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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY  
**BUREAU OF EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES (MAINE EMS)**  
2020-2021 Regulatory Agenda  
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AGENCY UMBRELLA UNIT: **16-163**

AGENCY NAME: Department of Public Safety, **Bureau of Emergency Medical Services (Maine EMS)**

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**EMERGENCY RULES ADOPTED SINCE THE LAST REGULATORY AGENDA:** None

**EXPECTED 2020-2021 RULE-MAKING ACTIVITY:**

**CHAPTER 1:** Mission and Goals of the Maine EMS System

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 32 MRS ch. 2-B §84.1

PURPOSE: To ensure that the mission and goals of Maine EMS and the Maine EMS System are consistent with applicable statutes and system philosophy.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All current licensed EMS services (n=279), licensed EMD Centers (n=28), licensed EMS personnel (n=5101), licensed EMD providers (n=546) and licensed Instructor Coordinators (n=188).

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: not contemplated

**CHAPTER 2:** Definitions

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 32 MRS ch. 2-B §84.1

PURPOSE: To ensure consistency with and provide clarification to all chapters of the Maine EMS rules.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All current licensed EMS services (n=279), licensed EMD Centers (n=28), licensed EMS personnel (n=5101), licensed EMD providers (n=546) and licensed Instructor Coordinators (n=188).

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: not contemplated

**CHAPTER 3:** Ground Ambulance Service and Non-Transporting Service Licenses

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 32 MRS ch. 2-B §84.1

PURPOSE: To amend the approval process for EMS service licenses; adopt rules regarding online licensing and administrative functions; adopt and/or amend requirements pertaining to Quality Assurance/Quality Improvement; adopt or amend rules pertaining to the operations of a licensed EMS service; adopt or amend rules pertaining to run reporting; amend or clarify rules regarding the process, terms and fees associated with the issuance of new and renewal EMS service licenses; adopt or amend rules regarding license levels and response; adopt or amend rules regarding prioritized response; and adopt or amend rules concerning Paramedic Inter-Facility Transfers (PIFT) and Inter-Facility Transfers (IFT).

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All current licensed EMS services (n=279), licensed EMD Centers (n=28), licensed EMS personnel (n=5101), licensed EMD providers (n=546) and licensed Instructor Coordinators (n=188).

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: not contemplated

**CHAPTER 3-A: Emergency Medical Dispatch (EMD) Center Licenses**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 32 MRS ch. 2-B §84.1

PURPOSE: To amend the approval process for EMD Center Licensing; adopt or amend rules regarding online licensing and administrative functions; adopt and/or amend requirements pertaining to Quality Assurance/Quality Improvement; adopt or amend rules pertaining to the operations of a licensed EMD Center; amend or clarify rules regarding the process, terms and fees associated with the issuance of new and renewal EMD Center Licenses; and adopt or amend rules concerning prioritized dispatch.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All licensed EMD Centers (n=28) and licensed EMD personnel (n=546).

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: not contemplated

**CHAPTER 4: Air Ambulance Service Licenses**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 32 MRS ch. 2-B §84.1

PURPOSE: To amend rules pertaining to air ambulance services; adopt and/or amend requirements pertaining to Quality Assurance/Quality Improvement for air ambulance licensees; adopt rules regarding online licensing and administrative functions; adopt or amend rules pertaining to the operations of a licensed EMS air ambulance service; and amend or clarify rules regarding the process, terms and fees associated with the issuance of new and renewal air ambulance service licenses.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All current licensed EMS services (n=279) and licensed EMS personnel (n=5101).

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: not contemplated

**CHAPTER 5: Personnel Licenses**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 32 MRS ch. 2-B §84.1

PURPOSE: To amend requirements for obtaining and maintaining an individual EMS license; amend rules regarding licensing for individuals with previous criminal or professional-license action records; adopt rules regarding online licensing and administrative functions; amend or adopt rules concerning continuing education requirements for licensure; change requirements regarding medical control of EMS licensees; adopt and/or amend requirements pertaining to Quality Assurance/Quality Improvement for EMS licensees; amend, adopt or clarify rules regarding the process, terms and fees associated with the issuance of new and renewal individual EMS licenses; adopt or amend rules pertaining to the scope of practice of a licensed EMS provider; adopt or amend rules regarding the practice of EMS patient care in nontraditional settings; and adopt or amend rules regarding Paramedic Inter-Facility Transfers (PIFT).

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All current licensed EMS services (n=279) and licensed EMS personnel (n=5101).

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: not contemplated

**CHAPTER 5-A: Emergency Medical Dispatcher Licenses**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 32 MRS ch. 2-B §84.1

PURPOSE: To amend requirements for obtaining and maintaining an individual Emergency Medical Dispatcher (EMD) license; amend rules regarding licensing for individuals with previous criminal or professional-license action records; adopt or amend rules regarding online licensing and administrative functions; change requirements regarding protocols and medical direction of EMD licensees; adopt and/or amend requirements pertaining to Quality Assurance/Quality Improvement for EMD licensees; amend, adopt or clarify rules regarding the process, terms and fees associated with the issuance of new and renewal individual EMD licenses; and adopt or amend rules pertaining to the scope of practice of a licensed EMD provider.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2018

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All current licensed EMD Centers (n=34) and licensed EMD personnel (n=546).

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: not contemplated

**CHAPTER 6: Advanced Life Support Drugs and Medications**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 32 MRS ch. 2-B §84.1

PURPOSE: To amend rules regarding the acquisition, storage, use, disposal and accountability of medications used by EMS providers and licensed services.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All current licensed EMS services (n=279) and licensed EMS personnel (n=5101).

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: not contemplated

**CHAPTER 7: State Licensure Examinations**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 32 MRS ch. 2-B §84.1

PURPOSE: To amend and clarify rules regarding EMS license examinations consistent with system needs and philosophy.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All current licensed EMS services (n=279), licensed EMS personnel (n=5101) and licensed Training Centers (n=6).

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: not contemplated

**CHAPTER 8: Training Courses and Continuing Education Programs Used for Licensure**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 32 MRS ch. 2-B §84.1

PURPOSE: To adopt or amend rules regarding the delivery of EMS education, and to reorganize CEH categories and hours.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All current licensed EMS services (n=279), licensed EMS personnel (n=5101), licensed Instructor Coordinators (n=188) and licensed Training Centers (n=6).

