

Maine Residents Property Tax and Rent Refund “Circuitbreaker” Application

(for refunds of property tax assessed or rent paid during 2009)

YOU MAY QUALIFY FOR A REFUND UP TO \$1,600 IF:

- You do not have a spouse or dependent(s) and your 2009 household income was \$64,950 or less; or
- You have a spouse or dependent(s) and your 2009 household income was \$86,600 or less
AND
 - Your 2009 property tax was more than 4% of your 2009 household income; or,
 - The rent you paid in 2009 was more than 20% of your 2009 household income.

NOTE: Low-income Seniors do not need to meet these requirements.

Applications must be filed by May 31, 2011.

How Do I Apply for a Circuitbreaker Refund?



File **online** now
at www.maine.gov/revenue (It's FREE)

OR

Mail a completed application to Maine Revenue Services
PO Box 9116, Augusta, Maine 04332-9116

Where Can I Get a Circuitbreaker Application Booklet?

- Booklets and applications may be **downloaded** from the Maine Revenue Services web site at www.maine.gov/revenue/forms/homepage.html.
- Applicants who would like to have a booklet **mailed** directly to them may:
 - **Call** the forms line at 207-624-7894 (leave your name and mailing address).
 - **Write** to Maine Revenue Services, SHS 24, Augusta, Maine, 04333-0024.
- General Information: www.maine.gov/revenue (click on Tax Relief) or call 207-626-8475.