

Mandatory Fines

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Title 1 General Provisions

Chapter 13

Public Records and Proceedings

Subchapter 1 Freedom of Access

- 1 § 410(2)(a) (2)(a) State government agency or local government entity violating Freedom of Access to Public Records and Proceedings.
Not more than \$500 fine.

(2)(b) State government agency or local government entity violating Freedom of Access to Public Records and Proceedings, fewer than 4 years after previous adjudication of same violation by officer or employee of same agency or entity. Not more than \$1,000 fine.

(2)(c) State government agency or local government entity violating Freedom of Access to Public Records and Proceedings, fewer than 4 years after 2 or more previous adjudications of same violation by officer or employee of same agency or entity. Not more than \$2,000 fine.

Chapter 25

Governmental Ethics

Subchapter 2 Legislative Ethics

1 § 1015

Solicitation of certain campaign contributions and solicitation of campaign contributions during a legislative session.

Intentional violation subjects a person to a civil penalty of not more than \$1,000.

1 § 1016-G

Intentionally filing false disclosure report by Legislator or willfully failing to file a disclosure as required.

Legislator is presumed to have a conflict of interest and must be precluded or subject to penalty as provided in section 1015 (not more than \$1,000).

[Title 5 Administrative Procedures and Services](#)

Chapter 2

Testimony Provided by State Employees to Legislative Committees

5 § 30

Willfully violating a State employee's right to present testimony and information to a legislative committee.

\$10 per day, which may not be suspended.

[Title 7 Agriculture and Animals](#)

Chapter 101

Marketing, Grading and Labeling

Subchapter 2 Grades and Standards for Farm Products

7 § 443-A

Improperly selling produce in Maine as "native," "native grown," "locally grown" or other similar description unless that product was actually grown in the State.

\$200-\$300 fine.

7 § 447

Obstructing or hindering the commissioner or any of his or her duly qualified assistants in the performance of his or her duties under subchapter II (Grades and Standards for Farm Products).

\$10-\$100 forfeiture.

Chapter 103

Products Controlled

7 § 639

Violating the labeling, standards of quality, and grading of eggs, or selling restricted eggs per §§631-639, first offense.

Not more than \$50 forfeiture.

Violating the labeling, standards of quality, and grading of eggs, or selling restricted eggs per §§631-639, subsequent offense.
Not more than \$200 forfeiture.

7 § 784 Violating the labeling, registration, tonnage reporting, or misbranding of plant or soil amendment product, or disposition of misbranded or adulterated amendments per subchapter 5-B.
\$200 minimum forfeiture.

7 § 954-A Misbranding, mislabeling or misrepresenting potatoes.
\$1,000 minimum for each occurrence, plus
not more than \$200 forfeiture for the first violation committed during a shipping season.
\$1,000 forfeiture for a second violation committed during a shipping season, and
\$1,500 minimum forfeiture for subsequent violations committed during a shipping season.

7 § 956 Refuse free access, ingress and egress where potatoes are packed, stored, transported, sold, offered or exposed for sale or for transportation.
Not more than \$200 forfeiture for the first violation committed during a shipping season.
\$1,000 forfeiture for a second violation committed during a shipping season.
\$1,500 minimum forfeiture for subsequent violations committed during a shipping season.

Chapter 105

Payment of Dues

7 § 1093

Failing to timely pay farm association dues.
Not more than \$1,000 for a first violation and not more than \$2,000 for each subsequent violation.

Chapter 529

Protection from Damage

7 § 2851

Interfering with honeybees on other's land without owner's consent.
\$50 - \$100 forfeiture.

Chapter 717

Animal Welfare Act

7 § 3911-A

Abandon a wolf hybrid not licensed under section 3922.
\$1,000 fine.

Chapter 727

Dangerous Dogs and Nuisance Dogs

7 § 3952-A

Keeping dangerous dog.
\$250-\$5,000 to be paid to the municipality where the dog resides pursuant to section 3910-A.

Chapter 731

7 § 3971

Mistreatment of Animals

Violating animal vivisection prohibition in public and private schools.
Not more than \$75 fine.

Chapter 739

7 § 4011

Cruelty to Animals

Cruelty to animals – violating chapter 739. Killing or attempting to kill any animal belonging to another person without the consent of the owner or without legal privilege.

\$500-\$5,000 for first violation, none of which may be suspended, and \$1,000-\$10,000 for second or subsequent violation of section 4011.

7 § 4012

Cruelty to birds. Keeping or using any live pigeon, fowl or other bird for a target or to be shot at, either for amusement or as a test of skill in marksmanship.

Shooting at any bird or being present as a party, umpire or judge at a shooting.
\$500-\$5,000 for first violation, none of which may be suspended, and \$1,000-\$10,000 for second or subsequent violation of section 4011.

7 § 4013

Failure to provide sufficient food or water to maintain the health of the animal.
\$500-\$5,000 for first violation, none of which may be suspended, and \$1,000-\$10,000 for second or subsequent violation of section 4011.

7 § 4014

Failing to supply necessary medical attention when the animal is or has been suffering from illness, injury, disease, excessive parasitism or malformed or overgrown hoof.

\$500-\$5,000 for first violation, none of which may be suspended, and \$1,000-\$10,000 for second or subsequent violation of section 4011.

7 § 4015

Failure to provide the animal with proper shelter, protection from the weather and humanely clean conditions.

\$500-\$5,000 for first violation, none of which may be suspended, and \$1,000-\$10,000 for second or subsequent violation of section 4011.

7 § 4016

Violating cruelty to animals provisions of Chapter 739.

\$500-\$5,000 for first violation, none of which may be suspended, and \$1,000-\$10,000 for second or subsequent violation of section 4011.

Chapter 741

7 § 4041

Animal Trespass

Owner or keeper of an animal found trespassing, failing to remove the animal within 12 hours after having been personally notified by an animal control officer or law enforcement officer that the animal was trespassing, or animal or animals owned by person having been found trespassing on 5 or more days within a 30-day period, or 3 or more days within a 7-day period.

\$50-\$500 fine for first violation;

\$1,000 for second violation;
\$2,500 for 2 or more violations.

Chapter 745

7 § 4163

Sale of Dogs and Cats

Advertise for sale, sell, or exchange for value more than one cat or dog under the age of 6 months in a 12-month period without a license issued under the section.
\$50-\$200 fine.

Title 8 Amusements and Sports

Chapter 9-A

8 § 223-A

Fireworks

a) Selling consumer fireworks within the State and that person does not hold a valid license and is not an employee or agent of a person that holds a valid license.

\$500 minimum fine;

\$1,000 minimum fine if subsequent conviction within 6 months.

(b) Selling consumer fireworks to a person under 21 years of age or who appears to be under the influence of alcohol or drugs.

\$500 minimum fine;

\$1,000 minimum fine if subsequent conviction within 6 months.

(c) Knowingly procure, or in any way aid or assist in procuring, furnishing, giving, selling or delivering consumer fireworks for or to a person under 21 years of age, or knowingly allowing a person under 21 years of age under that person's control or in a place under that person's control to possess or use consumer fireworks.

\$500 minimum fine;

\$1,000 minimum fine if subsequent conviction within 6 months.

(d) A person under 21 years of age purchasing, using, or possessing consumer fireworks within the State or show evidence of age that is false, fraudulent or not actually the person's own for the purpose of purchasing consumer fireworks.

\$200-\$400 fine first violation;

\$300-\$600 fine for subsequent violations.

Chapter 12

8 § 301

Greyhound Racing

Holding, conducting or simulcasting greyhound racing for public exhibition.
\$7,500 minimum penalty.

Chapter 22

8 § 561

Motor Vehicle Racing

Operating motor vehicle racing without license.
Punishable by not more than \$1,000.

8 § 562 Violating motor vehicle racing rules and regulations.
Punishable by not more than \$500.

8 § 565 Operating any type of motor vehicle racing without a license.
Punishable by not more than \$1,000.

Operating any type of motor vehicle racing or locating, erecting, constructing, or maintaining any motor vehicle racing structure.
Punishable by not more than \$500 for each offense.

Title 9-A Maine Consumer Credit Code

Article V Remedies and penalties

9-A § 5-301 Knowingly violating Maine consumer credit code.
Punishable by a fine of not more than \$2,500 for each offense, or by imprisonment for not more than 6 months, or by both.

Article IX Consumer Credit Transactions Made to Acquire Real Estate or Secured by First Lien Mortgages

9-A § 9-407 Willfully and knowingly violating Article IX of Title 9-A of the consumer credit provisions.
Punishable by a fine of not more than \$2,500 for each offense or by imprisonment for not more than 6 months, or by both.

Title 9-B Financial Institutions

Chapter 46 Prohibitions

9-B § 466 Failure of institution to furnish reports.
\$100 per day of each violation.

Chapter 88 Prohibitions

9-B § 822 Improperly designating a financial institute as a credit union.
Violator is subject to a civil penalty of not more than \$10,000 for each violation.

Chapter 101 Financial Institution Holding Companies

9-B § 1013 Violating requirements of subsection 3, which require financial institution holding companies to obtain prior approval of the superintendent to establish, acquire or maintain control of a Maine financial institution.
\$1,000 per day for each day the violation continues.

9-B § 1019 A financial institution holding company violating a provision of this chapter.
\$1,000 per day for each day the violation continues.

Title 10 Commerce and Trade

Chapter 201 **Monopolies and Profiteering**

10 § 1104

Violation of sections 1101, 1102, or 1102-A

Civil Penalty of \$50,000 for each violation of the terms of an injunction issued under this section.

Plaintiff shall recover three times the amount of the damages sustained.

10 § 1106

Demand or collect unreasonable or unjust rent, charge, terms or conditions on dwelling rentals.

Punishable by not more than \$1,000 fine or by imprisonment for not more than 11 months, or by both.

Chapter 205 **Unfair Sales Act**

10 § 1204-A

Distribute or sell merchandise of general use or consumption with intent to injure competitors or destroy competition.

Punishable by not more than \$500 fine.

10 § 1209

Failure of a wholesaler to file a report whenever the price of motor fuel sold at a retail outlet operated or controlled by a wholesaler of motor fuel is less than the dealer tank-wagon price charged for the same motor fuel to any independent retail outlet supplied by the wholesaler and located within 1 mile of the wholesaler's outlet.

Not more than \$500 a day for each day after the first five business days.

Chapter 206-A **Manufacturer's Rebates**

10 § 1232

A manufacturer or distributor or its agents falsely advertising the availability of a manufacturer's rebate.

\$100 minimum award to the petitioner.

Chapter 208 **Unlawful Copying**

10 § 1261

Transferring recorded sounds with intent to use sounds for profit without owner's consent.

\$500-\$5,000 for each offense.

Advertising or selling an item that has recorded sounds illegally transferred without consent.

\$50-\$500 for each offense.

Chapter 210-B **Notice of Risk to Personal Data**

10 § 1349

Violation of personal data regulations.

Subject to one or more of the following: not more than \$500 per violation, up to a maximum of \$2,500 for each day the person is in violation; equitable relief; or enjoinder from further violations of this chapter

<u>Chapter 214</u> 10 § 1415-G	<u>Energy Efficiency Building Performance Standards</u> Building owner violates electric heating system standards for subsidized housing. \$100 minimum or 5% of the value of construction minimum.
<u>Chapter 217</u> 10 § 1474	<u>Used Car Information</u> Dealer improperly warrants that motor vehicle sold is in compliance with inspection standards. \$100-\$1,000 Dealer improperly warrants reconstructable motor vehicle is in condition specified in disclosure statement. \$100-\$1,000 Dealer selling, offering for sale, or transferring used motor vehicle without furnishing written warranty statement. \$100-\$1,000 Dealer improperly selling reconstructable motor vehicle. \$100-\$1,000
10 § 1475	Dealer sells used motor vehicle improperly. \$100-\$1,000
<u>Chapter 219</u> 10 § 1483	<u>Insulation Contractors</u> Fail to provide owner or tenant with insulation contract. \$200 minimum for the first offense and \$500 minimum for each subsequent offense
<u>Chapter 221</u> 10 § 1494	<u>Warranties for Sale and Installation of Solar Energy Equipment</u> Fail to give solar energy equipment warranty. \$200-\$500 for the first offense and \$500-\$1,000 for each subsequent offense
<u>Chapter 307</u> 10 § 1658-A	<u>Oils</u> Fill or refill a liquified petroleum gas container. Not more than \$1,000 forfeiture
10 § 1661-B	A person, firm, partnership or corporation who violates the requirement for gasoline stations to post prices of fuels sold Not more than \$100 fine and not more than \$500 fine for subsequent violations of this section.
10 § 1662	Violation of any provisions of this chapter. Punishable by a fine not more than \$100 for the first offense and by a fine not more than \$200 for each subsequent offense.

10 § 1663 Selling or otherwise transferring title to a biomass-based diesel blend or biodiesel blend to any other person for resale of the product without preparing a document evidencing the transfer pursuant to this section.
Punishable by not more than \$100 fine for the first offense and no more than \$200 fine for each subsequent offense, or by imprisonment for 90 days, or both.

Chapter 308

Petroleum Market Share Act

10 § 1679

Violation of this Chapter, including reporting requirements and anticompetitive, unfair, and deceptive trade practices prohibitions.
Punishable by not more than a \$10,000 civil penalty.

Chapter 309

Sardines

10 § 1702

Using Maine sardine council trademark without license or permission.
Punishable by not more than \$50 for the first offense and not more than \$200 for each subsequent offense.

Chapter 501

Weights and Measures Law

10 § 2364-B

Failing to present the trip ticket upon request to any employee of the State charged with enforcing the provisions of this subchapter or misrepresenting information on a trip ticket.
Punishable by not more than \$1,000 for the first offense and not more than \$2,000 for each subsequent offense.

10 § 2368

Violation of Measurement of Wood sub-chapter or a rule adopted pursuant to this subchapter.
Punishable by not more than \$1,000 civil penalty for the first offense and not more than \$2,000 civil penalty for each subsequent offense.

10 § 2702

Person, firm or corporation for whom scales, weights and measures or any weighing or measuring devices have been tested by a local sealer of weights and measures neglecting or refusing to pay for the services rendered.
\$3 plus costs for the first offense.
\$10-\$20 plus costs for each subsequent offense.