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: not contemplated

**CHAPTER 8-A: Training Centers**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 32 MRS ch. 2-B §84.1

PURPOSE: To adopt or amend rules regarding the approval, renewal and authorization procedures for Training Centers and to adopt or amend Rules regarding the requirements, standards, operation and procedures of Maine EMS authorized Training Centers.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All current licensed EMS services (n=279), licensed EMS personnel (n=5101), licensed Instructor Coordinators (n=188) and licensed Training Centers (n=6).

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: not contemplated

**CHAPTER 9: Instructor Coordinator Licenses**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 32 MRS ch. 2-B §84.1

PURPOSE: To adopt or amend rules regarding EMS Instructor Coordinator licensing.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All current licensed EMS services (n=279), licensed EMS personnel (n=5101), licensed Instructor Coordinators (n=188) and licensed Training centers (n=6).

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: not contemplated

**CHAPTER 9-A: Emergency Medical Dispatch Training, Instructors and Continuing Education Programs**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 32 MRS ch. 2-B §84.1

PURPOSE: To adopt or amend rules regarding Emergency Medical Dispatcher Training, Instructors and continuing education programs.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All licensed EMD Centers (n=28) and licensed EMD personnel (n=546).

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: not contemplated

**CHAPTER 10: Reciprocity**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 32 MRS ch. 2-B §84.1

PURPOSE: To adopt or amend rules regarding requirements for reciprocal licensing of EMS providers or services.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All current licensed EMS services (n=279) and licensed EMS personnel (n=5101).

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: not contemplated

**CHAPTER 11: Standards and Procedures for Refusing to Issue or Renew a License and for Modifying, Suspending or Revoking a License**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 32 MRS ch. 2-B §84.1

PURPOSE: To adopt, amend and clarify rules regarding the standards and procedures for refusing to issue, or renew, a license, and for modifying, suspending, or revoking a license or certification, or authorization

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All current licensed EMS services (n=279), licensed EMD Centers (n=28), licensed EMS personnel (n=5101), licensed EMD personnel (n=546), Instructor Coordinators (n=188) and licensed Training Centers (n=6).

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: not contemplated

**CHAPTER 12: Procedures for Licensing Actions and Board Actions**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 32 MRS ch. 2-B §84.1

PURPOSE: To adopt or amend rules in accordance with Legislative changes made to Maine statute and to ensure consistency with applicable Maine statute.

**SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION:** Prior to October 1, 2021

**LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES:** All current licensed EMS services (n=279), licensed EMD Centers (n=28), licensed EMS personnel (n=5101) licensed EMD personnel (n=546), licensed Training centers (n=6) and licensed Instructor Coordinators (n=186).

**CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT:** not contemplated

**CHAPTER 13: Waiver of Rules**

**STATUTORY AUTHORITY:** 32 MRS ch. 2-B §84.1

**PURPOSE:** To adopt or amend rules regarding waiver by the Board of EMS of any rule.

**SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION:** Prior to October 1, 2021

**LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES:** All current licensed EMS services (n=279), licensed EMD Centers (n=28), licensed EMS personnel (n=5101) licensed EMD personnel (n=546), licensed Training Centers (n=6) and licensed Instructor Coordinators (n=188).

**CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT:** not contemplated

**CHAPTER 14: Sexual Misconduct**

**STATUTORY AUTHORITY:** 32 MRS ch. 2-B §84.1

**PURPOSE:** To adopt or amend rules regarding sexual misconduct by EMS licensees and certificates.

**SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION:** Prior to October 1, 2021

**LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES:** All current licensed EMS services (n=279), licensed EMD Centers (n=28), licensed EMS personnel (n=5101), licensed EMD providers (n=546) and licensed Instructor Coordinators (n=188).

**CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT:** not contemplated

**CHAPTER 15: Maine EMS Regions and Regional Councils**

**STATUTORY AUTHORITY:** 32 MRS ch. 2-B §84.1

**PURPOSE:** To adopt or amend rules regarding: the number of EMS regions and regional councils; the definition, structure, designation, area and responsibilities of EMS regions and regional councils; service affiliation with regions and regional councils; and Medical Control and regional medical direction and regional medical directors.

**SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION:** Prior to October 1, 2021

**LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES:** All current licensed EMS services (n=279) and licensed EMS personnel (n=5101) and Regions (n=6).

**CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT:** not contemplated

**CHAPTER 16: Death Benefits for Emergency Medical Services Persons Who Die in the Line of Duty**

**STATUTORY AUTHORITY:** 32 MRS ch. 2-B §84.1

**PURPOSE:** To adopt or amend rules regarding death benefits for emergency medical services persons, pursuant to 25 MRS, ch. 195-A

**SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION:** Prior to October 1, 2021

**LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES:** All current licensed EMS services (n=279), licensed EMS personnel (n=5101).

**CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT:** not contemplated

**CHAPTER 17: Equipment Lists for Maine EMS Services and Regional EMS Radio Frequencies**

**STATUTORY AUTHORITY:** 32 MRS ch. 2-B §84.1

**PURPOSE:** To adopt or amend rules regarding minimum equipment requirements for EMS services and regional EMS radio frequencies.

**SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION:** Prior to October 1, 2021

**LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES:** All current licensed EMS services (n=279) and licensed EMS personnel (n=5101).

**CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT:** not contemplated

**CHAPTER 18: Quality Assurance / Quality Improvement**

**STATUTORY AUTHORITY:** 32 MRS ch. 2-B §84.1

**PURPOSE:** To adopt or amend rules regarding the Maine EMS Quality Assurance / Quality Improvement System.

**SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION:** Prior to October 1, 2021

**LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES:** All current licensed EMS services (n=279), licensed EMS personnel (n=5101), licensed EMD Centers (n=28), licensed EMD personnel, (n=546), licensed Training Centers, (n=6) licensed Instructor Coordinators (n=188) and all Regions (n=6).

**CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT:** not contemplated

**CHAPTER 19: Community Paramedicine**

**STATUTORY AUTHORITY:** 32 MRS chapter 2-B §84.1

**PURPOSE:** To promulgate rules regarding the community paramedicine programs of Maine EMS agencies.

**SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION:** Prior to October 1, 2021

**LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES:** All current licensed EMS services (n=279), licensed EMS personnel (n=5101), licensed EMD Centers (n=28), licensed EMD personnel, (n=546), licensed Training Centers, (n=6) licensed Instructor Coordinators (n=188) and all Regions (n=6).

**CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT:** not contemplated

**CHAPTER 20: Emergency Medical Services Data**

**STATUTORY AUTHORITY:** 32 MRS chapter 2-B §84.1

**PURPOSE:** To promulgate rules regarding confidential information submitted to the Maine Emergency Medical Services by any entity.

**SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION:** Prior to October 1, 2021

**LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES:** All current licensed EMS services (n=279), licensed EMS personnel (n=5101), licensed EMD Centers (n=26), licensed EMD personnel, (n=546), licensed Training Centers, (n=6) licensed Instructor Coordinators (n=188) and all Regions (n=6).

**CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT:** not contemplated

**CHAPTER 21: Interfacility Transport**

**STATUTORY AUTHORITY:** 32 MRS chapter 2-B §84.1

**PURPOSE:** To promulgate rules regarding interfacility transports in the State of Maine

**SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION:** Prior to October 1, 2021

**LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES:** All current licensed EMS services (n=279), licensed EMS personnel (n=5101), licensed EMD Centers (n=26), licensed EMD personnel, (n=546), licensed Training Centers, (n=6) licensed Instructor Coordinators (n=188) and all Regions (n=6).

**CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT:** not contemplated

**CHAPTER 22: Emergency Planning**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 32 MRS chapter 2-B §84.1

PURPOSE: To promulgate rules regarding current and future situations that provides the Maine EMS Board and the Bureau director a plan for handling situations that affect, or could affect, the provision of Emergency Medical Services in the State of Maine

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All current licensed EMS services (n=279), licensed EMS personnel (n=5101), licensed EMD Centers (n=26), licensed EMD personnel, (n=546), licensed Training Centers, (n=6) licensed Instructor Coordinators (n=188) and all Regions (n=6).

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: not contemplated

**CHAPTER 23: Emergency Medical Services for Children**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 32 MRS chapter 2-B §84.1

PURPOSE: Purpose: To improve the emergency medical care of patients under the age of 18 years.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All current licensed EMS services (n=279), licensed EMS personnel (n=5101), licensed EMD Centers (n=26), licensed EMD personnel, (n=546), licensed Training Centers, (n=6) licensed Instructor Coordinators (n=188) and all Regions (n=6).

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: not contemplated

**CHAPTER 24: Emergency Vehicle Crash Reporting**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 32 MRS chapter 2-B §84.1

PURPOSE: To better track and assess emergency vehicle accidents and related injuries.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All current licensed EMS services (n=279), licensed EMS personnel (n=5101), licensed EMD Centers (n=26), licensed EMD personnel, (n=546), licensed Training Centers, (n=6) licensed Instructor Coordinators (n=188) and all Regions (n=6).

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: not contemplated



STATE OF MAINE  
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER 2020-2021 REGULATORY AGENDA

AGENCY UMBRELLA UNIT: 16-219

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EMERGENCY RULES ADOPTED SINCE LAST REGULATORY AGENDA:

None.

ANTICIPATED 2020-2021 RULEMAKING ACTIVITY:

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CHAPTER 39: ADJUDICATORY AND LICENSING PROCEEDINGS

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 5 M.R.S.A. § 8051.

PURPOSES: To ensure for the effective administration of applicable provisions of 5 M.R.S.A. Pt. 18, c. 375.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021.

AFFECTED PARTIES: Persons participating in and/or affected by adjudicatory proceedings, licensing proceedings, and advisory rulings of the agency.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

CHAPTER 51: POLYGRAPH EXAMINER LICENSING RULES

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 32 M.R.S.A. § 7353(2).

PURPOSE: To ensure for the effective administration of 32 M.R.S.A. c. 86.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021.

AFFECTED PARTIES: Persons holding or applying for a license to conduct polygraph examinations in the State of Maine.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 60: TRANSPORTATION OF HAZARDOUS MATERIALS IN MAINE**

**STATUTORY AUTHORITY:** 25 M.R.S.A. § 2103-A.

**PURPOSE:** To adopt by reference federal regulations governing the safe transportation of hazardous materials.

**SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION:** Prior to October 1, 2021.

**AFFECTED PARTIES:** All common, contract, and private motor carriers that transport hazardous materials.

**CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT:** Not anticipated.

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**STATUTORY AUTHORITY:** 15 M.R.S.A. § 393.

**PURPOSE:** To ensure for the effective administration of 15 M.R.S.A. § 393.

**SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION:** Prior to October 1, 2021.

**AFFECTED PARTIES:** Persons prohibited from owning or possessing a firearm pursuant to 15 M.R.S.A. § 393.

**CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT:** Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 70: REGULATION ESTABLISHING CRITICAL INCIDENT STRESS MANAGEMENT TRAINING STANDARDS**

**STATUTORY AUTHORITY:** 25 M.R.S.A. § 4201(2).

**PURPOSE:** To ensure for the effective administration of 25 M.R.S.A. c. 501.

**SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION:** Prior to October 1, 2021.

**AFFECTED PARTIES:** Law enforcement agencies that have or want to create a critical incident stress management team.

**CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT:** Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 71: UNIFORM STANDARDIZED FORENSIC EXAMINATION KIT FOR GROSS SEXUAL ASSAULT EVIDENCE COLLECTION**

**STATUTORY AUTHORITY:** 25 M.R.S.A. § 2915.

**PURPOSE:** To ensure for the effective administration of 25 M.R.S.A. § 2915.

**SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION:** Prior to October 1, 2021.

**AFFECTED PARTIES:** Examiners responsible for collecting evidence using uniform forensic examination kits pursuant to 25 M.R.S.A. § 2915.

**CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT:** Not anticipated.

AGENCY UMBRELLA UNIT: **16-219**  
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**EMERGENCY RULES ADOPTED SINCE LAST REGULATORY AGENDA:** None.

**ANTICIPATED 2020-2021 RULEMAKING ACTIVITY:**

**CHAPTER 41:** Capitol Area Security Rules **RULE TYPE:** Routine Technical

**STATUTORY AUTHORITY:** 25 MRSA §2904

**PURPOSE:** To ensure for the security regarding use and occupancy of all parks, grounds, buildings and appurtenances maintained by the State at the Capitol Area or other state-controlled locations in Augusta.

**SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION:** Prior to October 1, 2021

**AFFECTED PARTIES:** All Persons using or wishing to use the State properties in Augusta, ME

**CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT:** N/A

AGENCY UMBRELLA UNIT: **16-219**  
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**EMERGENCY RULES ADOPTED SINCE LAST REGULATORY AGENDA:** None.

