

**Chap. 263.** AN ACT FURTHER REGULATING THE TOWING OF MOTOR VEHICLES.

*Be it enacted, etc., as follows:*

Chapter 90 of the General Laws is hereby amended by inserting after section 19B the following section:—

*Section 19C.* In driveaway operations any combination of motor vehicles in transit may be transported by means of saddlemount or full mount mechanisms, utilizing the motive power of one of the vehicles in combination. Such combination may not exceed a total length of fifty-five feet. The vehicles in such combination shall be adequately and securely fastened together in compliance with all applicable regulations of the commonwealth and of any federal agency having jurisdiction over such transportation. No vehicle may be full mounted on a saddlemounted or full mounted vehicle.

As used in this section the following words shall have the following meanings:—

“Driveaway operation”, any operation in which any motor vehicle or motor vehicles, new or used, constitute the commodity being transported, when one set or more of wheels of any such motor vehicle or motor vehicles are on the roadway during the course of transportation.

“Saddlemount”, a device designed and constructed as to be readily demountable, used in driveaway operations to perform the functions of a conventional fifth wheel.

Every saddlemount acquired and used in driveaway operations shall have the upper half and the lower half separately marked with the following certification of the manufacturer thereof or with words of equivalent meaning:—

This saddlemount complies with the requirements of the federal highway administration for vehicles up to 5,000 pounds (or over 5,000 pounds).

Manufactured

Month and Year

By

Name of Manufacturer

*Approved May 28, 1974.*

**Chap. 264.** AN ACT FURTHER REGULATING THE SUPPLY OF CERTAIN CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES BY THE FILLING OF PRESCRIPTIONS.

*Be it enacted, etc., as follows:*

Section 23 of chapter 94C of the General Laws is hereby amended by striking out paragraph (d), as amended by section 17 of chapter 806 of the acts of 1972, and inserting in place thereof the following paragraph:—

(d) In regard to a controlled substance in Schedule II or III, no prescription shall be filled for more than a thirty-day supply of such substance upon any single filling; provided, however, that with regard to dextro amphetamine sulphate and methyl phenidate hydrochloride, a prescription may be filled for up to a sixty-day supply of such substance upon any single filling if said substance is being used for the treatment of minimal brain dysfunction or narcolepsy.

*Approved May 28, 1974.*

**Chap. 265.** AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR NINETEEN HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FIVE FOR THE CARE, MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR OF THE HAMPSHIRE COUNTY HOSPITAL.

*Be it enacted, etc., as follows:*

SECTION 1. The county commissioners of Hampshire county are hereby authorized to expend for the fiscal year nineteen hundred and seventy-five the sums set forth in this act for the care, maintenance and repair of the county hospital and to assess the same in the manner set forth in section eighty-five of chapter one hundred and eleven of the General Laws.

HAMPSHIRE COUNTY.

Item	
1. For personal services	\$886,098.28
2. For contractual services	55,035.00
3. For supplies and materials	190,940.00
4. For current charges and obligations	81,856.20
8. For debt and interest	252,375.00
11. For reserve fund	25,000.00
11a. For reserve for salary increases	83,000.00
12. For group insurance	22,000.00
For total expenditures	<u>\$1,596,304.48</u>

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect on July first, nineteen hundred and seventy-four.

*Approved May 28, 1974.*

**Chap. 266.** AN ACT RELATIVE TO PERSONAL LOANS BY SAVINGS BANKS.

*Be it enacted, etc., as follows:*

Section 37 of chapter 168 of the General Laws is hereby amended by striking out the fourth sentence, as most recently amended by section 1 of chapter 332 of the acts of 1973, and inserting in place thereof the following sentence:— The total obligation of any one