

An Act to Provide Permitting Authority Over Supply Tanks Over 1,320 Gallons to the Office of the State Fire Marshal

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

Effective January 1, 2004, Sec 1. 25 MRSA §2482, sub§ 2-B is amended to read:

This section does not apply to the storage of flammable substances of less than 1320 gallons that are regulated by the Department of Professional and Financial Regulation under Title 32.

Sec 1. 25 MRSA §2484, sub§ 2 is amended to read:

Permit. The cost of a permit and an inspection of an aboveground flammable liquid storage is \$~~15~~ 100.

Fiscal Note:

Public Safety, Department of

Allocation: The following Funds are allocated from the Ground Water Oil Clean-up Fund to carry out the purposes of this act.

Office of the State Fire Marshal	2002 - 2003
Positions	3.0
Personal Services	\$115,292.72
All other	\$ 5,000.00
Capital Expenditures	\$ 42,000.00

Provides for the allocation of funds for two additional Public Safety Inspector II positions, one Account Clerk I position and general operating costs necessary to make eligibility determinations.

Department of Public Safety Total: \$162,292.72

Allocation: The following Funds are allocated from other special Revenue Funds to accomplish the purposes of this act.

Office of the State Fire Marshal	2002 - 2003
Positions - Legislative Count	.5
Personal Services	\$ 21,441.94
All other	\$ 3,000.00
Total:	\$ 24,441.94

Allocates additional funds to establish a one-half Public Safety Inspector II Position and necessary operating costs to conduct required Oil Tank Inspections.