**ANTICIPATED 2020-2021 RULEMAKING ACTIVITY:**

**CHAPTER 42:** Rules Relating to Parking on State Property **RULE TYPE:** Routine Technical  
**STATUTORY AUTHORITY:** 25 MRSA §2906  
**PURPOSE:** To ensure for the proper use of public ways and parking areas maintained by the  
State at the Capitol Area or other state controlled locations in Augusta.  
**SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION:** Prior to October 1, 2021  
**AFFECTED PARTIES:** All Persons driving on public ways or parking in parking areas on the  
State properties in Augusta, ME  
**CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT:** N/A

**DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY  
OFFICE OF STATE FIRE MARSHAL  
2021 - 2022 RULEMAKING AGENDA**

**AGENCY UMBRELLA-UNIT NUMBER: 16-219**

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**EMERGENCY RULES ADOPTED SINCE THE LAST REGULATORY AGENDA: none**

**EXPECTED 2021 - 2022 RULE-MAKING ACTIVITY:**

**CHAPTER 1: FEE SCHEDULE FOR PLANS EXAMINATION**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 25 M.R.S. §2450, 2452; 32 M.R.S. §1374

PURPOSE: This rule establishes fees to support construction plan reviews for permits of building construction and licensing in the following areas:

Fee Schedule for Plans Examination

Plans Review and Permits for Fire Sprinkler Systems

Schedule of Fees for Plans Review and Permit of Barrier Free Construction

ANTICIPATED SCHEDULE: Prior to October 31, 2022

AFFECTED PARTIES: All customers who are required to submit building construction plans to the Office of State Fire Marshal for review.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: N/A

**CHAPTER 2: RULES ESTABLISHING CRITERIA FOR APPROVAL OF SMOKE DETECTORS**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 25 M.R.S. §2464

PURPOSE: Establishes rules for approving smoke detectors to meet statutory requirements in various occupancies. The approval process will recognize smoke detectors approved by a nationally recognized testing agency for the purpose of this rule.

ANTICIPATED SCHEDULE: Prior to October 31, 2022

AFFECTED PARTIES: All customers who are required to meet the installation of smoke detectors for occupancy type and classification.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: N/A

**CHAPTER 3: FIRE PREVENTION CODE**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 25 M.R.S. §2452

PURPOSE: This National Fire Prevention Code provides a nationally recognized fire prevention code for state and municipal enforcement.

ANTICIPATED SCHEDULE: Prior to October 31, 2022

AFFECTED PARTIES: All fire service agencies, within the State of Maine, that have enforcement requirements for life safety in structures from fire.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: N/A

**CHAPTER 4: WATER-BASED FIRE PROTECTION SYSTEMS**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 25 M.R.S. §2452; 32 M.R.S. §1373, 1374, 1382

PURPOSE: Establishes the design, installation, operation, maintenance and all other aspects of sprinkler protection for occupancies with sprinkler system fire protection measures and references National Fire Protection Association and State of Maine standards.

ANTICIPATED SCHEDULE: Prior to October 31, 2022

AFFECTED PARTIES: All occupancies requiring the protection measures of water based sprinkler system fire protection measures.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: N/A

**CHAPTER 5: PORTABLE FIRE EXTINGUISHERS**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 25 M.R.S. §2452

PURPOSE: Establishes the rules for the installation and maintenance of portable fire extinguishers.

ANTICIPATED SCHEDULE: Prior to October 31, 2022

AFFECTED PARTIES: All occupancies requiring protective measures utilizing portable fire extinguishers.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: N/A

**CHAPTER 6: FIRE EXTINGUISHING SYSTEMS**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 25 M.R.S. §2452; 32 M.R.S. §1382

PURPOSE: Establishes rules for the installation, operation, maintenance and all other aspects of fire protection systems for occupancies that require such fire protection measures.

ANTICIPATED SCHEDULE: Prior to October 31, 2022

AFFECTED PARTIES: Any occupancies that require or utilize fire extinguishing systems for fire protection measures.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: N/A

**CHAPTER 7: DRY CLEANING PLANTS**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 25 M.R.S. §2452

PURPOSE: To provide reasonable safeguards for the prevention and control of fire and explosion hazards for dry cleaning operations and for the protection of the employees and the public.

ANTICIPATED SCHEDULE: Prior to October 31, 2022

AFFECTED PARTIES: Facilities of this occupancy classification

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: N/A

**CHAPTER 8: SPRAY APPLICATIONS**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 25 M.R.S. §2452

PURPOSE: Establishes rules for the application of flammable and combustible materials when they are applied as a spray by compressed air, “airless” or “hydraulic atomization”, or by steam or electrostatic methods or by any other means in continuous or intermittent process. It also covers the application of combustible powders when applied by powder spray guns, electrostatic powder spray guns, fluidized beds or electrostatic fluidized beds.

ANTICIPATED SCHEDULE: Prior to October 31, 2022

AFFECTED PARTIES: Occupancies requiring or utilizing this type of activity.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: N/A

**CHAPTER 9: DIP TANKS**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 25 M.R.S. §2452

PURPOSE: Establishes rules for operations in containers of flammable or combustible liquids, including vats or containers of flammable or combustible liquids, including coating, finishing, treating and similar processes.

ANTICIPATED SCHEDULE: Prior to October 31, 2022

AFFECTED PARTIES: Occupancies requiring or utilizing this type of activity

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: N/A

**CHAPTER 10: STATIONARY COMBUSTION ENGINES AND GAS TURBINES**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 25 M.R.S. §2452

PURPOSE: Establishes rules for the installation and operation of stationary combustion engines and gas turbines.

ANTICIPATED SCHEDULE: Prior to October 31, 2022

AFFECTED PARTIES: Occupancies that utilize or require the use of this type of equipment.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: N/A

**CHAPTER 11: BULK OXYGEN SYSTEMS**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 25 M.R.S. §2452

PURPOSE: Establishes rules and standards for the design, construction, operation and maintenance of these systems.

ANTICIPATED SCHEDULE: Prior to October 31, 2022

AFFECTED PARTIES: Facilities and occupancies utilizing these types of systems.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: N/A

**CHAPTER 13: WELDING, CUTTING AND ALLIED PROCESSES AND ACETYLENE CYLINDER CHARGING PLANTS**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 25 M.R.S. §2452

PURPOSE: Establishes rules for the design and installation of welding and cutting systems, allied processes and plants that are engaged in the generation and compression of acetylene and in the charging of acetylene cylinders.

ANTICIPATED SCHEDULE: Prior to October 31, 2022

AFFECTED PARTIES: Facilities and occupancies utilizing these types of activities.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: N/A

**CHAPTER 14: NATIONAL FUEL GAS CODE**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 25 M.R.S. §2452

PURPOSE: Establishes rules for the design, construction, operation and maintenance of these systems.