Chapter 901

Department of Professional and Financial Regulation

10 § 8003-C

Practice or represent to the public that a person is authorized to practice a profession or trade without first obtaining a license or after the license has expired or has been suspended or revoked. Applicable to licenses identified in 10 §§8001-8001-A.
\$1,000-\$5,000 fine

Chapter 951

Manufactured Housing Act

10 § 9067 Violating manufactured housing provision in manner threatening health or safety of purchasers by person or officer, director or agent of a corporation.
Not more than \$1,000 or imprisonment for more than one year, or by both.

Title 12 Conservation

Part 2 **Forests, Parks, Lakes and Rivers**
Chapter 206-A **Use Regulation – Maine Land Use Planning Commission**

12 § 685-C LURC violation.
Not more than \$10,000 civil penalty for each day of the violation.

Part 9 **Marine Resources**
Chapter 605 **General Department Activities**

12 § 6072-C Utilize, raise, lift, transfer, possess or in any manner molest any approved aquaculture gear that is deployed under a current limited-purpose aquaculture license.
\$100 minimum fine and twice the replacement value of the gear that was cut or damaged.

12 § 6073 Interfering with the rights provided in a lease for aquaculture.
\$1,000 minimum fine and restitution.

Possessing a cultchless American oyster grown in Maine prior to point of retail sale.
\$1,000 minimum fine and restitution.

12 § 6140-B Unlawful fishing of salmon.
\$500 minimum fine for each Atlantic salmon unlawfully possessed.

Unlawful possession of any part of Atlantic salmon taken from the inland or coastal waters of this state
\$500 for each Atlantic salmon unlawfully possessed.

Unlawfully selling or offer for sale any Atlantic salmon taken from waters of the State.
\$500 minimum fine for each Atlantic salmon unlawfully possessed.

Chapter 615 **General License Provisions**

12 § 6312 Failing to register for the saltwater recreational fishing registry.
\$100 minimum fine.

Chapter 617 **License Suspension**

12 § 6406 Engaging in Marine Resource activities while license is suspended.
Mandatory fine of no less than \$500 and no more than \$2,000.

Chapter 619 **Lobster and Crab Fishing Licenses**

12 § 6421 Violating lobster and crab fishing license requirements.
Forfeiture of no less than \$100 and no more than \$500.

12 § 6431 Possession of lobsters in violation of this section.
\$500 fine plus \$100 for each lobster involved, up to and including the first 5,
\$200 for each lobster in excess of 5, or \$1,000-\$5,000 for an indeterminable
number of lobsters.

12 § 6431-B Violation of tag system rule if 25 or fewer traps are not tagged in accordance
with rules adopted pursuant to subsection 1.
Mandatory fine of \$250 if the person fishes 25 or fewer traps that are not tagged.

12 § 6432 Possession of lobsters other than caught by the method specified in subsection 1.
\$500 fine plus \$100 for each lobster involved, up to and including the first 5,
\$200 for each lobster in excess of 5, or \$1,000-\$5,000 for an indeterminable
number of lobsters

12 § 6436 Penalty for possession of egg-bearing lobsters.
\$1,000 fine plus \$200 for each lobster involved, up to and including the first 5,
\$400 for each lobster in excess of 5, or \$2,500-\$10,000 for an indeterminable
number of lobsters

Penalty for possession of v-notched lobsters.
\$500 fine plus \$100 for each lobster involved, up to and including the first 5,
\$400 for each lobster in excess of 5, or \$1,000-\$5,000 for an indeterminable
number of lobsters

12 § 6438-A Remove extruded eggs from female lobster or take, buy, sell, possess, transport
or ship any female lobster from which extruded eggs have been removed.
\$1,000 fine plus \$300 for each lobster involved or, if an indeterminable number
of lobsters.
Mandatory fine of \$1000 for each violation, \$300 for each lobster
involved, or if the number of lobsters cannot be determined, a fine of not less
than \$1,000-\$5,000.

12 § 6445 Failing to maintain a lobster harvester logbook when required to do so.
A forfeiture of not less and \$100 and not more than \$500 may be adjudged.

12 § 6474 Violating trap tag requirements in Monhegan Lobster Conservation Area.
Forfeiture of not less than \$100 or more than \$500 may be adjudged.

Chapter 621

Finfish Licenses

12 § 6502

Tuna fishing by nonresident without current special tuna permit.
\$100-\$500

12 § 6505-A

Fish for or take elvers or possess, ship, transport or sell elvers that the person has taken without a resident or nonresident elver fishing license for one device or two devices, or without a resident or nonresident elver fishing license with crew for one device or two devices.
\$2,000 strict liability

Elver fishing license holder engaging unlicensed crew to assist in activities not authorized by rule.
\$2,000 strict liability

Elver fishing license holder engaging unlicensed crew to assist in activities not under direct supervision of the license holder.
\$2,000 strict liability

Person licensed under Title 12 §§ 6302-A(3) or 6505-A selling or transferring elvers to elver dealer without presenting elver transaction card so amount of elvers transferred is not deducted from license holder's quota.
\$2,000 strict liability

Possessing elver transaction card not issued to that person or while not licensed to fish elvers.
\$2,000 strict liability

Fish for or take elvers by person who is under 15 years of age.
\$2,000 strict liability

12 § 6505-B

Submerge an elver fyke net or Sheldon eel trap in the waters of the State to fish for or take elvers unless the net or trap owner pays the annual fees, or in coast waters of the State to fish for or take elvers unless a tag issued by the department is affixed to the shoreside wing of the net or trap and is clearly visible.
\$2,000 strict liability

Utilize a dip net to fish for or take elvers without paying a fee of \$50 per dip net annually.
\$2,000 strict liability

12 § 6575

Designate or claim by any means a location in which to set an elver fyke net or a Sheldon eel trap at any time other than the open season for elver fishing.

A fine of \$2,000 must be imposed, none of which may be suspended.

12 § 6575-D Utilize, transfer, alter, possess or in any manner handle an elver fyke net unless that person has been a license to fish for elvers with an elver fyke net or a license to fish for elvers with crew with an elver fyke net and the license holder issued the tag is present and assisting.
\$2,000 strict liability

12 § 6575-G Elver fishing within 150 feet of dam with fishway or of fishway.
\$2,000 strict liability

12 § 6575-H Sale of elvers to a person who is not a licensed elver dealer, or is not an authorized representative of a licensed elver dealer.
\$2,000 strict liability

Accepting payment for elvers in any form other than a check or cashier's check that identifies both the seller and the buyer by whom the landings will be reported, each of whom must be licensed
\$2,000 strict liability

12 § 6575-K Possessing or selling a weight of elvers that exceeds the elver individual fishing quota that person has been allocated for the fishing season.
\$2,000 strict liability

Fishing for or possessing elvers or failing to remove tagged gear after the person has sold a weight of elvers that meets or exceeds that person's elver individual fishing quota.
\$2,000 strict liability

Chapter 623 **Shellfish, Scallops, Worms and Miscellaneous Licenses**

12 § 6621 Fish for or take shellfish from any area closed pursuant to section 6172.
\$300 for the first offense.
\$500 minimum for subsequent offenses within 10 years from the date of conviction for the first violation.

12 § 6626 Violating scallop conservation area rule.
\$1,000 for the first offense and all scallops on board may be seized.
\$1,000 minimum for subsequent offenses, all scallops on board may be seized and license shall be suspended.

- 12 § 6671 Violating provisions of Municipal Shellfish Conservation Ordinance.
For harvesting shellfish from an area closed for conservation purposes:
\$300 minimum for first offense by a commercial license holder,
\$500-\$1,500 for subsequent offenses by commercial license holder;
\$100 minimum for first offense for recreational license holder,
\$100-\$500 for subsequent offenses for a recreational license holder
For any other violation, \$100-\$500.
- Harvest shellfish for commercial purposes without a municipal shellfish license or in violation of a license restriction.
\$300-\$1,000.
- Harvest shellfish for personal or recreational use without a municipal shellfish license or in violation of a license restriction.
\$100-\$500.
- 12 § 6674 Taking, disturbing, or molesting any shellfish in the intertidal zone in the area that is included in a municipal shellfish aquaculture permit by one other than the permittee or the permittee's designee.
\$500-\$1000.
- 12 § 6681 For possession of a bulk pile of shellfish of which 20% or more of the shellfish are smaller than the minimum size established in subsection 3.
\$300 minimum for the first offense
\$500 minimum for subsequent offenses within 10 years from the date of conviction for the first violation
- For possession of a bulk pile of shellfish of which more than 10% but less than 20% of the shellfish are smaller than the minimum size established in subsection 3.
\$100-\$1,000
- 12 § 6701 Hand fishing scallops without current hand fishing scallop license.
\$750
- 12 § 6702 Using a boat for dragging for scallops without a license.
\$500 for first offense
\$750 for subsequent offenses
- 12 § 6703 Engaging in noncommercial scallop fishing without a license.
\$500 for first offense
\$750 for subsequent offenses
- 12 § 6721-A Possess, ship, transport, buy or sell scallops less than minimum size.

- \$500 for first offense
\$750 for subsequent offenses
- 12 § 6722 A person may not fish or take scallops by dragging in the territorial waters from April 16th to November 30th, both days inclusive.
\$500 for first offense
\$750 for subsequent offenses
- 12 § 6724 A person may not fish for or take scallops by use of an otter trawl and upriver of a line drawn from the lighthouse on Dice Head, Castine to Turtle Head on Islesboro and thence to the town wharf at Bayside, Northport.
\$500 for first offense
\$750 for subsequent offenses
- 12 § 6725 Possessing, shipping, transporting, buying or selling scallops taken in violation of scallop laws.
\$500 for first offense
\$750 for subsequent offenses
- 12 § 6726 Unlawfully utilize a drag to fish for or take scallops in the territorial waters with rings that measure too small.
\$500 for first offense
\$750 for subsequent offenses
- 12 § 6728 Fish for, take or possess more than 15 gallons of scallop meat per day in the coastal waters.
\$500 for first offense
\$750 for subsequent offenses
- 12 § 6728-C Taking scallops by dragging in a dive-only area.
\$500 for first offense
\$750 for subsequent offenses
- 12 § 6731 Engaging in mahogany quahog fishing without a license.
\$100-\$500
- 12 § 6732 Engaging in other quahog fishing without license.
\$100-\$500
- 12 § 6745 Engaging in hand raking of mussels without a license.
\$100-\$500
- 12 § 6746 Using an unlicensed boat to drag for mussels.
\$100-\$500

- 12 § 6748 Dive from a vessel with sea urchins on board without a license under this section.
\$100-\$500
- 12 § 6749-A Take, possess, ship, transport, buy or sell a sea urchin having shell measurements less than the minimum size established by rule.
\$500 minimum for second offense
\$1,000 minimum for all subsequent offenses
- Note: fines imposed under this section may not be suspended.
- 12 § 6749-B Possessing sea urchins and lobster simultaneously.
\$500 minimum
- 12 § 6749-N Fish for or take sea urchins in closed season by zone.
\$500 minimum
- 12 § 6749-P Harvesting sea urchins out of zone.
\$500 minimum
- 12 § 6749-S Fail to maintain a log book or report the data required by rule.
\$500 minimum
- 12 § 6749-V Fish for or take sea urchins with a drag or any combination of drags in the coastal waters of the State from May 1st to September 30th.
\$500 minimum
- 12 § 6749-Y Violating or failure to comply with any provision of Subchapter 2-C Sea Urchins if not otherwise specified.
\$500 minimum
- Note: Fines imposed under this section may not be suspended.
- 12 § 6751 Engaging in marine worm digging without a current license.
\$100-\$500
- 12 § 6803 Harvest, possess, ship, transport or sell seaweed without a current resident seaweed permit.
\$100-\$500
- 12 § 6803-C Illegally harvesting rockweed in Cobscook Bay.
\$1,000 minimum

12 § 6804 Engage in the activities authorized under this section without a current resident commercial northern shrimp license.
\$100-\$500

Chapter 625 **Wholesale and Retail Licenses**

12 § 6851 Wholesaling of seafood without current license.
\$100-\$500

12 § 6852 Engaging in retail seafood activities without an enhanced retail seafood license.
\$100-\$500

12 § 6853 Holder of marine worm dealer's license purchasing marine worms or green crabs from unlicensed harvester.
\$100-\$500

12 § 6854 Transport lobster without a lobster transportation license.
\$100-\$500

12 § 6855 Transport shellfish without a shellfish transportation license.
\$100-\$500

12 § 6857 Engaging in activity of removing lobster meat from the shell without a permit.
\$100-\$500

12 § 6859 Shipping, offering to ship or accepting for shipment any lobsters, or their parts in an unmarked container.
\$100-\$500

12 § 6860 Processing and packing shrimp without country or state of origin clearly marked on container.
\$100-\$500

12 § 6863 Growing cultchless American oysters in Maine without a license.
\$100-\$500

12 § 6864 Failure of elver dealer licensed under section 6864 to have access to an operational Internet connection when using an elver dealer transaction card to buy, sell or transport elvers.
\$2,000

12 § 6865 Failure of elver exporter licensed under section 6865 to have access to an operational Internet connection when using an elver dealer transaction card to buy or sell elvers.
\$2,000

Chapter 627

General Prohibitions

12 § 6952-A

Fish for or take lobsters by use of an otter or beam trawl, a scallop drag or trawl, seine or net

\$100 per first 5 lobsters, \$200 per lobster in excess of 5, \$1,000-\$5,000 if indeterminable number of lobsters

Possess lobsters, regardless of their source, on board any boat rigged for dragging, trawling, dredging, seining or netting.

\$100 per first 5 lobsters, \$200 per lobster in excess of 5, \$1,000-\$5,000 if indeterminable number of lobsters

12 § 6953

Failing or refusing to stop immediately upon request or signal of any marine patrol officer in uniform.

\$500 minimum

12 § 6954

Operate any watercraft when towing a drag or trawl along seabed in underwater cable or pipeline areas.

\$500 minimum, which may not be suspended.

