine technical rules pursuant to Title 5, chapter 375, subchapter 2-A to carry out the purposes of the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 28-A, section 457.

Effective September 20, 2007