ANTICIPATED SCHEDULE: Prior to October 31, 2022

AFFECTED PARTIES: Facilities and occupancies that utilize these types of systems.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: N/A

**CHAPTER 15: FIRE PROTECTION RULES FOR MEDICAL FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 25 M.R.S. §2452

PURPOSE: This chapter contains specific information, regulations and minimum requirements relating to: inhalation anesthetics, respiratory therapy, laboratories in health related institutions, hyperbolic facilities, nonflammable medical gas systems; and inhalation anesthetics in ambulatory care facilities.

ANTICIPATED SCHEDULE: Prior to October 31, 2022

AFFECTED PARTIES: Facilities or occupancies that utilize the types of activities covered in this chapter.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: N/A

**CHAPTER 16: STORAGE AND HANDLING OF LIQUID PETROLEUM GASES**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 25 M.R.S. §2452, 2482

PURPOSE: Establishes rules for the storage, handling, transportation, and use of LP-Gas and the design, construction, location, installation, operation, and maintenance of refrigerated and nonrefrigerated utility gas plants.

ANTICIPATED SCHEDULE: Prior to October 31, 2022

AFFECTED PARTIES: Facilities and occupancies that utilize these types of systems.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: N/A

**CHAPTER 17: NATIONAL FIRE ALARM CODE, N.F.P.A. 72**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 25 M.R.S. §2396, 2452

PURPOSE: Establishes rules for the design, operation and maintenance of fire alarm systems.

ANTICIPATED SCHEDULE: Prior to October 31, 2022

AFFECTED PARTIES: Facilities or occupancies that require the installation and use of a fire alarm system for occupant and fire department notification in the event of fire.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: N/A

**CHAPTER 18: CARBON MONOXIDE ALARMS**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 25 M.R.S. §2468

PURPOSE: Establishes rules and regulations for the installation of carbon monoxide detectors in single-family dwellings and multi-apartment buildings.

ANTICIPATED SCHEDULE: Prior to October 31, 2022

AFFECTED PARTIES: Occupancies that require the installation and operation of carbon monoxide detectors.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: N/A



## **CHAPTER 19: VAPOR REMOVAL FROM COOKING EQUIPMENT**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 25 M.R.S. §2452

PURPOSE: Establishes rules for minimum fire safety requirements (preventative and operative) related to the design, installation, operation, inspection, and maintenance of public and private cooking operations.

ANTICIPATED SCHEDULE: Prior to October 31, 2022

AFFECTED PARTIES: Facilities or occupancies that utilize this type of equipment and require the appropriate fire protection measures.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: N/A

## **CHAPTER 20: FIRE SAFETY IN BUILDINGS AND STRUCTURES**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 25 M.R.S. §2452; 8 M.R.S. §236

PURPOSE: Establishes rules and regulations for the protection of life and property from fire.

ANTICIPATED SCHEDULE: Prior to October 31, 2022

AFFECTED PARTIES: Facilities or occupancies that require protective measures to be taken to protect life and property from fire.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: N/A

## **CHAPTER 21: TENTS, GRANDSTANDS, AIR SUPPORTED STRUCTURES FOR PLACES OF ASSEMBLY**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 25 M.R.S. §2452

PURPOSE: Establishes rules for the minimum requirements for life safety in relation to fire, storm, collapse, and crowd behavior in tents, membrane structures, and assembly seating.

ANTICIPATED SCHEDULE: Prior to October 31, 2022

AFFECTED PARTIES: Facilities meeting this occupancy use and the appropriate life safety and fire protection measures.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: N/A

## **CHAPTER 22: CHIMNEYS, FIREPLACES, VENTS AND SOLID FUEL BURNING APPLIANCES**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 25 M.R.S. §2452, 2465

PURPOSE: This rule focuses on the removal of waste gases, the reduction of fire hazards associated with construction and installation of chimneys, fireplaces and venting systems for residential, commercial and industrial appliances; and the installation of solid fuel burning appliances.

ANTICIPATED SCHEDULE: Prior to October 31, 2022

AFFECTED PARTIES: Facilities or occupancies that utilize the features of chimneys, fireplaces or vents and the subsequent fire protection measures associated with these features.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: N/A

## **CHAPTER 23: PURGED AND PRESSURIZED ENCLOSURES FOR ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 25 M.R.S. §2452

PURPOSE: Establishes rules for purged enclosures for electrical equipment in Class I hazardous locations, and pressurized enclosures for electrical equipment in Class II hazardous locations.

ANTICIPATED SCHEDULE: Prior to October 31, 2022

AFFECTED PARTIES: Facilities or occupancies that utilize or meet the requirements of the subject matter contained in this chapter for fire protection measures.  
CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: N/A

**CHAPTER 24: FIRE SAFETY TECHNICIAN TRAINING AND CERTIFICATION PROGRAM**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 22 M.R.S. §8304-A

PURPOSE: This rule establishes the criteria that must be met to achieve the certification of Fire Safety Technician. Components include: Life Safety Code training, basic inspection techniques, documentation procedures and an overview of the Department of Human Services rules.

ANTICIPATED SCHEDULE: Prior to October 31, 2022

AFFECTED PARTIES: Individuals involved in obtaining Fire Safety Technician Certification.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: N/A

**CHAPTER 25: RULES FOR THE DISPLAY OF FIREWORKS**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §236

PURPOSE: Establishes the rules for the manufacture, transportation, storage and display of fireworks, pyrotechnic articles and model rocketry.

ANTICIPATED SCHEDULE: Prior to October 31, 2022

AFFECTED PARTIES: Persons who are involved in all aspects of the display of fireworks, pyrotechnic articles and model rocketry.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: N/A

**CHAPTER 26: STANDARD FOR THE USE OF PYROTECHNICS BEFORE A PROXIMATE AUDIENCE**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §236

PURPOSE: Establishes rules for the use of pyrotechnic and flame based activities before a proximate audience.

ANTICIPATED SCHEDULE: Prior to October 31, 2022

AFFECTED PARTIES: Persons, organizations, companies or activities that utilize the activities associated with flame or pyrotechnics before a proximate audience.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: N/A

**CHAPTER 27: RULES AND REGULATIONS GOVERNING THE TENTS AND EQUIPMENT OF CIRCUSES AND TRAVELING AMUSEMENT SHOWS**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §476

PURPOSE: Establishes rules and regulations for the design, operation, maintenance and fire protection measures of such facilities or activities.