12 § 6954-A

Take scallops by any means within the Frenchboro area.

\$500 minimum, which may not be suspended.

Operate any watercraft when towing a drag or trawl within the Frenchboro area.

\$500 minimum, which may not be suspended.

12 § 6954-C

Fishing in the territorial waters northerly and inshore of the international bridge connecting Lubec to Campobello Island, New Brunswick, Canada with any drag or combination of drags that measure in excess of 5 feet, 6 inches in width.

\$500 for first violation

\$750 for subsequent violations

12 § 6956

Licensed marine hand-harvester failing to display divers down flag while scuba harvesting.

\$100-\$500

12 § 6957

Fishing within 300 feet of suspended culture floating equipment.

\$1,000 minimum, which may not be suspended.

Part 11

Forestry

Chapter 801

Bureau of Forestry

12 § 8005

Receive confidential information pursuant to subsection 3, paragraph B and use that information for a purpose other than that authorized.

Not more than \$1,000

12 § 8870 Violate liquidation harvesting rule or a condition or term of a permit, variance or decision.
\$100-\$1,000
\$1,000-\$2,000 after having previously been adjudicated of a violation of this section within the previous five-year period

12 § 8884 Failure to submit annual Wood Processing Report.
Not more than \$1,000

12 § 8885 Failure to submit forest landowner report.
Not more than \$1,000

12 § 9321 Out of door burning violation.
Not more than \$25,000; not more than \$125,000 combined with municipalities

Subpart 3 **Law Enforcement and General Offenses**
Chapter 909 **General Offenses**

12 § 10650-A Violate a provision of a rule adopted in accordance with this Part.
\$100-\$500

12 § 10651 Fail or refuse to stop a motor vehicle or other conveyance immediately upon request or signal of any officer in uniform whose duty it is to enforce this Part.
\$1,000 minimum

12 § 10654 Intentionally or knowingly interfere with the lawful hunting, fishing or trapping of a wild animal, wild bird or fish.
\$100-\$500

12 § 10651 Intentionally or knowingly disturb or attempt to disturb a wild animal, wild bird or fish with the intent to interfere with the hunting, fishing or trapping of a wild animal, wild bird or fish.
\$100-\$500

12 § 10656 Intentionally or knowingly mutilate, deface or destroy a notice or rule of the commissioner posted in conformity with this Part.
\$100-\$500

12 § 10657 Person may not enter or cause a projectile to enter any place from which that person may be lawfully excluded that is posted, fenced or otherwise enclosed, while having 3 or more prior violations of title 12, part 13
\$100-\$500

12 § 10658 Possessing a wild animal or wild bird or any parts of a wild animal or wild bird that the person does not possess by any lawful means.
\$500 minimum

12 § 10659 Place salt or other bait in a place to entice deer to that place from June 1 to the start of open hunting season on deer and from close of the last open hunting season on deer to December 15.
\$500-\$1,000

Chapter 911 **Hunting and Operating Under the Influence**

12 § 10701 Operate or attempt to operate a watercraft while under the influence of intoxicating liquor or drugs or a combination of liquor and drugs.
\$400 minimum if previous conviction within 6-year period.
\$500 minimum if failure to comply and submit within a 6-year period.

Operate or attempt to operate a watercraft if less than 21 years of age, while having an alcohol level of more than 0.00 grams per 100 milliliters of blood or 210 liters of breath.
\$600 minimum if previous violation within 6-year period.
\$800 minimum if adjudicated in the previous 6-year period for failure to comply or submit.

Operate or attempt to operate a watercraft if 21 years of age or older, while having 0.08 grams or more of alcohol per 100 milliliters of blood of 210 liters of breath.
\$1,000 minimum if 2 or more convictions within the previous 6 years.
\$1,300 minimum if adjudicated within the previous 6-year period for failure to submit to drug and alcohol tests.

Note: fines for previous convictions in violation of this section may not be suspended.

12 § 10702 Fail to submit to and complete a blood-alcohol or drug concentration test, or both, when requested to do so by a law enforcement officer who has probable cause to believe that the person hunted while under the influence or operated or attempted to operate a watercraft, snowmobile or ATV while under the influence of intoxicating liquor or drugs.
Not more than \$500.

Subpart 4 **Fish and Wildlife**
Chapter 913 **General License and Permit Provisions**

12 § 10802 Violations of rules regulating hunting and fishing agents.
\$100-\$500

Chapter 915

Hunting: Seasons, Requirements, and Restrictions

- 12 § 11108-B Youth hunter supervisor failing to ensure that apprentice hunters follow safe and ethical hunting protocol and applicable laws, after adult supervisor has been adjudicated on 3 or more violations of Title 12, part 13 in the past 5 years.
\$500 minimum
- 12 § 11109 Engage in an activity for which a license may be issued under this section without a valid license issued under this section.
\$50 minimum plus an amount equal to twice the license fee.
- 12 § 11111 Using a leashed dog to track a wounded animal without a valid permit.
\$50 minimum plus an amount equal to twice the applicable permit fee.
- 12 § 11151 Hunt for bear without a valid permit from the first Monday preceding September 1st to the day preceding the open firearm season on bear.
\$50 minimum plus an amount equal to twice the applicable permit fee, plus \$1,000 if in possession of a firearm with a noise suppression device.
- 12 § 11151-A Non-resident hunting for bear during regular firearm season on deer without a permit.
\$50 minimum plus an amount equal to twice the applicable permit fee plus \$1,000 if in possession of a firearm with a noise suppression device.
- 12 § 11152 Hunt antlerless deer without a valid permit issued under this section.
\$50 minimum plus an amount equal to twice the applicable permit fee plus \$1,000 if in possession of a firearm with a noise suppression device.
- Person may not hunt or possess antlerless deer in a wildlife management district without a valid permit.
\$1,000 minimum and the court shall impose a sentencing alternative involving a term of imprisonment of at least 3 days, none of which may be suspended.
- 12 § 11153 Hunt deer during a special season established under this section without a valid permit issued pursuant to this section while in possession of a firearm with a noise suppression device.
\$50 minimum for each day of violation and an amount equal to twice the applicable license fee.
Plus \$1,000 if in possession of a firearm with a noise suppression device.

- 12 § 11154 Hunt or possess moose without a valid permit issued under this section.
\$1,000 minimum
Plus \$1,000 if in possession of a firearm with a noise suppression device.
- Permittee or subpermittee hunt moose without having in that person's possession a valid Maine resident, nonresident or alien big game hunting license.
\$50 minimum for each day of violation and an amount equal to twice the applicable license fee.
Plus \$1,000 if in possession of a firearm with a noise suppression device.
- 12 § 11155 Hunt or possess wild turkey without a valid permit issued under this section.
\$500 minimum for each day in violation and \$500 for each turkey.
Plus \$1,000 if in possession of a firearm with a noise suppression device.
- 12 § 11156 Hunt pheasant in Cumberland County or York County without a valid permit issued under this section.
\$50 minimum per day plus an amount equal to twice the applicable license fee.
- 12 § 11157 Hunt migratory waterfowl without a valid permit issued pursuant to this section.
\$50 minimum per day plus an amount equal to twice the applicable license fee.
Plus \$1,000 if in possession of a firearm with a noise suppression device.
- 12 § 11158 Hunt migratory game birds without being certified under this section.
\$100-\$500
- 12 § 11159 Engage in the practice of falconry without a valid permit issued under this section.
\$50 minimum per day plus an amount equal to twice the applicable license fee.
- 12 § 11160 Hunt coyotes at night without a valid permit issued under this section.
\$50 minimum plus an amount equal to twice the applicable license fee.
Plus \$1,000 if in possession of a firearm with a noise suppression device.
- 12 § 11201 Hunt or possess a bear during the closed season.
\$1,000 minimum
Plus \$1,000 if in possession of a firearm with a noise suppression device.
- Hunt or possess a deer during the closed season.
\$1,000 minimum
Plus \$1,000 if in possession of a firearm with a noise suppression device.
- Hunt or possess a moose during the closed season.

\$1,000 minimum
Plus \$1,000 if in possession of a firearm with a noise suppression device.

Hunt or possess a wild turkey during the closed season.
\$500 minimum plus \$500 for each wild turkey unlawfully possessed.
Plus \$1,000 if in possession of a firearm with a noise suppression device.

Note: none of the fines in this subsection may be suspended.

12 § 11205 Hunt wild animals or wild birds on Sunday or possess any wild animal or wild bird taken on Sunday while in possession of a firearm with a noise suppression device.
\$1,000

12 § 11206 Hunt wild birds or wild animals from 30 minutes after sunset to 30 minutes before sunrise of the following day or possess any wild animal or wild bird taken at night.
\$1,000 minimum
Plus \$1,000 if in possession of a firearm with a noise suppression device.

Hunt wild birds or wild animals from 30 minutes after sunset to 30 minutes before sunrise of the following day or possess any wild animal or wild bird taken at night and is in possession of night vision equipment.
\$2,000 minimum
Plus \$1,000 if in possession of a firearm with a noise suppression device.

Note: none of the fines in this subsection may be suspended.

12 § 11208 While in possession of a firearm with a noise suppression device, shoot at any wild animal or wild bird from any public paved way or within 10 feet of the edge of the pavement of the public paved way or from within the right-of-way of any controlled access highway; or possess any wild animal or wild bird taken in this manner.
\$1,000

12 § 11209 While in possession of a firearm with a noise suppression device, discharging a firearm including a muzzle-loading firearm or causing a projectile to pass as a result of that discharge within 100 yards of a building or residential dwelling without the permission of the owner or, in the owner's absence, of an adult occupant of that dwelling.
\$1,000

12 § 11210 Intentionally, knowingly, recklessly or negligently shooting and wounding or killing any domestic animal, including, but not limited to, a dog, cat or domestic bird while in possession of a firearm with a noise suppression device.

\$1,000

12 § 11211 Use any firearm other than a shotgun in the Town of Southport or the islands within the confines of the Town of Southport, after having been adjudicated of having committed 3 or more civil violations under this part within the previous 5-year period and while in possession of a firearm with a noise suppression device.
\$1,000

12 § 11214 Use for hunting or possess for hunting any automatic firearm while in possession of a firearm with a noise suppression device.
\$1,000

Use for hunting or possess for hunting any autoloading firearm having a magazine capacity of more than 5 cartridges while in possession of a firearm with a noise suppression device.
\$1,000

Use for hunting or possess for hunting any firearm fitted or contrived with device for deadening the sound of explosion while in possession of a firearm with a noise suppression device.
\$1,000

Hunt migratory game birds with a shotgun of any description originally capable of holding more than 3 shells while in possession of a firearm with a noise suppression device.
\$1,000

Hunt a wild animal or wild bird by any method other than by the usual method of shooting with a firearm not larger than number 10-gauge or shooting with a hand-held bow and arrow or by falconry while in possession of a firearm with a noise suppression device.
\$1,000

12 § 11216 Person on the ground or airborne using an aircraft to aid or assist in hunting, and takes a bear, deer or moose.
\$500 minimum

- 12 § 11217 Buy, sell or offer for sale or barter a bear, deer, moose, or wild turkey.
\$1,000 minimum
- Aid in buying, selling or offering for sale or bartering a bear, deer, moose or wild turkey.
\$1,000 minimum
- Sell or possess for sale a wild bird.
\$1,000
- 12 § 11219 Hunt on a state game farm after having been adjudicated of having committed 3 or more civil violations under this part within the previous 5-year period and while in possession of a firearm with a noise suppression device.
\$1,000
- 12 § 11220 Hunt in a licensed wildlife exhibit after having been adjudicated of having committed 3 or more civil violations under this part within the previous 5-year period and while in possession of a firearm with a noise suppression device.
\$1,000
- 12 § 11222 Hunter shooting at a target without, at that point in time, being certain that it is the wild animal or wild bird sought while in possession of a firearm with a noise suppression device.
\$1,000
- 12 § 11227 Placing bait or hunting over bait without the oral or written permission of the landowner or the landowner's agent after having been adjudicated as having committed 3 or more civil violations under Title 12, part 13 within the previous 5-year period and while in possession of a firearm with a noise suppression device.
\$1,000
- Hunting at a bait site established by another person without permission after having been adjudicated as having committed 3 or more civil violations under this part within the previous 5 year period and while in possession of a firearm with a noise suppression device.
\$1,000
- 12 § 11228 Using a dog to hunt coyotes during the period from 30 minutes after sunset to 30 minutes before sunrise while in possession of a firearm with a noise suppression device.
\$1,000

- 12 § 11301 Hunting, molesting, or harassing bears within 50 yards of a bait site established by another person without the written permission of that person and while in possession of a firearm with a noise suppression device.
\$1,000
- 12 § 11304 Kill or wound a bear that is treed or held at bay by another person's dog or dogs without the permission of the person conducting the hunt while in possession of a firearm with a noise suppression device.
\$1,000
- 12 § 11305 While in possession of a firearm with a noise suppression device, using a .17 or .22 caliber rimfire firearm or shotgun using shot loads to hunt bears.
\$1,000
- 12 § 11351 Hunt or trap bear after that person has killed or registered one during any open season.
\$1,000 minimum
Plus \$1,000 if in possession of a firearm with a noise suppression device.
- Possess more than one bear in any calendar year.
\$1,000 minimum
- 12 § 11403 While in possession of a firearm with a noise suppression device, carry firearms of any kind while hunting any species of wildlife with bow and arrow during the special archery season on deer.
\$1,000
- 12 § 11452 Hunt from an observation stand or blind overlooking salt, grain, fruit, nuts or other foods known to be attractive to deer while in possession of a firearm with a noise suppression device.
\$1,000
- 12 § 11453 Participating in a hunt for deer during which an organized or planned effort is made to drive deer while in possession of a firearm with a noise suppression device.
\$1,000
- 12 § 11454 While in possession of a firearm with a noise suppression device, hunting deer with any firearms using a .17 or .22 caliber rimfire cartridge, except .22 caliber rimfire magnum cartridge, after having been adjudicated of having committed 3 or more civil violations under this Part within the previous 5-year period.
\$1,000

