

# ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTH LEGISLATURE

### Legislative Document

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Presented by Mr. Cameron of Lincoln.

E. LOUISE LINCOLN, Clerk

# STATE OF MAINE

## IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED SEVENTY-FOUR

#### AN ACT to Repeal the Sewerage Provisions of the Lincoln Water District.

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

Sec. 1. P. & S. L., 1949, c. 116, § 2, amended. Section 2 of chapter 116 of the private and special laws of 1949 is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 2. Powers of said Lincoln Water District. The said district, for the purposes of its incorporation, is hereby authorized to take, hold, divert, use and distribute water from any lake, pond, river, surface or underground brook, spring or vein of water in said town of Lincoln and to do any and all things necessary in providing a system of sewerage and drainage for public purposes and for the health, comfort and convenience of the inhabitants of said district.

Sec. 2. P. & S. L., 1949, c. 116, § 3, amended. The first paragraph of section 3 of chapter 116 of the private and special laws of 1949 is amended to read as follows:

The said district, for the purposes of its incorporation, is hereby authorized to take and hold as for public uses, real estate and personal estate, and any interest therein necessary for such purposes, by purchase, lease or otherwise, and is hereby authorized to exercise the right of eminent domain, as hereinafter provided, to acquire for such purposes any land or interest therein or water rights necessary for erecting and maintaining dams, plants and works, for flowage, for power, for pumping, for supplying water through its mains and sewerage system, for reservoirs, for preserving the purity of the water and watershed, for laying and maintaining mains, aqueducts and other structures for taking and distributing discharging and disposing of water and sewage, for forming basins, reservoirs and outlets in a sewage system, for erection of buildings for pumping works for use therein, for laying pipes and sewers and maintaining same, and for laying and maintaining conduits for carrying, collecting, discharging and disposing of sewage matters and waters for filtering, rectifying, treating and disposal plants, works and facilities, for such other objects necessary, convenient and proper for the purposes of its incorporation, and for rights-of-way or roadways to its sources of supply, dams, power stations, reservoirs, mains, aqueducts, structures, plants, works, facilities and lands.

Sec. 3. P. & S. L., 1949, c. 116, §§ 4-5, repealed. Sections 4 and 5 of chapter 116 of the private and special laws of 1949 are repealed.

Sec. 4. P. & S. L., 1949, c. 116, § 16, amended. The last paragraph of section 16 of chapter 116 of the private and special laws of 1949 is repealed.

### STATEMENT OF FACT

Since a Sewerage District for the Town of Lincoln has been formed, the sewerage provisions of the charter of the Lincoln Water District should be repealed.