ANTICIPATED SCHEDULE: Prior to October 31, 2022

AFFECTED PARTIES: Traveling amusement shows and circuses

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: N/A

**CHAPTER 28: RULES GOVERNING OPERATIONS OF AMUSEMENT DEVICES AND MIDWAYS**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §476

PURPOSE: Establishes rules and regulations for the condition and operation of such facilities and activities for life safety purposes.

ANTICIPATED SCHEDULE: Prior to October 31, 2022

AFFECTED PARTIES: Operators of amusement devices and midways  
CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: N/A

**CHAPTER 29: RULES AND REGULATIONS RELATING TO STRUCTURES USED BY THE PUBLIC AS SPECTATORS DURING MOTOR VEHICLE RACING**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §562

PURPOSE: Establishes rules and regulations relating to structures used to accommodate and protect spectators during motor vehicle racing. This chapter further assures the safe and proper construction and maintenance of grandstands, bleachers, stadiums, arenas, safety barriers and the surface upon which they are placed.

ANTICIPATED SCHEDULE: Prior to October 31, 2022

AFFECTED PARTIES: Facilities or activities that utilize structures for use by spectators at motor vehicle racing.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: N/A

**CHAPTER 31: RULES FOR THE MANUFACTURE, TRANSPORTATION, STORAGE AND USE OF EXPLOSIVE MATERIALS**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 25 M.R.S. §2472

PURPOSE: Establishes rules for the safeguarding of persons through the manufacture, transportation, storage, sale and use of explosive materials.

ANTICIPATED SCHEDULE: Prior to October 31, 2022

AFFECTED PARTIES: Persons, organizations, companies or entities who are involved in the manufacture, transportation, sale, storage or use of explosive material.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: N/A

**CHAPTER 34: RULES AND REGULATIONS RELATING TO FLAMMABLE AND COMBUSTIBLE LIQUIDS**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 25 M.R.S. §2482

PURPOSE: Establishes rules for the safe storage, possession, handling, dispensing and transportation of flammable or combustible liquids (including waste liquids).

ANTICIPATED SCHEDULE: Prior to October 31, 2022

AFFECTED PARTIES: Persons, firms, corporations, co partnerships, voluntary associations and governmental agencies, except federal; that transport, store, handle or use these materials.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: N/A

**CHAPTER 35: SPRINKLER CERTIFICATION, LICENSING, REGISTRATION AND RENEWAL**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 32 M.R.S. §1382

PURPOSE: To establish the procedures, organization, and fees required for obtaining the certifications, licenses, and registrations needed for the installation of a sprinkler system.

ANTICIPATED SCHEDULE: Prior to October 31, 2022

AFFECTED PARTIES: Merchants and businesses working in the sprinkler installation business.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: N/A

**CHAPTER 36: CONSUMER FIREWORKS SALES LICENSE**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §236; 25 M.R.S. §2452

PURPOSE: This rule describes the licensing process and safety regulations for the sale of consumer fireworks in Maine.

ANTICIPATED SCHEDULE: Prior to October 31, 2022

AFFECTED PARTIES: People interested in obtaining a license to sell consumer fireworks in Maine.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: N/A

**CHAPTER 50: DEATH BENEFITS FOR FIREFIGHTERS WHO DIE IN THE LINE OF DUTY**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 25 M.R.S. §1612

PURPOSE: This rule describes the procedures governing the award of death benefits to the child, spouse or parent of a firefighter who dies in the line of duty.

ANTICIPATED SCHEDULE: Prior to October 31, 2022

AFFECTED PARTIES: Children, spouses and parents of firefighters who die in the line of duty.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: N/A

**CHAPTER 52: CERTIFICATION STANDARDS FOR MUNICIPAL CODE ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS AND THIRD-PARTY INSPECTORS**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 30-A M.R.S. §4451

PURPOSE: This rule describes the standards and procedures used to certify and recertify local code enforcement officers, local plumbing inspectors, building officials, and third-party inspectors.

ANTICIPATED SCHEDULE: Prior to October 31, 2022

AFFECTED PARTIES: Individuals involved in obtaining certification or recertification.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: N/A

STATE OF MAINE  
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MAINE STATE POLICE 2020-2021 REGULATORY AGENDA

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EMERGENCY RULES ADOPTED SINCE LAST REGULATORY AGENDA:

None.

ANTICIPATED 2020-2021 RULEMAKING ACTIVITY

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CHAPTER 1: MOTOR VEHICLE INSPECTION RULE

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 29-A M.R.S.A. § 1769.

PURPOSE: To ensure the effective administration and enforcement of 29-A M.R.S.A. c. 15, sub-c. 1.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021.

AFFECTED PARTIES: All motor vehicle inspectors, motor vehicle inspection stations, and motor vehicle operators in Maine.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

CHAPTER 4: MAINE MOTOR CARRIER SAFETY REGULATIONS

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 29-A M.R.S.A. § 555.

PURPOSE: To adopt by reference, with possible State amendments, regulations governing the safe operation of motor carriers.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021.

AFFECTED PARTIES: All common, contract, and private motor carriers that transport passengers or property.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

CHAPTER 12: RULES FOR AFTER-MARKET WINDOW TINTING

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 29-A M.R.S.A. § 1916.

PURPOSE: To ensure the effective administration and enforcement of 29-A M.R.S.A. § 1916.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021.

AFFECTED PARTIES: Persons installing after-market window tinting in motor vehicles.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

CHAPTER 14: RULES RELATING TO THE SEX OFFENDER REGISTRATION AND NOTIFICATION ACT OF 1999 (SORNA)

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 34-A M.R.S.A. § 11204.

PURPOSE: To ensure for the effective administration of 34-A M.R.S.A. c. 15.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021.

AFFECTED PARTIES: Persons required to register pursuant to the Maine SORNA of 1999.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

CHAPTER 15 AND RULES RELATING TO THE SEX OFFENDER REGISTRATION AND NOTIFICATION ACT OF 2013 (SORNA)

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 34-A M.R.S.A. § 11274.

PURPOSE: To ensure for the effective administration of 34-A M.R.S.A. c. 17.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021.

AFFECTED PARTIES: Persons required to register pursuant to the Maine SORNA of 2013.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

CHAPTER 19: DIED WHILE IN THE LINE OF DUTY DEATH BENEFITS FOR LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 25 M.R.S.A. § 1612.

PURPOSE: To ensure for the effective administration of 25 M.R.S.A. c. 195-A.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021.