- 12 § 11501 Possess more than one deer during any open season.
\$1,000 minimum
- Hunt deer after that person has killed or registered one during the open season of that calendar year.
\$1,000 minimum
Plus \$1,000 if in possession of a firearm with a noise suppression device.
- 12 § 11601 While in possession of a firearm with a noise suppression device, hunting moose with a permittee unless that person is a subpermittee authorized in accordance with this section.
\$1,000
- 12 § 11602 Participating in a hunt for moose during which an organized or planned effort is made to drive moose while in possession of a firearm with a noise suppression device.
\$1,000
- 12 § 11603 Using a .17 or .22 caliber rimfire firearm or a shotgun using shot loads to hunt moose after having been adjudicated as having committed 3 or more civil violations under this part within the previous 5-year period and while in possession of a firearm with a noise suppression device.
\$1,000
- 12 § 11605 From September 1st to December 15th, placing salt or any other bait or food in a place to entice moose to that place while in possession of a firearm with a noise suppression device.
\$1,000
- From September 1st to December 15th, hunting from an observation stand or blind overlooking salt, grain, fruit, nuts or other foods known to be attractive to moose while in possession of a firearm with a noise suppression device.
\$1,000
- 12 § 11651-A Hunt moose after that person has killed or registered one during the open season of that calendar year.
\$1,000 minimum
Plus \$1,000 if in possession of a firearm with a noise suppression device.
- 12 § 11652 Exceed the bag limit of one moose per permit holder.
\$1,000 minimum
- Possess a moose in violation of this section.
\$1,000 minimum

- 12 § 11751-A Hunt wild turkey after that person has killed or registered the maximum number of wild turkey allowed by rule during that season.
\$500 minimum plus \$500 per turkey.
Plus \$1,000 if in possession of a firearm with a noise suppression device.
- 12 § 11801 Employ the use of a dog or dogs in any manner while hunting wild turkeys while in possession of a firearm with a noise suppression device.
\$1,000
- Engage in an organized drive of any manner while hunting wild turkeys while in possession of a firearm with a noise suppression device.
\$1,000
- 12 § 11802 From September 1st to December 15th, placing any bait or food in a place to entice a wild turkey to that place while in possession of a firearm with a noise suppression device.
\$1,000
- From September 1st to December 15th, hunting from an observation stand or blind overlooking bait or food known to be attractive to wild turkey while in possession of a firearm with a noise suppression device.
\$1,000
- 12 § 11851 Hunt a wild bird, other than the English or European house sparrow and the European starling, except as provided in this part, while in possession of a firearm with a noise suppression device.
\$1,000
- 12 § 11855 Hunt migratory game birds while in possession of a firearm with a noise suppression device.
\$1,000
- 12 § 11857 Taking more than the daily bag limit of ruffed grouse as established by the Commissioner while in possession of a firearm with a noise suppression device.
\$1,000
- 12 § 12001 While in possession of a firearm with a noise suppression device, hunt coyotes at night without possessing an electronic, hand-held or mouth-operated predator calling device.
\$1,000
- 12 § 12052 Engage in dog training without a valid license issued under this section.

\$50 plus an amount equal to twice the applicable license fee.

12 § 12101 Charge others for the opportunity to hunt mallard ducks, pheasants, quail, Chukar partridge and Hungarian partridge in an area or establish a commercial shooting area for such purposes without a valid license issued under this section.
\$50 plus an amount equal to twice the applicable license fee.

12 § 12151 Keep wildlife in captivity except as otherwise provided.
\$500 minimum

12 § 12152 Importing wildlife into or possessing wildlife in the State or receiving or possessing wildlife imported into the State without a permit.
\$50 plus an amount equal to twice the applicable license fee.

12 § 12156 Release into the wild captive, raised or imported wild birds or wild animals unless that person has a valid permit issued under this section.
\$50 plus an amount equal to twice the applicable license fee.

12 § 12157 Take or transport within the limits of the State wildlife taken in the State for breeding or advertising purposes without a valid permit issued under this section.
\$50 plus an amount equal to twice the applicable license fee.

Chapter 917 **Trapping**

12 § 12201 Trap without a valid license issued under this section.
\$50 plus an amount equal to twice the applicable license fee.

12 § 12260 While in possession of a firearm with a noise suppression device, catch a bear in a trap and cause or allow another person to kill or register that bear.
\$1,000

Trap a bear after that person has killed or registered one during any open season.
\$1,000 minimum

Possess more than one bear in any calendar year.
\$1,000 minimum

12 § 12260-A Person may not trap a bear without a valid bear trapping permit.
\$50 minimum plus an amount equal to twice the applicable permit fee.

Chapter 921 **Wildlife Causing Damage or Nuisance**

12 § 12404 Take or kill wild birds, with the exception of English or European house sparrows, European starlings, rock pigeons, aka rock doves, and wild turkeys under section 12401 and 12402 while in possession of a firearm with a noise suppression device.

\$1,000

Chapter 923

Fish: Fishing Seasons and Restrictions

- 12 § 12457 Fish in inland waters closed to fishing as described in this section.
\$20
- 12 § 12501 Fish for, transport or possess fish without a valid license issued under this section.
\$50 plus an amount equal to twice the applicable license fee.
- 12 § 12504 Conduct a fishing derby or fishing tournament without a valid permit issued under this section.
\$50 plus an amount equal to twice the applicable permit fee.
- 12 § 12504-A Conduct a fishing derby held by an educational institution that awards prizes in excess of \$10,000 for a single fishing derby without a permit.
\$50 minimum plus an amount equal to twice the applicable permit fee.
- 12 § 12505 Conduct a bass tournament in waters free of ice without a permit issued under this section.
\$50 plus an amount equal to twice the applicable permit fee.
- 12 § 12506 Fish or possess eel, sucker, lamprey, or yellow perch without a permit issued under this section.
\$50 plus an amount equal to twice the applicable permit fee.
- 12 § 12507 Cultivate or sell fish that have been commercially grown within the State or imported from outside the State without a valid license issued under this section.
\$50 plus an amount equal to twice the applicable license fee.
- 12 § 12508 Person owning private pond charging others for the opportunity to fish in that private pond without possessing a valid private fee pond license issued by the commissioner under this section.
\$50 plus an amount equal to twice the applicable license fee.
- 12 § 12509 Introduce, import or transport any live fish or gametes into the State or receive or have in that person's possession fish or gametes so introduced, imported or transported without a valid permit issued under this section.
\$1,000-\$10,000
- 12 § 12510 Introduce fish of any kind into any inland waters without a valid permit issued under this section.
\$1,000-\$10,000

- 12 § 12511 Introduce fish or fish spawn into a private pond without a valid permit issued under this section.
\$1,000-\$10,000
- 12 § 12512 Take and transport within the limits of the State fish taken in the State for breeding or advertising purposes without a valid permit issued under this section.
\$1,000-\$10,000
- 12 § 12551-A Possess for resale, sell or offer to sell live smelts, *Osmerus mordax*, or live baitfish, as defined in section 10001, subsection 6, without an appropriate and valid license issued under subsection 3.
\$50 minimum plus an amount equal to twice the applicable permit fee.
- Engage in taking or assist in taking live bait fish for resale from inland waters without a valid baitfish wholesaler's license.
\$50 minimum plus an amount equal to twice the applicable permit fee.
- Engage in taking or assist in taking live smelts for resale from inland waters without a smelt wholesaler's license.
\$50 minimum plus an amount equal to twice the applicable permit fee.
- Sell live smelts for bait fish from more than one facility without an appropriate and valid license for each facility.
\$50 minimum plus an amount equal to twice the applicable permit fee.
- When licensed under this section, receive, possess for resale, sell or offer to sell gift baitfish or gift smelts without an appropriate and valid license issued under subsection 3.
\$50 minimum plus an amount equal to twice the applicable permit fee.
- 12 § 12553 Sell or offer for sale fish as bait for the purpose of fishing except as provided in this subsection and for baitfish as defined in section 10001, subsection 6.
\$20
- Use or possess fish as bait for the purpose of fishing except as provided in this subsection and for baitfish as defined in section 10001, subsection 6.
\$20
- 12 § 12554 Disturb or take any bait fish trap or bait fish holding box or any fish from any bait fish trap or bait fish holding box other than that person's own without the consent of the owner of the bait fish trap or bait fish holding box.
\$20

- 12 § 12556 Import into this State any live fish, including smelts, that are commonly used for bait fishing in inland waters.
\$20
- 12 § 12602 Fish in violation of the number, amount, weight or size limits established by rules by the commissioner.
\$20 per fish or \$20 per quart for violation of smelt limits.
- Possess fish in violation of the number, amount, weight or size limits established by rules by the commissioner.
\$20 per fish or \$20 per quart for violation of smelt limits.
- 12 § 12604 Fish for any fish during the closed season or possess any fish taken during the closed season on that fish.
\$20 per fish
- 12 § 12606 Ice fish in inland waters closed to ice fishing.
\$20 per fish
- 12 § 12607 Introduce fish or fish spawn raised by the department into a private pond.
\$20 per fish
- 12 § 12609-A Directly or indirectly purchase or sell black bass, landlocked salmon, pickerel, togue, trout or white perch.
\$20 per fish
- 12 § 12651 Fish by snagging.
\$20 per fish
- 12 § 12653 Use dynamite or any other explosive, poisonous or stupefying substance at any time for the purpose of taking or destroying any kind of fish.
\$20 per fish
- 12 § 12654 Angle or fish other than by the use of the single baited hook and line, artificial flies, artificial lures and spinners.
\$20 per fish
- 12 § 12656 Possess any grapnel, trawl, weir, seine, gill net or trap or set line on or adjacent to any of the inland waters of the State.
\$20 per fish
- Use any grapnel, spear, spear gun, trawl, weir, gaff, seine, gill net, trap or set lines for fishing.
\$20 per fish

Chapter 925

Fish and Wildlife Management and Research

12 § 12808

Negligently possess, process, sell, offer for sale, deliver, carry, transport or ship, by any means whatsoever, any endangered or threatened species or any part of an endangered or threatened species.

\$1,000

Negligently feed or set bait for any endangered or threatened species.

\$1,000

Intentionally import into the State or export out of the State any endangered or threatened species.

\$2,000

Intentionally hunt, take, trap, harass or possess any endangered or threatened species within the State.

\$2,000

Intentionally possess, process, sell, offer for sale, deliver, carry, transport or ship, by any means whatsoever, any endangered or threatened species or any part of an endangered or threatened species.

\$2,000

Intentionally feed or set bait for any endangered or threatened species.

\$2,000

12 § 12810

Import into the State or export out of the State a delisted species.

\$2,000

Hunt, trap, harass or possess a delisted species with the State.

\$2,000

Process, sell, offer for sale, deliver, carry, transport or ship, by any means whatsoever, a delisted species or any part of a delisted species.

\$2,000

Chapter 927

Guides and Youth Camp Trip Leaders

12 § 12853

Act as a guide without a valid license under this chapter.

\$1,000

12 § 12860

Conduct trip camping under subsection 1 without a trip leader permit issued under this section.

\$50 and an amount equal to twice the applicable permit fee minimum.

Chapter 929

Whitewater Rafting

12 § 12909

Act as a whitewater guide without being 18 years of age or older and having procured a license from the commissioner pursuant to this section.
\$50 and an amount equal to twice the applicable license fee minimum.

Chapter 931

Taxidermists and Hide Dealers

12 § 12953

Practice the art of taxidermy for commercial purposes without a valid taxidermist license.
\$50 and an amount equal to twice the applicable license fee minimum.

12 § 12954

Engaging in any activity for which a hide dealer's license may be issued under subsection 2 without holding a valid hide dealer's license.
\$1,000 and an amount equal to twice the applicable license fee minimum per day.

12 § 12955

Engage in an activity for which a special hide dealer's license may be issued under subsection 2 without a valid special hide dealer's license unless the person holds a valid license issued under section 12954.
\$50 and an amount equal to twice the applicable license fee minimum per day.

Chapter 935

Watercraft and Airmobiles

12 § 13058

Place or operate a motorboat or personal watercraft on the inland waters of the State without a valid lake and river protection sticker issued annually under subsection 3 being permanently affixed to both sides of the bow.
\$100-\$250, which may not be suspended.

12 § 13059

Dealer or manufacturer failing to display the number and validation stickers issued under the dealer's certificate of number on a motorboat being demonstrated or tested.
\$100-\$500

12 § 13068-A

Operate, launch or remove a watercraft at a restricted-access site or refuse inspection of a watercraft in violation of an order issued under Title 38, section 1864.
\$500-\$5,000 per violation, which may not be suspended.

Chapter 937

Snowmobiles

12 § 13109

Engage in the business of selling new or used snowmobiles in the State without registering as a dealer and securing a valid dealer's license from the commissioner.
\$50 minimum plus an amount equal to twice the applicable license fee.

Chapter 939

ATVs

12 § 13160 Engage in the business of selling ATVs in the State without having registered as a dealer and secured a valid dealer's license from the commissioner.
\$50 minimum plus an amount equal to twice the applicable license fee.

Title 13 Corporations

Part 1 **Corporations Generally**

Chapter 5 **Powers and Amendments**

13 § 173 Firm, company or association of persons or stockholders entering into or becoming interested in a trust, combination or association.
\$5,000-\$10,000

Chapter 9 **Contracts and Liabilities**

13 § 334 Agent or person having charge of corporate property failing to furnish to any officer the names of the directors and clerk and a schedule of all property including debts known by him to belong to the corporation.
Not more than 4 times the amount due on execution.

13 § 335 Person having evidence of a debt due to a corporation failing to deliver it to the officer with a written transfer thereof to him for the use of the creditor.
Not more than 4 times the amount due on execution.

13 § 337 Person having custody of corporate books failing to produce them on trial.
Not more than 4 times the amount due on execution.

Part 2 **Corporations Without Capital**

Chapter 81 **General Provisions**

13 § 983 Person, society, association or corporation assuming, adopting or using the name of a benevolent, humane, fraternal or charitable organization or a colorable imitation thereof or calculated to deceive persons.
Not more than \$50.

13 § 984 Wearing or exhibiting the badge, button, emblem, decoration, insignia, or charm or assuming the name of any benevolent, humane, fraternal or charitable corporation without authority.
Not more than \$50.