AFFECTED PARTIES: Surviving spouses, children, and parents of law enforcement officers who have died while in the line of duty.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

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**MAINE CRIMINAL JUSTICE ACADEMY**  
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AGENCY UMBRELLA UNIT: **16-227**

AGENCY NAME: **Maine Criminal Justice Academy (MCJA)**

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**EMERGENCY RULES ADOPTED SINCE THE LAST REGULATORY AGENDA:** None.

CHAPTER NUMBER AND NAME: **Chapter 1: General Provisions**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 25 M.R.S. §2803-A(18).

PURPOSE: To amend changes in Chapter 1 that reflects statutory changes and MCJA Board of Trustee Specification changes, as it relates to general provisions and terminology.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021.

AFFECTED PARTIES: Maine Law Enforcement and Corrections agencies.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: None anticipated.

CHAPTER NUMBER AND NAME: **Chapter 3: Entrance Standards**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 25 M.R.S. §2803-A(18).

PURPOSE: To amend changes in Chapter 3 that reflects statutory changes and MCJA Board of Trustee Specification changes, as it relates to entry standards for the Basic Corrections Course, Law Enforcement Pre-service Course and the Basic Law Enforcement Training Program.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021.

AFFECTED PARTIES: Maine Law Enforcement and Corrections agencies.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: None anticipated.

CHAPTER NUMBER AND NAME: **Chapter 5: Training Standards**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 25 M.R.S. §2803-A(18).

PURPOSE: To amend changes in Chapter 5 that reflects statutory changes and MCJA Board of Trustee Specification changes, as it relates to the Basic Corrections Course, Law Enforcement Pre-service Course and the Basic Law Enforcement Training Program and other training program standards.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021.

AFFECTED PARTIES: Maine Law Enforcement and Corrections agencies.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: None anticipated.

CHAPTER NUMBER AND NAME: **Chapter 7: Certificates and Awards**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 25 M.R.S. §2803-A(18)

PURPOSE: To amend changes in Chapter 7 that reflects statutory changes and MCJA Board of Trustee Specification changes as it relates to granting certificates and awards

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021.

AFFECTED PARTIES: Maine Law Enforcement and Corrections agencies.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: None anticipated.

**CHAPTER NUMBER AND NAME: Chapter 9 – Extensions and Waivers**

**STATUTORY AUTHORITY:** 25 M.R.S. §2803-A(18).

**PURPOSE:** To amend changes in Chapter 9 that reflects statutory changes and MCJA Board of Trustee Specification changes as it relates to granting extension and waivers for the Basic Corrections Course, Law Enforcement Pre-service Course and the Basic Law Enforcement Training Program and other training program standards.

**SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION:** Prior to October 1, 2021.

**AFFECTED PARTIES:** Maine Law Enforcement and Corrections agencies.

**CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT:** None anticipated.

**CHAPTER NUMBER AND NAME: Chapter 11 – Costs**

**STATUTORY AUTHORITY:** 25 M.R.S. §2803-A(18).

**PURPOSE:** To amend changes in Chapter 11 that reflects any statutory changes and MCJA Board of Trustee Specification or MCJA Board Policy changes, as it relates to costs for the Maine Criminal Justice Academy.

**SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION:** Prior to October 1, 2021.

**AFFECTED PARTIES:** Maine Law Enforcement and Corrections agencies.

**CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT:** None anticipated.



AGENCY UMBRELLA UNIT: **16-633**

AGENCY NAME: **Department of Public Safety, Gambling Control Board (GCB)**

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**EMERGENCY RULES ADOPTED SINCE THE LAST REGULATORY AGENDA:** None

**EXPECTED 2020-2021 RULE-MAKING ACTIVITY**

**CHAPTER 1:** Introduction

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1003

PURPOSE: To ensure that the rules conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All entities involved with casino gambling.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 2:** Licenses and Applications

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1003

PURPOSE: To ensure that the rules conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All entities licensed by the Gambling Control Board.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 3:** Control of Licensees

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1003

PURPOSE: To ensure that the rules conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All entities licensed by the Gambling Control Board.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 4:** Licensee Records

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1003

PURPOSE: To ensure that the rules conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All entities licensed by the Gambling Control Board.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 5:** Internal Controls

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1003

PURPOSE: To ensure that the rules conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All casinos licensed by the Gambling Control Board.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 6:** Ticket Redemption and Forfeited Winnings

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1003

PURPOSE: To ensure that the rules conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All casinos licensed by the Gambling Control Board.  
CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 7: Collection of Payments**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1003

PURPOSE: To ensure that the rules conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All casinos licensed by the Gambling Control Board.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 8: Slot Machines and Table Games: Location and Hours of Operation**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1003

PURPOSE: To ensure that the rules conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All casinos licensed by the Gambling Control Board and all patrons participating in gambling activities.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 9: Uniform Location Agreement; Contract Disclosures**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1003

PURPOSE: To ensure that the rules conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All casinos and distributors licensed by the Gambling Control Board.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 10: Slot Machine Maintenance**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1003

PURPOSE: To ensure that the rules conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All casinos licensed by the Gambling Control Board.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 11: Transportation of Slot Machines**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1003

PURPOSE: To ensure that the rules conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All casinos and distributors licensed by the Gambling Control Board.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 12: Fingerprinting Procedure**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1003

PURPOSE: To ensure that the rules conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All entities licensed by the Gambling Control Board.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 13: Exclusion**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1003

PURPOSE: To ensure that the rules conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All casinos licensed by the Gambling Control Board and affected patrons at the casino.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 14: Advertising**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1003

PURPOSE: To ensure that the rules conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All casinos licensed by the Gambling Control Board.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 15: Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco Products**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1003

PURPOSE: To ensure that the rules conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All entities licensed by the Gambling Control Board.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 16: Weapons**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1003

PURPOSE: To ensure that the rules conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All casinos licensed by the Gambling Control Board.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 17: On Premise Office Space**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1003

PURPOSE: To ensure that the rules conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All casinos licensed by the Gambling Control Board.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 18: Responsible Gaming Programs**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1003

PURPOSE: To ensure that the rules conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All casinos licensed by the Gambling Control Board.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 19: Slot Machine Testing and Certification**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1003

PURPOSE: To ensure that the rules conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All casinos and slot machine distributors licensed by the Gambling Control Board.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 20: Slot Machine Standards**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1003

PURPOSE: To ensure that the rules conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All casinos and slot machine distributors licensed by the Gambling Control Board.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 21: Prohibition of Credit**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1003

PURPOSE: To ensure that the rules conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All casinos licensed by the Gambling Control Board and affected patrons at the casino.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 22: Patron Disputes**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1003

PURPOSE: To ensure that the rules conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All casinos licensed by the Gambling Control Board and patrons of the casinos.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 24: The Use of Front Money Deposits**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1003

PURPOSE: To ensure that the rules conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All casinos licensed by the Gambling Control Board and patrons of the casinos.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 25: Approval of Table Games Rules of Play**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1003

PURPOSE: To ensure that the rules conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All casinos licensed by the Gambling Control Board and patrons of the casinos.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 26: Posting of Rules**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1003

PURPOSE: To ensure that the rules conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All casinos licensed by the Gambling Control Board.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 27:** Rules of Practice and Procedure of Gaming Conduct

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1003

PURPOSE: To ensure that the rules conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All entities licensed by the Gambling Control Board.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 28:** Advanced Deposit Wagering.