Chapter 83 **Cemetery Corporations**

13 § 1304 Selling cemetery lots and plots or selling crypts in a community mausoleum or niches in a columbarium for speculative or financial investment purposes or conveying cemetery portions already dedicated to burial purposes as security for debt.
\$100-\$500 (punishable by section 1035)

13 § 1035 Failing to maintain the proper operation of a cemetery.
\$100-\$500

Title 15 Court Procedure Criminal

Chapter 17 **Miscellaneous Provisions**

15 § 455-A Commercial retail sales outlet selling firearms and failing to post firearm warning.
\$200 civil forfeiture.

Title 16 Court Procedure Evidence

Chapter 1 **Witnesses**

16 § 102 Witness failing to appear after being summoned to appear before a judicial tribunal.
Not more than \$100 fine.

16 § 105 Witnesses refusing in court to answer such questions as the court allows to be put.
Not more than \$100 fine.

Title 17 Crimes

Chapter 13-A **Beano or Bingo**

17 § 312 Person, firm, association or corporation holding, conducting or operating the amusement commonly known as "beano" or "bingo" for the entertainment of the public within the State without obtaining a license from the Chief of the State Police.
Not more than \$1,000.

Abet or aid a person, firm, association or corporation to hold, conduct or operate the amusement commonly known as "beano" or "bingo" for the entertainment of the public within the State without obtaining a license from the Chief of the State Police.
Not more than \$1,000.

17 § 320 Conduct beano or bingo in the same room where liquor is sold, served or consumed during the period of one hour before the conduct of the games.
Not more than \$1,000.

Licensee permitting a disorderly person to enter or remain within the room or area where beano or bingo games are being conducted.
Not more than \$1,000.

17 § 325 Person, firm, association or corporation violating a provision of this chapter or a rule of the Chief of the State Police.

Not more than \$1,000.

Person, corporation, partnership or unincorporated association renting or leasing a building or facility to hold, conduct or operate a beano or bingo game without a commercial beano hall permit issued by the Chief of the State Police.

Not more than \$1,000.

Chapter 42

17 § 1031

Animal Welfare

Intentionally, knowingly or recklessly cause extreme physical pain to, kill or torture an animal in a manner manifesting a depraved indifference to animal life or suffering.

\$1,000-\$10,000

Intentional or knowing violation of a court order under this section.

\$500 minimum

17 § 1032

Intentionally, knowingly or recklessly keep or use any live pigeon, fowl or other bird for a target or to be shot at either for amusement or as a test of skill in marksmanship.

\$100 minimum

Intentionally, knowingly or recklessly keep or use any live pigeon, fowl or other bird for a target or to be shot at either for amusement or as a test of skill in marksmanship and at the time of the offense, has 2 or more convictions for violations of similar crimes.

\$100 minimum

Intentionally, knowingly or recklessly shoot at any bird or is present as a party, umpire or judge at such shooting.

\$100 minimum

Intentionally, knowingly or recklessly shooting at any bird or is present as a party, umpire or judge at such shooting and at the time of the offense, has 2 or more convictions for violations of similar crimes.

\$100 minimum

Intentionally, knowingly or recklessly rent any building, shed, room, yard, field or premises or knowingly suffer the use of the building, shed, room, yard, field or premises for these purposes.

\$100 minimum

Intentionally, knowingly or recklessly rent any building, shed, room, yard, field or premises or knowingly suffer the use of the building, shed, room, yard, field or

premises for these purposes and at the time of the offense, has 2 or more convictions for violations of similar crimes.
\$100 minimum

17 § 1033 Knowingly owns, possesses, keeps or trains any animal with the intent that the animal engage in an exhibition of fighting with another animal.
\$500 minimum

Knowingly for amusement or gain, causes any animal to fight with another animal or causes any animals to injure each other.
\$500 minimum

Knowingly permits any act in violation of paragraph A or B to be done on any premises under his charge or control.
\$500 minimum

Chapter 59

Fraud and False Pretenses

17 § 1611

For the purpose of competing for purses or premiums, knowingly and designedly enter or drive any horse that shall have been painted or disguised, or that represents any other or different horse from the one which is purported to be entered, or knowingly and designedly, for the purpose of competing for

premiums or purses, enter or drive a horse in a class to which it does not properly belong.
Not more than \$500.

17 § 1618 Undertakes to do business or does business of any kind in behalf of any corporation, the charter of which has been forfeited or suspended.
\$300

17 § 1636 Represent oneself to be a member of the Passamaquoddy Tribe or the Penobscot Nation while in the vending of goods and wares.
Not more than \$250.

17 § 1661 Any officer, agent or servant of a carrier who, with intent to defraud, issues or aids in issuing a bill knowing that all or any part of the goods for which such bill is issued have not been received.
Not more than \$5,000.

17 § 1662 Any officer, agent or servant of a carrier who, with intent to defraud, issues or aids in issuing a bill of goods, knowing that it contains any false information.
Not more than \$1,000.

Chapter 70 **Salvia Divinorum**

17 § 2012 Person transfers Salvia divinorum to a minor.
\$50-\$1,500, which may not be suspended.

17 § 2013 Possession of Salvia divinorum by minor with 2 or more prior adjudications for possession of Salvia divinorum.
\$500, which may not be suspended.

17 § 2014 Minor offers false identification in an attempt to purchase Salvia divinorum with 2 or more prior adjudications for such conduct.
\$500, which may not be suspended.

Chapter 79 **Littering and Dumping**

17 § 2252 Establish, locate or use any mill used in the sawing of lumber within such proximity to any way of the state as to allow the sawdust therefrom to blow into such highway.
\$10-\$50

17 § 2253 Deposit, or cause or permit to be deposited, any waste matter in any structure or on any land within the state, which waste matter originated outside the state.
\$200-\$2,000

Chapter 80 **Litter Control**

17 § 2264-A Dispose of more than 15 pounds or more than 27 cubic feet of litter.
Not more than \$500 fine, which may not be suspended.

17 § 2264-A Dispose of more than 15 pounds or more than 27 cubic feet of litter after having
previously violated subsection 2.
Not more than \$2,000 fine, which may not be suspended.

Chapter 83

Malicious Mischiefs

17 § 2499

Willfully or maliciously, without consent of the owner, cut away, let loose, injure
or destroy any boom, raft or log or other lumber, or any vessel, gondola, scow or
other boat.
Not more than \$500 fine.

17 § 2506

Advertise wares or occupation by painting notices of the same on, or affixing
them to fences or other private property.
\$5-\$20 fine.

Chapter 91

Nuisances

17 § 2706

Erect, cause or continue a public or common nuisance.
Not more than \$100 fine.

17 § 2793

Placing or maintaining upon or in view of any highway any light so that its beams
or rays are directed at any portion of a public street or highway when the light is
of such brilliance and so positioned as to blind, dazzle or otherwise impair the
vision of a driver of a motor vehicle.
Not more than \$100 fine.

Chapter 105

Religious Assemblies, Holy Days and Holidays

17 § 3205

Engage in or attend outdoor recreational or competitive amateur sport or game
on Sunday in violation of town ordinance.
\$5 fine.

Chapter 127

Trespass

17 § 3853-C A person may not park a motor vehicle or allow a motor vehicle under that person's control to remain parked in a private drive or a private way in a manner that blocks or interferes with the free passage of other vehicles without the permission of the owner of that private drive or way.
\$500 minimum fine.

A person may not park a motor vehicle or allow a motor vehicle under that person's control to remain parked on a public highway in a manner that blocks the entrance to a private driveway, gate or barway.
\$500 minimum fine.

17 § 3859 Willfully and knowingly hunt on wildlife preservation.
Not more than \$50 fine.

17 § 3860 Deny access or egress over unimproved land to a great pond.
Not more than \$100 fine.

Title 17-A Maine Criminal Code

Chapter 9

Offenses Against the Person

17-A § 207

Assault - for intentionally, knowingly or recklessly causing bodily injury or offensive physical contact to another person; or is at least 18 years old and intentionally, knowingly or recklessly causes bodily injury to another person who is less than 6 years old.
\$300 minimum fine.

Note: As a sentencing alternative. May not be suspended.

Chapter 39

Unlawful Gambling

17-A § 954

Intentionally or knowingly advances or profits from unlawful gambling activity.
All income associated with violation.

Under 21 years of age and play a slot machine.
All income associated with violation.

Chapter 45

Drugs

17-A § 1103

Unlawful trafficking in scheduled drugs.
\$400 minimum in addition to any other authorized sentencing alternative pursuant to 17-A § 1126.

17-A § 1104

Trafficking in or furnishing counterfeit drugs.

\$400 minimum in addition to any other authorized sentencing alternative pursuant to 17-A § 1126.

- 17-A § 1105-A Aggravated trafficking of scheduled drugs.
\$400 minimum in addition to any other authorized sentencing alternative pursuant to 17-A § 1126.
- 17-A § 1105-B Aggravated trafficking of furnishing of counterfeit drugs.
\$400 minimum in addition to any other authorized sentencing alternative pursuant to 17-A § 1126.
- 17-A § 1105-C Aggravated furnishing of scheduled drugs.
\$400 minimum in addition to any other authorized sentencing alternative pursuant to 17-A § 1126.
- 17-A § 1105-D Aggravated cultivating of marijuana.
\$400 minimum in addition to any other authorized sentencing alternative pursuant to 17-A § 1126.
- 17-A § 1106 Unlawfully furnishing scheduled drugs.
\$400 minimum in addition to any other authorized sentencing alternative pursuant to 17-A § 1126.
- 17-A § 1107-A Unlawful possession of scheduled drugs.
\$400 minimum in addition to any other authorized sentencing alternative pursuant to 17-A § 1126.
- 17-A § 1108 Acquiring drugs by deception.
\$400 minimum in addition to any other authorized sentencing alternative pursuant to 17-A § 1126.
- 17-A § 1109 Stealing drugs.
\$400 minimum in addition to any other authorized sentencing alternative pursuant to 17-A § 1126.
- 17-A § 1110 Trafficking in or furnishing hypodermic apparatuses.
\$400 minimum in addition to any other authorized sentencing alternative pursuant to 17-A § 1126.
- 17-A § 1111 Illegal possession of hypodermic apparatuses.
\$400 minimum in addition to any other authorized sentencing alternative pursuant to 17-A § 1126.

- 17-A § 1111-A The person trafficks in or furnishes drug paraphernalia knowing it will be used to plant, propagate, cultivate, grow, harvest, manufacture, compound, convert, produce, process, prepare, test, analyze, pack, repack, store, contain, conceal, inject, ingest, inhale or otherwise introduce into the human body a scheduled drug in violation of this chapter or Title 22, section 2383 (Possession of marijuana).
\$400 minimum in addition to any other authorized sentencing alternative pursuant to 17-A § 1126.
- Use drug paraphernalia to plant, propagate, cultivate, grow, harvest, manufacture, compound, convert, produce, process, prepare, test, analyze, pack, repack, store, contain, conceal, inject, ingest, inhale or otherwise introduce into the human body a scheduled drug in violation of this chapter or Title 22, section 2383 (Possession of marijuana).
\$300
- Possess with intent to use drug paraphernalia to plant, propagate, cultivate, grow, harvest, manufacture, compound, convert, produce, process, prepare, test, analyze, pack, repack, store, contain, conceal, inject, ingest, inhale or otherwise introduce into the human body a scheduled drug in violation of this chapter or Title 22, section 2383 (Possession of marijuana).
\$300
- 17-A § 1116 Trafficking or furnishing imitation scheduled drugs.
\$400 minimum in addition to any other authorized sentencing alternative pursuant to 17-A § 1126.
- 17-A § 1117 Cultivating marijuana.
\$400 minimum in addition to any other authorized sentencing alternative pursuant to 17-A § 1126.
- 17-A § 1118 Illegal importation of scheduled drugs.
\$400 minimum in addition to any other authorized sentencing alternative pursuant to 17-A § 1126.
- 17-A § 1126 In addition to any other authorized sentencing alternative specified in section 1502, subsection 2 for individuals of section 1502, subsection 7 for organizations \$400 minimum for an individual convicted of a crime under section 1103, 1104, 1105-A, 1105-B, 1105-C, 1105-D, 1106, 1107-A, 1108, 1109, 1110, 1111, 1111-A, subsection 4-A, 1116, 1117, or 1118.

Title 19-A Domestic Relations

Chapter 29

19-A § 954

Divorce

Employer who discharges from employment, refuses to employ or takes disciplinary action against a responsible parent because of the existence of a lien, order to withhold and deliver or assignment of earnings and the obligations or additional obligations that it imposes upon the employer.

Not more than \$5,000 fine.

Chapter 65

19-A § 2367

Support Enforcement

Employer who discharges from employment, refuses to employ or takes disciplinary action against any obligor because of the existence of a Withholding Order.

Not more than \$5,000 fine.

Title 20-A Education

Part 3

Elementary and Secondary Education

Chapter 225

20-A § 6804

Penalties

Enter the property of a school or another place of instruction while teacher or student is present, and willfully interrupt or disturb the teacher or student.

\$200-\$500

20-A § 6806

Deface, damage or destroy the walls, benches, seats, blackboards or other parts of a schoolhouse or school outbuilding.

Violator shall pay double the damages.

Part 6

Teachers

Chapter 501

20-A § 13004

Credentialing of Teachers

Using records of state certified teachers for improper means.

Not more than \$500.

Title 22 Health and Welfare

Part 2

State and Local Health Agencies

Chapter 153

22 § 461

Local Health Officers

Willfully violating notices issued by health officer, regarding dwellings unfit for human occupation.

\$10-\$50 fine.

Chapter 160

22 § 690

Radiation Protection Act

Violating any licensing or registration provision of this chapter.

Not more than \$10,000 for each violation or \$100,000 for any willful and wanton violation.

Part 3

Chapter 262-A

Public Health

Retail Tobacco Sales

22 § 1554-A

Any employee or employer engaging in the sale of unpackaged cigarettes.
\$10-\$100 fine.

22 § 1554-B

Engage in retail tobacco sales or in free distribution of tobacco products in the ordinary course of trade in this State without a valid license.
\$300-\$500 fine plus court costs, neither may be suspended, or imprisonment of not more than 30 days.
With one prior conviction for violating this section at the time of violation, \$500-\$1000 fine plus court costs, neither may be suspended, or imprisonment of not more than 60 days.
With two or more prior convictions for violating this section at the time of violation, \$1,000 minimum plus court costs, neither may be suspended, and imprisonment of 60 days. As a sentencing alternative an additional term of imprisonment of not more than 4 months may be imposed.

Note: violation of this section is a strict liability crime.

22 § 1555-B

Fail to sell tobacco products at retail in a direct, face-to-face exchange in which the purchaser may be clearly identified.
\$300 minimum fine plus court costs, fine may not be suspended.
\$600 minimum fine for the second offense plus court costs, fine may not be suspended.
\$1,000 minimum fine for each subsequent offense plus court costs, fine may not be suspended.

Sell, furnish, give away or offer to sell, furnish or give away a tobacco product to any person under 21 years of age unless the person has attained 18 years as of 7/1/18.
\$300 minimum for the first offense fine plus court costs, fine may not be suspended.
\$600 minimum fine for the second offense plus court costs, fine may not be suspended.
\$1,000 minimum fine for each subsequent offense plus court costs, fine may not be suspended.

Sale of tobacco products through vending machines not in accordance with Title 22, section 1553-A.
\$300 minimum fine plus court costs, fine may not be suspended.
\$600 minimum fine for the second offense plus court costs, fine may not be suspended.
\$1,000 minimum fine for each subsequent offense plus court costs, fine may not be suspended.

4 Fail to distribute tobacco products at wholesale under procedures approved by the Bureau of Revenue Services to ensure that tobacco products are not provided to any person under 21 years of age.

\$300 minimum fine plus court costs, fine may not be suspended.

\$600 minimum fine for the second offense plus court costs, fine may not be suspended.

\$1,000 minimum fine for each subsequent offense plus court costs, fine may not be suspended.

5-C Person under 21 years of age offering false identification in an attempt to purchase a tobacco product after having previously violated this subsection 2 or more times.

\$500 fine, which may not be suspended.

22 §1555-E

Manufacturer, distributor, agent or other person sells or offers to sell, other than through retail sale, non-reduced ignition cigarettes

Not more than \$10,000 per each sale.

Not more than \$25,000 per each sale with one or more prior adjudications, except that the fine against any one person or entity may not exceed \$100,000 during any 30-day period.

Tobacco retailer sells 1000 or fewer non-reduced ignition cigarettes

Not more than \$500 per each sale.

Not more than \$2,000 per each sale with one or more prior adjudications, except that the fine against a tobacco retailer may not exceed \$25,000 during a 30-day period.

Tobacco retailer sells more than 1000 non-reduced ignition cigarettes

Not more than \$1,000 per each sale.

Not more than \$5,000 per each sale with one or more prior adjudications except that the fine against a tobacco retailer may not exceed \$25,000 during a 30-day period.

Manufacturer falsely certifies that cigarettes have been tested and have performed in accordance with reduced ignition requirements.

\$75,000 minimum for each false certification.

\$75,000-\$250,000 for each false certification with one or more prior adjudications.

Any other violation of reduced ignition propensity cigarettes requirements set forth in this section.

Not more than \$1,000.

Not more than \$5,000 for subsequent violations.

Chapter 263

22 § 1562

Offenses Against Public Health

Depositing the carcass of a dead horse, cow, sheep, hog, or of any domestic animals or domestic fowl or parts thereof in any place where it may cause a nuisance.

\$10-\$100 or by imprisonment for not more than 3 months.

Chapter 263-A

22 § 1586

Compressed Air

Violating the provisions of this chapter, including licensing and inspections.

\$100-\$500 fine, or by imprisonment for not more than 6 months, or by both.

Chapter 265

22 § 1606

Mass Gatherings

Violating the provisions of this chapter requiring permits for any gathering held outdoors with the intent to attract the continued attendance of 2,000 or more persons for 12 hours or more.

Not more than \$5,000 or by imprisonment for not more than 11 months, or by both.

Part 4

Chapter 404

22 § 1781

Hospitals and Medical Care

Private Mental Hospitals

Establishing or keeping a private hospital or private house without a license or after revocation or during license suspension.

Not more than \$500.

Chapter 411

22 § 2038

Maine Medical Laboratory Act

Operate, maintain, direct or engage in the business of operating a medical laboratory without a license or under the direct and responsible supervision of the person possessing required qualifications.

\$50-\$500 fine, or by imprisonment for not more than one year, or by both.

Part 5

Chapter 558

22 § 2383

Food and Drugs

Marijuana, Scheduled Drugs, Imitation Scheduled Drugs and Hypodermic Apparatuses

Person under 21 years who possesses up to 1.25 oz of marijuana
\$350-\$600

Person under 21 years of age who possesses 1.25 oz to 2.5 oz of marijuana
\$700-\$1,000

22 § 2383-C Unlawfully inhale, ingest, apply or smell the gases, vapors or fumes of any gas, hazardous inhalant or substance to cause intoxication or dulling of the brain.
\$100-\$500

Unlawfully possess any gas, hazardous inhalant or substance with the intent to use.
\$100-\$500

22 § 2389 Illegal transportation of drugs by minor.
Not more than \$500 for a first offense
\$200 minimum for a second offense
\$400 minimum for subsequent offenses

Note: Second and subsequent offense fines may not be suspended.

Chapter 562 **Camping Area, Eating Places**

22 § 2498 Failing licensing and inspection requirements and compliance determinations, in camping areas and eating places and violating menu labeling requirements for chain restaurants.
\$25-\$200 for first violation
\$200-\$500 for subsequent violation

Chapter 601 **Water for Human Consumption**

22 § 2604 Any school which takes water from a source other than a public water system failing to submit samples or such water for analysis.
Not more than \$500.

Part 6 **Births, marriages and Deaths**

Chapter 709 **Disposal of Dead Bodies**

22 § 2888 Person having duties enjoined upon him by Chapter 709 (Disposal of dead bodies), neglecting, refusing or omitting to perform those duties.
\$100-\$500

Title 23 Transportation

Part 1 **State Highway Law**

Chapter 13 **Construction, Maintenance and Repairs**

23 § 704 Constructing or maintaining a driveway, entrance or approach within the right-of-way of any state highway or state aid highway.
Not more than \$100 per day per violation.

23 § 1114 Preservation of existing monuments or mark designating the boundary line of the state.

Not more than \$50, or by imprisonment for not more than 6 months, or by both.

Chapter 15

Protection of Highways

23 § 1253-A

Operating a vehicle in violation of stop signs at highway-railroad grade crossings.

Not more than \$50 or by imprisonment for not more than 60 days, or by both.

23 § 1254

Unlawfully removing, injuring or tampering with any warning, caution, or directional sign described in sections 59, 1251, 1252, and 1253-A of Title 23.

\$10-\$50 fine.

23 § 1351

Violating rules relating to traffic control signals, device, signs and markings.

Not more than \$100 or by imprisonment for not more than 90 days, or by both.

Chapter 21

Maine Traveler Information Services

23 § 1920

Erecting, maintaining or displaying a sign contrary to and in violation of Chapter 21 (Travelers Information Services), Title 23 (Highways).

Not more than \$100.

Chapter 24

Maine Turnpike

23 § 1980

Violating rules relating to the turnpike or its use or services.

Not more than \$500 fine.

Part 3

Local Highway Law

Chapter 31

General Provisions

23 § 2851

Violating restriction placed by municipal officers, designating public streets, roads or sidewalks whereon people may slide with any vehicle.

\$5 fine.

Part 7

Railroads

Chapter 611

Safety Provisions

23 § 7004

Railroad employee intoxicated on duty.

Not more than \$100 fine or by imprisonment of not more than 6 months.

23 § 7005

Negligence or carelessness of railroad employee causing injury.

Not more than \$1,000 or by imprisonment for not more than 11 months, but the corporation employing him is not thereby exempt from responsibility.

- 23 § 7008 Failure to post a copy of section 7007 in a conspicuous place in every railroad passenger station.
\$100 for every offense.
- 23 § 7009 Entering or leaving a moving train.
Not more than \$10 fine or by imprisonment for not more than 30 days.
- 23 § 7011 Injuring or tampering with railroad signals.
Not more than \$500 fine or by imprisonment for not more than 2 years.

Title 24-A Maine Insurance Code

Chapter 5

Authorization of Insurers and General Requirements

- 24-A § 404 Insurer willfully negotiating insurance contracts without certificate of authority.
Not more than \$5,000.
- 24-A § 479 Violating insurance emergency orders.
Not more than \$1,000.

Chapter 47

Organization, Corporate Powers, Procedures of Domestic Legal Reserve Stock and Mutual Insurers

- 24-A § 3408 Removing all or a material part of the records or assets of a domestic insurer.
Not more than \$10,000.
- 24-A § 3424 Insurer failing to comply with restriction or requirement of the superintendent.
\$500-\$5,000

Chapter 57

Delinquent Insurers

- 24-A § 4407 Having possession or custody of and refusing to deliver to the superintendent or his representative upon request any of the property, books, accounts, documents or other records of an insurer against whom a seizure order or summary order has been issued.
Not more than \$10,000.

Chapter 73

Continuing Care Retirement Communities

- 24-A § 6217 Violating continuing care retirement commission regulations.
Not more than \$1,000; if willful, not more than \$10,000.

Title 25 Internal Security and Public Safety

Chapter 5

Radiation

25 § 50 Violating any lawful order of the Governor or the person acting in that capacity or any person to whom authority has been delegated or any lawful order of the Maine State Police or National Guard.
\$100-\$500

Chapter 315 **Investigation of Fire Hazards and Causes**

25 § 2392 Owner or occupant of building or structure who neglects to comply with the order of the State Fire Marshall or public safety inspector.
\$100 minimum

25 § 2401 Municipal Fire Inspector or any insurance company neglecting or refusing to perform any duty required by Chapter 315.
\$10-\$100

Chapter 351 **Department of Public Safety**

25 § 2906 Violation of parking regulations.
\$10 minimum

Title 26 Labor and Industry

Chapter 3 **Bureau of Labor**

26 § 46 Giving advance notice of any Bureau of Labor Standards Inspection conducted under Chapter 3, (Bureau of Labor Standards), Title 26 (Labor and Industry).
\$25-\$20,000

Chapter 5 **Health and Safety Regulations**

26 § 354 Violating sanitation on railroad property rules.
Not more than \$1,000.

Chapter 7 **Employment Practices**

26 § 626-A Violations of employment practices including payment of wages, record keeping, payment after employment ends, wage discrimination.
\$100-\$500 for each violation.

26 § 631 Employer failing to provide employee with copy of personnel file without good cause.
\$25 civil forfeiture for each day, not to exceed \$500.

26 § 671 Violating minimum wage, including failing to abide, failing to pay overtime, and firing an employee for filing complaints.
\$50-\$200 fine.

- 26 § 783 Person, being authorized to issue a work permit, knowingly failing to perform the duties of his office under employment of minors sub-chapter IV (Chapter 7, Title 26)
\$25-\$50
- 26 § 784 Person signing any certified copy of a town clerk's record of birth or certified copy of a child's baptismal record or a physician's certificate, knowingly certifying to any false statement therein.
\$25-\$50
- 26 § 839 Failing to prominently post notice of employee protections and obligations.
\$10 for each day of willful violation, which shall not be suspended.
- 26 § 856 Violating policies allowing labor strikes or lockouts, and to prohibit the recruitment and furnishing of professional strikebreakers to replace the employees involved in labor strikes or lockouts.
Not more than \$300.
- 26 § 872 Employer failing to show proof of ownership of equipment for employers using foreign laborers.
\$5,000-\$25,000.

Chapter 13 **Unemployment Compensation**

- 26 § 1221 Knowingly violate or attempt to violate paragraph A or B or any other provision of this chapter related to determining the assignment of a contribution rate or knowingly advise another person in a way that results in a violation of such a provision.
Not more than \$5,000

Title 28-A Liquors

Part 3 **Licenses for Sale of Liquor**

Chapter 29 **License Restrictions**

- 28-A § 714 Possessing an unlabeled keg purchased in Maine.
\$500 Forfeiture

Part 6 **Prohibited Acts and Penalties**

Chapter 81 **Prohibited Acts by Minors**

28-A §2051 Minor purchasing, consuming, having on the minor’s person liquor or imitation liquor, including having on the minor’s person liquor or imitation liquor in any premises licensed for the sale of liquor to be consumed on the premises.
\$200-\$400 for the first violation.
\$300-\$600, or community service in lieu of fine for a second violation.
\$600, or community service in lieu of fine for subsequent violations.

Minor presenting or offering to a licensee, the licensee's agent or employee written or oral evidence of age that is false, fraudulent or not actually the minor's own, for the purpose of ordering, purchasing, attempting to purchase or other procuring or attempting to procure the serving of any liquor or imitation liquor.
\$200-\$400 for the first violation.
\$300-\$600, or community service in lieu of fine for a second violation.
\$600, or community service in lieu of fine for subsequent violations.

Minor having in the minor's possession a false identification card, or selling, furnishing or giving a false identification card to a minor.
\$200-\$400 for the first violation.
\$300-\$600, or community service in lieu of fine for a second violation.
\$600, or community service in lieu of fine for subsequent violations.

Minor having in the minor's possession equipment specifically constructed, manufactured or marketed for the purpose of brewing malt liquor or fermenting or making wine.
\$200-\$400 for the first violation.
\$300-\$600, or community service in lieu of fine for a second violation.
\$600, or community service in lieu of fine for subsequent violations.

28-A § 2052 Minor knowingly transport or knowingly permit to be transported liquor in a motor vehicle under the minor's control after having previously violated this section.
\$200-\$500

Minor knowingly transport or knowingly permit to be transported liquor in a motor vehicle under the minor's control after having previously violated this section 2 or more times.
\$400-\$500

Chapter 83 **Prohibited Acts in General**

28-A § 2075 Illegally import or cause to be shipped into the State spirits in a quantity of less than 10 gallons.
Not more than \$500.