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1003

PURPOSE: To establish rules to conform to the requirements as set in statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 29:** The Promotional Credits and other Players Incentives

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1001 and § 1003

PURPOSE: To establish rules to conform to the requirements as set in statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

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**EMERGENCY RULES ADOPTED SINCE THE LAST REGULATORY AGENDA:** None

**EXPECTED 2019-2020 RULE-MAKING ACTIVITY**

**CHAPTER 33:** Introduction

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1102, §1106

PURPOSE: To establish rules to conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All licensed operators who will conduct Fantasy Sports contests.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 34:** Definitions

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1102, §1106

PURPOSE: To establish rules to conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All licensed operators who will conduct Fantasy Sports contests.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 35:** License Application

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1102, §1106

PURPOSE: To establish rules to conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All licensed operators who will conduct Fantasy Sports contests.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 36:** License Fee and Renewal

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1102, §1106

PURPOSE: To establish rules to conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All licensed operators who will conduct Fantasy Sports contests.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 37:** Fantasy Contest Monitoring

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1102, §1106

PURPOSE: To establish rules to conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All licensed operators who will conduct Fantasy Sports contests.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 38: Fantasy Contest Account Activity**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1102, §1106

PURPOSE: To establish rules to conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All licensed operators who will conduct Fantasy Sports contests.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 39: Registration of Fantasy Contestants**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1102, §1106

PURPOSE: To establish rules to conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All licensed operators who will conduct Fantasy Sports contests.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 40: Fantasy Contestant Funds and Required Reserves**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1102, §1106

PURPOSE: To establish rules to conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All licensed operators who will conduct Fantasy Sports contests.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 41: Licensee Record, Annual Reporting and Audits**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1102, §1106

PURPOSE: To establish rules to conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All licensed operators who will conduct Fantasy Sports contests.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 42: Collection of Payments**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1102, §1106

PURPOSE: To establish rules to conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All licensed operators who will conduct Fantasy Sports contests.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**CHAPTER 43: Complaints and Disciplinary Actions**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 8 M.R.S. §1102, §1106

PURPOSE: To establish rules to conform to the requirements as set in the statute.

SCHEDULE FOR ADOPTION: Prior to October 1, 2021

LISTING OF AFFECTED PARTIES: All licensed operators who will conduct Fantasy Sports contests.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: Not anticipated.

**DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY  
OFFICE OF STATE FIRE MARSHAL  
BUREAU OF BUILDING CODES & STANDARDS  
2021-2022 RULEMAKING AGENDA**

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NONE.**

**EXPECTED 2021-2022 RULE-MAKING ACTIVITY:**

**CHAPTER 1: MAINE UNIFORM BUILDING CODE AND UNIFORM ENERGY  
CODE- ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURES**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 10 M.R.S. §9722

PURPOSE: To set forth procedures for each individual municipality to recognize and where applicable, enforce these Codes. The chapter also provides five options for building inspections, including the use of a third-party inspector.

ANTICIPATED SCHEDULE: Prior to October 31, 2021

AFFECTED PARTIES: All municipalities within the State of Maine

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: N/A

**CHAPTER 2: MAINE UNIFORM BUILDING CODE AND UNIFORM ENERGY  
CODE-THIRD PARTY INSPECTORS ('TPI')**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 10 M.R.S. §9723

PURPOSE: To provide guidance to TPIs on inspections, construction files, issuing a Notice to Proceed and issuing an inspection report.

ANTICIPATED SCHEDULE: Prior to October 31, 2021

AFFECTED PARTIES: All certified TPIs

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: N/A

**CHAPTER 3: MAINE UNIFORM BUILDING CODE- COMMERCIAL BUILDING  
CODE OF MAINE**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 10 M.R.S. §9722

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PURPOSE: This chapter sets forth the standards for the construction, alteration, movement, enlargement, replacement, repair, equipment, use and occupancy, location, maintenance, removal and demolition of every building or structure or any appurtenances connected or attached to such building or structure, with the exception of detached one and two-family dwellings and townhouses.

ANTICIPATED SCHEDULE: Prior to October 31, 2021

AFFECTED PARTIES: All municipalities within the State of Maine; all commercial building owners

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: N/A

#### **CHAPTER 4: MAINE UNIFORM BUILDING CODE- EXISTING BUILDING CODE**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 10 M.R.S. §9722

PURPOSE: This chapter sets forth the standards for the repair, alteration, change of occupancy, addition and relocation of all existing buildings.

ANTICIPATED SCHEDULE: Prior to October 31, 2021

AFFECTED PARTIES: Owners of buildings performing renovations and all Municipal Code Enforcement Officers and all certified TPIs.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: N/A

#### **CHAPTER 5: MAINE UNIFORM BUILDING AND ENERGY CODE AND MAINE UNIFORM BUILDING CODE-RESIDENTIAL BUILDING CODE FOR ONE AND TWO FAMILY DWELLINGS IN MAINE**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 10 M.R.S. §9722

PURPOSE: This chapter sets forth the standards for residential construction for one and two-family dwellings that are part of the MUBEC and MUBC.

ANTICIPATED SCHEDULE: Prior to October 31, 2021

AFFECTED PARTIES: Anyone building a new one or two-family dwelling

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: N/A

#### **CHAPTER 6: MAINE UNIFORM ENERGY CODE- ENERGY CONSERVATION CODE OF MAINE**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 10 M.R.S. §9722

PURPOSE: This chapter sets forth the regulation of the design and construction of buildings for the effective use of energy and is applicable to both residential and commercial buildings.

ANTICIPATED SCHEDULE: Prior to October 31, 2021

AFFECTED PARTIES: Owners of buildings and all Municipal Code Enforcement Officers and all certified TPIs.

CONSENSUS-BASED RULE DEVELOPMENT: N/A