28-A § 2077 Illegally transport into or within the State wine or malt liquor in a quantity of less than 10 gallons.
Not more than \$500.

28-A § 2078 Selling liquor in Maine without a valid license.
\$300-\$500 plus costs for the first offense.
\$300-\$500 plus costs for the second offense.
\$1,000 plus costs for subsequent offense.

Note: fines and costs may not be suspended.

28-A § 2081 Knowingly procure, or in any way aid or assist in procuring, furnishing, giving, selling or delivering liquor for or to a minor and the minor is less than 18 years of age.
\$500 minimum fine.
\$1,000 minimum fine for a second violation within a 6-year period.
\$1,500 minimum fine for any subsequent violation within a 6-year period.

Allow a minor under person's control or in a place under that person's control to possess or consume liquor and the minor is less than 18 years of age.
\$1,000 minimum.
\$2,000 minimum for violation after having been previously convicted of violating this section within a 6-year period.

28-A § 2088 Use vaporized alcohol or an alcohol vaporizing device.
\$250-\$500
\$500-\$3,000 after having been previously adjudicated as violating this subsection.

Sell, furnish or give away or offer for sale or offer to furnish or give away vaporized alcohol or an alcohol vaporizing device.
\$500-\$1,000
\$1,000-\$5,000 after having been previously adjudicated as violating this subsection.

28-A § 2089 Possessing or using alcohol in a powdered or crystalline form.
\$250-\$500
\$500-\$3,000 after having been previously adjudicated for committing this offense.

Selling, furnishing, giving away, or offering for sale, offering to furnish, or offering to give away alcohol in a powdered or crystalline form.
\$500-\$1,000
\$1,000-\$5,000 after having been previously adjudicated for committing this offense.

Title 29-A Motor Vehicles and Traffic

Chapter 1

General Provisions

29-A § 103

Traffic infraction.

\$25-\$500, unless specifically authorized, or suspension or a license, or both.

Chapter 5

Vehicle Registration

29-A § 525

Displaying or causing or permitting to be displayed a false decal or permit or a decal or permit issued to another person.

\$250 minimum, which may not be suspended.

29-A § 532

Present altered credentials.

\$500 minimum

29-A § 558-A

Violation(s) of Title 29-A, Chapter 5, Subchapter 2 or a rule adopted pursuant to that subchapter discovered during a compliance review as that term is defined in 49 C.F.R. sec. 385.3.

Not more than the fine amount provided in the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration's uniform fine assessment program.

Chapter 7

Title to Vehicles

29-A § 662

Transfer to interest in vehicle; transfer to dealer - for a dealer licenses under chapter 9 who acquires a vehicle but fails to possess a transfer form in accordance with section 752, or for failing to possess a properly completed transfer form.

\$200 minimum

Chapter 9

Dealers

29-A § 903

Grounds for denying, suspending, revoking or modifying dealer license; Continuing business - for continuing to engage in the business of buying or selling of vehicles after suspension or revocation of the dealer license.

\$200 minimum, which may not be suspended.

29-A § 1002 Violation of vehicle and equipment dealer plate.
\$200 minimum penalty, which may not be suspended.

29-A § 1108 Continuing to engage in salvage, recycler, scrap business after license suspension.
\$200 minimum, which may not be suspended.

Chapter 19 **Operation**

29-A § 2054 Failing to yield right of way to emergency vehicle using visual light or audible signal.
\$250 minimum

29-A § 2075 Operating vehicle 1-15 miles per hour over restricted speed limit in construction or maintenance area.
Twice the amount designated by the Chief Judge for violation of similar provision in section 2073.

Operating vehicle 16-25 miles per hour over restricted speed limit in construction or maintenance area.
Twice the amount designated by the Chief Judge for violation of similar provision in section 2073.

Operating vehicle 26-29 miles per hour over restricted speed limit in construction or maintenance area.
Twice the amount designated by the Chief Judge for violation of similar provision in section 2073.

29-A § 2081 Children under 40 pounds - for failing to properly secure a child under 40 pounds in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions in child safety seat.
\$50 for first offense
\$125 for second offense
\$250 for subsequent offenses
Note: fines imposed by this subsection may not be suspended.

Use of safety seat belts; Passengers less than 18 years of age - for failing to be equipped with seat belts while riding in a vehicle and under the age of 18.
\$50 for first offense
\$125 for second offense
\$250 for subsequent offenses
Note: fines imposed by this subsection may not be suspended.

Passenger 18 years of age or older not using safety belts.

\$50 for first offense

\$125 for second offense

\$250 for subsequent offenses

Note: fines imposed by this subsection may not be suspended.

29-A § 2308 Passing stopped school bus with red lights flashing; vehicle operator.
\$250 minimum

Chapter 21 **Weight, Dimension and Protection of Ways**

29-A § 2395 Violating the restriction of weight or passage of a vehicle over any way
when such passage is unsafe or likely to cause excessive damage to the
way or bridge.
\$250 fine, which may not be suspended.

Chapter 23 **Major Offenses – Suspension and Revocation**

29-A § 2411 Operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of alcohol, an
intoxicant, or while having an alcohol level of 0.08 grams or more of
alcohol per 100 milliliters of blood or 210 liters of breath.
\$500 minimum with no previous OUI offense within a 10-year period.
\$700 minimum with one previous OUI offense within a 10-year period.
\$1,100 minimum with two previous OUI offenses within a 10-year period
\$2,100 minimum with three or more previous OUI offenses within a 10-
year period.

Operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of alcohol, an
intoxicant, or while having an alcohol level of 0.08 grams or more of
alcohol per 100 milliliters of blood or 210 liters of breath and failing to
submit to a test at the request of a law enforcement officer.
\$600 minimum with no previous OUI offense within a 10-year period.
\$900 minimum with one previous OUI offense within a 10-year period.
\$1,400 minimum with two previous OUI offenses within a 10-year period.
\$2,500 minimum with three or more previous OUI offenses within a 10-
year period.

Operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of drug(s) or a
combination of drug(s) and alcohol.
\$500 minimum with no previous OUI offense within a 10-year period.
\$700 minimum with one previous OUI offense within a 10-year period.
\$1,100 minimum with two previous OUI offenses within a 10-year period.

\$2,100 minimum with three or more previous OUI offenses within a 10-year period.

Operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of drug(s) or a combination of drug(s) and alcohol and failing to submit to a test at the request of a law enforcement officer.

\$600 minimum with no previous OUI offenses within a 10-year period.

\$900 minimum with one previous OUI offense within a 10-year period.

\$1,400 minimum with two previous OUI offenses within a 10-year period.

\$2,500 minimum with three or more previous OUI offenses within a 10-year period.

Violating the above paragraphs and in fact causing serious bodily injury to another person.

\$2,100 minimum

Violating the above paragraphs and in fact causing the death of another person or with a prior conviction for a Class B or Class C crime under this section or a prior criminal homicide conviction involving or resulting from the operation of a motor vehicle while under the influence of intoxicating liquor or drugs or with an alcohol level of 0.08 grams or more of alcohol per 100 milliliters of blood or 210 liters of breath.

\$2,100 minimum

Note: None of the penalties imposed by this section may be suspended.

Surcharge of \$30 for conviction under this section.

Surcharge of \$125 if the person operated or attempted to operate a motor vehicle under the influence of drugs or a combination of liquor and drugs.

29-A § 2412-A Operate a motor vehicle on a public way or in a parking area when that person's license has been suspended or revoked.
\$250 minimum for first offense.
\$500 minimum for subsequent offenses.

Operate a motor vehicle on a public way or in a parking area when that person's license has been suspended or revoked and the suspension was for OUI or an OUI offense.
\$600 minimum

Operate a motor vehicle on a public way or in a parking area when that person's license has been suspended or revoked and the suspension was for OUI or an OUI offense, the person was subject to the mandatory minimum sentence and the person has prior conviction for violating this section.
\$1,000 minimum with one prior conviction.
\$2,000 minimum with two prior convictions.
\$3,000 minimum with three or more prior convictions.

Operate a motor vehicle on a public way or in a parking area when that person's license has been suspended or revoked and the person has one or more prior convictions for violating this section.
\$500 minimum

Operate a motor vehicle on a public way or in a parking area when that person's license has been suspended or revoked and the person has three or more prior convictions for violating this section.
\$3,000 minimum

Note: fines imposed by this section may not be suspended.

29-A § 2413 Driving a vehicle in any place in a manner that endangers the property of another or a person, including the operator or passenger in the vehicle being driven.
\$575 minimum, which may not be suspended (mandatory sentencing alternative)

With criminal negligence, drive a vehicle in any place in a manner that endangers the property of another or a person, including the operator or passenger in the vehicle being driven, and causes serious bodily injury to another person.
\$575 minimum, which may not be suspended (mandatory sentencing alternative)

- 29-A § 2508 A person whose driver's license has been reinstated conditioned upon the person's use of an ignition interlock device operating a motor vehicle that does not have an ignition interlock device or tampers with, disables or otherwise circumvents the interlock device.
\$500 minimum, which may not be suspended.
- 29-A § 2557-A Operating a motor vehicle on a public way when that person's license to operate a motor vehicle has been revoked under this subchapter or former Title 29, chapter 18-A or after having one or more prior convictions for violating former § 2557, this § or § 2558, violates § 2412-A.
\$500 minimum if no prior convictions for operating after revocation under this section or under former Title 29 § 2998 within the previous 10 years and the person has not received an OUI conviction within the previous 10 years.
\$1,000 minimum if one conviction for operating after revocation under this section or under former Title 29 § 2298 within the previous 10 years or has one OUI conviction within the previous 10 years.
\$1,000 minimum if two convictions for operating after revocation under this section or under former Title 29 § 2298 within the previous 10 years or has two OUI convictions within the previous 10 years.
\$1,000 minimum if three or more convictions for operating after revocation under this section or under former Title 29 § 2298 within the previous 10 years or has three or more OUI convictions within the previous 10 years.
- 29-A § 2558 Operate a motor vehicle on a public way when that person's license to operate a motor vehicle has been revoked under this subchapter or former Title 29, chapter 18-A or after having one or more prior convictions for violating former section 2557, this section or section 2558, violates section 2412-A and at the time of the violation the person commits a violation of section 2411, 2413, 2414, 2414(4) and speeding over 30 miles per hour or more.
\$500 minimum for first offense.

\$1,000 minimum with one qualifying prior offense.
\$2,000 minimum with two qualifying prior offenses.
\$3,000 minimum for three or more qualifying prior offenses.

Operate a motor vehicle on a public way when that person's license to operate a motor vehicle has been revoked under this subchapter or former Title 29, chapter 18-A or after having one or more prior convictions for violating former section 2557, this section or section 2558, violates section 2412-A and the person has prior convictions.

\$500 minimum for first offense.
\$1,000 minimum with one qualifying prior offense.
\$2,000 minimum with two qualifying prior offenses.
\$3,000 minimum for three or more qualifying prior offenses.

Title 30-A Municipalities and Counties

Part 1

Counties

Chapter 13

County Jails and Jailers

30-A § 1556

Obstructing or assisting a furloughed prisoner after cease and desist order from sheriff.

Not more than \$500 or by imprisonment for not more than 11 months, or both.

Part 2

Municipalities

Chapter 141

Ordinance Authority and Limitations

30-A § 3009

Parking in a parking space clearly marked as a handicapped parking space and not having a special registration place or placard.

\$200-\$500

Chapter 159

Public Dumps

30-A § 3352

Depositing substances in public dumping ground other than in prescribed manner.

\$10-\$100

Chapter 183

Economic Regulation

30-A § 3778

Violating Scrap Metal Processors regulations.

\$1,000

\$3,000 after one prior adjudication of this subchapter.

\$4,500 after 2 or more adjudications of this subchapter.

30-A § 3784

Violating the "going out of business sale" regulations.

Not more than \$100 or by imprisonment for not more than 30 days, or both.

- 30-A § 3821 Failing to keep a hotel guest register or failing to make the register available for proper inspection.
\$100-\$500 or by imprisonment for not more than 90 days for each offense, or both.
- 30-A § 3834 Refusing to leave a place when requested to do so by the owner, manager, clerk, agent or employee of the owner or manager.
\$100-\$500 or by imprisonment for not more than 90 days for each offense, or both.
- 30-A § 3835 Removing or attempting to remove hotel or restaurant property.
Not more than \$1,000 or by imprisonment for not more than 11 months, or both.
- 30-A § 3836 Intentionally destroying or damaging hotel or restaurant property.
not more than \$1,000 or by imprisonment for not more than 11 months, or both.

Chapter 221 **Municipal Treasurer**

- 30-A § 5604 Treasurer paying out municipal funds without itemized claim or account.
Not more than \$300 or by imprisonment for not more than 30 days, or both.

Chapter 223 **Municipal Finances**

- 30-A § 5802 Municipal official using municipal reserve funds in an unauthorized manner.
Not more than \$2,000.

Title 32 Professions and Occupations

Chapter 2 **Nursing Home Administrators Licensing Board**

- 32 § 68 Engaging in the business of a licensed administrator without a valid license.
\$1,000-\$5,000

Chapter 3-A **Architects, Landscape Architects and Interior Designers**

- 32 § 220 Practicing, professing to be, or permitting to be represented as an architect or landscape architect without a valid license.
\$1,000-\$5,000
- 32 § 220-B Using the title “certified interior designer” without a valid license.
\$1,000-\$5,000

<u>Chapter 5-B</u>	<u>Auctioneers</u>
32 § 287	Engaging in the business of auctioneering, profess or advertise to be an auctioneer or advertise the sale of real, personal or mixed property by auction without a valid auctioneer's license. \$1,000-\$5,000
<u>Chapter 9</u>	<u>Chiropractors</u>
32 § 454	Engaging in the practice of chiropractor without a valid license. \$1,000-\$5,000
32 § 557	Professing to be or permitting one's self to be represented as a licensed chiropractor. \$1,000-\$5,000
	Performing other than at the direction and under the supervision of a chiropractor licensed by the board. \$1,000-\$5,000
	Chiropractic assistant performing a task he has not been trained or is not clinically competent to perform. \$1,000-\$5,000
<u>Chapter 17</u>	<u>Electricians</u>
32 § 1201	Electrical installation made by one without a valid electrician license. \$1,000-\$5,000
<u>Chapter 22</u>	<u>American Sign Language Interpreters</u>
32 § 1525	Providing interpreting services as defined in this chapter for compensation or remuneration without a valid license. \$1,000-\$5,000
<u>Chapter 24-A</u>	<u>Liquid Propane Dealers</u>
32 § 1696	Liquid propane dealer deposit violation. Not more than \$500.
<u>Chapter 27</u>	<u>Manufacturers and Bottlers of Nonalcoholic Beverages</u>
32 § 1752	Manufacturers or bottlers of non-alcohol violation, Chapter 27, Title 32. Not more than \$100 for the first offense. Not more than \$200 for subsequent offenses.
<u>Chapter 32</u>	<u>Occupational Therapy Practice</u>

32 § 2276 Practice, or profess to be authorized to practice occupational therapy, as an occupational therapist or certified occupational therapy assistant in this State unless licensed.
\$1,000-\$5,000

Chapter 45-A **Physical Therapist Practice Act**

32 § 3118 Practicing or holding out as authorized to practice as a physical therapist, without having obtained a license to do so.
\$1,000-\$5,000

Chapter 49 **Plumbers**

32 § 3304 Engaging in or working in plumbing without a license.
\$1,000-\$5,000

32 § 3501 Licensed person performing the installation, repair or replacement of a water well pump in violation of the code of performance.
Not more than \$1,000.

Chapter 51 **Podiatrists**

32 § 3552 Practicing podiatry or claiming to be licensed as a podiatrist without first obtaining a license.
\$1,000-\$5,000

Chapter 56 **Psychologists**

32 § 3814 Holding out to the public as a psychologist or psychological examiner or engaging in psychology without a valid license.
\$1,000-\$5,000

Chapter 69-C **Maine Water Well Commission**

32 § 4700-L Willfully violating well drillers and pump installers licensure requirements.
Not more than \$1,000.

Chapter 71-A **Maine Veterinary Practice Act of 1975**

32 § 4870 Practicing Veterinary medicine without a currently valid license or permit.
\$1,000-\$5,000

Chapter 73 **Geologists and Soil Scientists**

32 § 4903 Practicing geology or soil science without a valid license.
\$1,000-\$5,000

Chapter 76 **Forester Licensing**

32 § 5502 Practicing forestry or advertise or offer to practice forestry without a valid license.

\$1,000-\$5,000

Chapter 81

Alcohol and Drug Counselors

32 § 6205

Representing one's self to be or assuming a title of a registered or licensed substance abuse counselor without being licensed to do so.

\$1,000-\$5,000

Chapter 83

Social Workers

32 § 7002

Representing to the public or using the title of social worker without being licensed to do so.

\$1,000-\$5,000

Chapter 97

Respiratory Care Practitioners

32 § 9705

Practicing or holding out to be a respiratory care practitioner without a valid license.

\$1,000-\$5,000

Chapter 103

Medical Radiation Health and Safety Act

32 § 9860-A

Practicing or professing authorization to practice as a radiographer, a nuclear medicine technologist, or a radiation therapist without a valid license.

\$1,000-\$5,000

Chapter 104

Dietitians

32 § 9906

Practicing dietetics or holding one's self out to be a dietitian or a dietetic technician without being licensed to do so.

\$1,000-\$5,000

Chapter 113

Practice of Public Accountancy

32 § 12275

A person or firm issuing a report, including reviews and compilations, on financial statements or on any attest service of any other person, firm organization or governmental unit.

\$1,000-\$5,000

Engaging in the practice of public accountancy without a valid license, using the title "Certified Public Accountant" or "CPA" without a valid license, using the title or designation "Public Accountant" or "PA" without a valid license.

\$1,000-\$5,000

Chapter 119

Counseling Professionals

32 § 13854 Practicing as a clinical professional counselor, professional counselor, marriage and family therapist, or licensed pastoral counselor without a license.
\$1,000-\$5,000

Chapter 124 Real Estate Appraisal Licensing and Certification

32 § 14003 Preparing, for a fee or other valuable consideration, an appraisal or appraisal report relating to real estate or real property without a valid license.
\$1,000-\$5,000

Chapter 125 Employee Leasing Companies

32 § 14058 Employing leasing company violation.
\$100 per day

Chapter 126 Barbering and Cosmetology Licensing

32 § 14205 Practicing or professing to be qualified in barber hair styling, cosmetology, hair design, nail technology or aesthetics without a valid license.
\$1,000-\$5,000

Chapter 127 Massage Therapists

32 § 14306-C Practicing or claiming to be a massage therapist or massage practitioner without a valid license.
\$1,000-\$5,000

Chapter 127- Athletic Trainers

A
32 § 14354 Practicing or professing to be an “athletic trainer” without a valid license.
\$1,000-\$5,000

Chapter 137 Board of Speech, Audiology and Hearing

32 § 17103 Practicing as an audiologist, sale or practice of dealing in and fitting of hearing aids, or practicing as a speech-language pathologist without a valid license.
\$1,000-\$5,000

Chapter 139 Maine Fuel Board

32 § 18103 Installing oil, solid fuel, propane, or natural gas without a valid license or employing an unlicensed person to do the same.
\$1,000-\$5,000

Chapter 141 Employee Leasing Companies

32 § 18204 Unlicensed practice of land surveying or advertising land surveying without a license.
\$1,000-\$5,000

Title 34-A Corrections

Chapter 1 **General Provisions**

34-A § 1207 Selling within Maine any goods, wares or merchandise manufactured, produced or mined by non paroled convicts or prisoners, or in any penal or reformatory institution, in another state and transported into Maine. Not more than twice the monetary value of the transaction.

Chapter 5 **Probation and Parole**

34-A § 5003 Interfering with probation.
Not more than \$500 or imprisonment of not more than 11 months, or by both.

Interfering with parole.
Not more than \$500 or imprisonment of not more than 11 months, or by both.

Title 34-B Behavioral and Developmental Services

Chapter 1 **General Provisions**

34-B § 1203-A Operating, conducting or maintaining an unlicensed mental health service facility.
Not more than \$500 or imprisonment for not more than 60 days.

34-B § 1411 Violating rules adopted under this section for public ways and parking areas maintained by the State at the state institutions.
\$25-\$500

Title 36 Taxation

Part 2 **Property Taxes**

Chapter 102 **Property Tax Administration**

36 § 312 Performing duties of chief assessor without being certified.
\$100-\$250

Chapter 107 **Unincorporated and Unorganized Places**

36 § 1231 Making fraudulent proposal property list return to the State Tax Assessor.
\$100-\$500

Chapter 111 **Aircraft, House Trailers and Motor Vehicles**

36 § 1491 Making a false entry on the excise tax renewal form.

\$100-\$500

Part 5
Chapter 459
36 § 3219-A

Motor Fuel Taxes
Special Fuel Tax Act

Selling special fuel without collecting fuel tax.
\$250 minimum

Refusing or failing to make any statement, report, payment or return required by Chapter 459.
\$250 minimum

Refusing or failing to pay interest or penalties arising from nonpayment of taxes required by Chapter 459.
\$250 minimum

Knowingly collecting or attempting to collect a refund of tax without being entitled to that refund.
\$250 minimum

Knowingly making or aiding or assisting others in making a materially false statement in any return or report.
\$250 minimum

Refusing or failing to permit an inspection pursuant to subsection 1.
\$250 minimum

Consuming special fuel in a motor vehicle when the user does not have a valid license issued pursuant to section 3206.
\$250 minimum

Part 7
Chapter 701
36 § 4316

Special Taxes
Blueberry Tax

Failing to keep a permanent record of each lot or load of blueberries received.

Not more than \$5,000 for first violation.

Not more than \$10,000 for any subsequent violation within 5 years of the previous violation.

Chapter 703
36 § 4362-A

Cigarette Tax

Distributor importing into this State any cigarettes without holding a distributor's license issued by the assessor.
\$250-\$500

After a previous adjudication finding a violation of this paragraph, \$500-\$1,000.

Distributor selling at wholesale, offer for sale at wholesale or possess with intent to sell at wholesale any cigarettes without holding a distributor's license issued by the assessor.

\$250-\$500

After a previous adjudication finding a violation of this paragraph, \$500-\$1,000.

Chapter 704

Tobacco Products Tax

36 § 4402

Distributor importing into this State any tobacco product without holding a distributor's license issued by the assessor pursuant to this section.

\$250-\$500

After a previous adjudication finding a violation of this paragraph, \$500-\$1,000.

Distributor that sells at wholesale or retail, offers for sale at wholesale or retail or possesses with intent to sell at wholesale or retail any tobacco product without holding a distributor's license issued by the assessor pursuant to this section.

\$250-\$500

After a previous adjudication finding a violation of this paragraph, \$500-\$1,000.

[Title 37-B Defense, Veterans and Emergency Management](#)

Chapter 13

Maine Emergency Management Agency

37-B § 806

Failing to comply with facility emergency response plans requirement for any facility where any extremely hazardous substance is present in a quantity about the threshold planning quantity.

Not more than \$25,000 civil penalty, \$100 minimum penalty per day

Failing to comply with material safety data sheets requirements.

Not more than \$1,000 civil penalty, \$100 minimum penalty per day

Failing to comply with Maine chemical inventory report requirements.

Not more than \$1,000 civil penalty, \$100 minimum penalty per day

Intentionally, knowingly or recklessly fail to comply with the reporting requirements in the event of an unlicensed release from any facility where a CERCLA hazardous substance or an extremely hazardous substance is produced, used or stored.

Not more than \$25,000 civil penalty, \$100 minimum penalty per day

Class C crime subject to a fine of not more than \$25,000.
Subsequent violations are a class C crime subject to a fine of not more than \$50,000.

Title 38 Waters and Navigation

Chapter 1

Operation of Vessels

38 § 88

Piloting a vessel without being licensed to do so.
Not more than \$5,000

38 § 124

Any person who takes any stone or other ballast from any island, beach or other land, without consent of the owner.
\$7

Chapter 2

Department of Environmental Protection

38 § 349

Intentionally, knowingly, recklessly or with criminal negligence violate a law administered by the Department of Environmental Protection.
Criminal penalties:
\$2,500-\$25,000 per day; if a knowing violation, \$5,000 minimum per day.
Civil penalties:
\$100-\$10,000 per day of violation
Not more than \$25,000 each day if relating to hazardous waste

Chapter 3

Protection and Improvement of Waters

38 § 423

Discharging sewage, septic fluids, garbage or other pollutants from watercraft into inland waters or onto ice of the State or on the banks of inland waters such that pollutants may be washed or flow into waters
\$500-\$10,000 each day of violation

Operating watercraft upon inland waters with permanently installed sanitary waste disposal system without holding tank or suitable container for sanitary waste.
\$500-\$10,000 each day of violation

- 38 § 423-A Discharging sewage, garbage, or other pollutants from motor vehicles in, on or near state waters, ice or banks thereof.
\$100-\$10,000 per day of violation
Not more than \$25,000 each day if relating to hazardous waste
- 38 § 423-C Registered owner of vehicle illegally discharging waste in, on or near state waters, ice or banks thereof.
\$100-\$10,000 per day of violation
Not more than \$25,000 each day if relating to hazardous waste
- 38 § 490-H Violating excavation performance standards, Article 7, Chapter 3, Title 38.
\$100-\$10,000 per day of violation
Not more than \$25,000 each day if relating to hazardous waste

Chapter 7 **Floating Timber**

- 38 § 841 Causing water levels to be higher or lower than permitted by dam maintenance order issues under section 804(5).
\$100-\$10,000 each day of violation
- 38 § 891 Failing to weigh or grind grain, or taking more than lawful toll.
\$10-\$50

Chapter 13 **Waste Management**

- 38 § 1310-B Soliciting or accepting confidential hazardous waste information.
Not more than \$5,000.
- 38 § 1316-M Transport scrap tires without a license or without a manifest as required by department rules.
\$500 minimum for a vehicle with gross weight up to 12,000 pounds
\$2,000 minimum for a vehicle with gross weight between 12,001 and 34,000 pounds
\$4,500 minimum for a vehicle with gross weight of over 34,000 pounds
\$10,000 maximum per violation.

Note: the minimum fines imposed by this section may not be suspended, but may be reduced by the amount of the disposal fee paid by the transporter for disposal of the truckload of tires at a licensed waste facility.

38 § 1319-T

Transporting hazardous waste substance or material without, in fact, having a proper license or permit, knowing or consciously disregarding a risk that such facility does not have a proper license or permit.

\$100-\$10,000 per day of violation in civil penalties pursuant to section 349

Not more than \$50,000 for each day of violation.

Handling hazardous waste substance or material without, in fact, having obtained a proper license or permit to do so or at any location knowing or consciously disregarding a risk that such location does not have a proper license or permit.

\$100-\$10,000 per day of violation in civil penalties pursuant to section 349

Not more than \$50,000 for each day of violation.

Establishing, constructing, altering or operating any waste facility for hazardous waste substance or material without, in fact, having obtained a proper license or permit.

Not more than \$25,000 for each day of violation.

Handling or transporting hazardous waste substance or material in any manner which, in fact, violates the terms of any condition, order, regulation, license, permit, approval or decision of the board or order of the commissioner.

Not more than \$25,000 for each day of violation.

Giving custody or possession of hazardous waste substance or material to any person whom one knows or has reason to believe does not have a license or permit to transport or handle such substance or material or will transport or handle such substance or material in violation of subchapter V or rules adopted under it.

Not more than \$25,000 for each day of violation.

Chapter 16

Sale of Consumer Products Affecting the Environment

38 § 1604

Unauthorized disposal of lead acid batteries.

\$100-\$10,000 per day of violation.

Not more than \$25,000 each day if relating to hazardous waste.

Violating lead acid battery requirements for retailers.

\$100-\$10,000 per day of violation.

Not more than \$25,000 each day if relating to hazardous waste.

Violating lead acid battery requirements for wholesalers.

\$100-\$10,000 per day of violation.
Not more than \$25,000 each day if relating to hazardous waste.