

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

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CHAP. 484**Chapter 484**

An Act to incorporate the South Kennebec Agricultural Society.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows :*

Corporators.

SECT. 1. George Brown, A. N. Douglas, F. H. Moore, A. B. Noyes, C. F. Achorn, H. E. Howe, W. M. Achorn, E. W. Gove, R. W. Howe, Eugene M. Glidden, Charles B. Jewell, C. D. Northey, Joseph S. Gray, together with their associates and successors, such members, associates and successors being residents of and representing the southern part of Kennebec county and the towns of Whitefield, Jefferson and Somerville, in Lincoln county, be and hereby are constituted a body corporate and politic, by the name of the South Kennebec Agricultural Society, with power to prosecute and defend suits at law, to have and use a common seal, to make and enforce any by-laws and regulations for the management of their affairs, not repugnant to the laws of the state, and shall exercise all the powers and privileges granted to and exercised by agricultural societies and similar corporations.

Corporate name.

—powers and privileges.

First meeting, how called.

SECT. 2. The first meeting may be called by any three of the within named corporators, by publishing notice of the time, place and object thereof, in all of the above named towns, at least fourteen days before the time of holding the meeting, and at said meeting the officers of said corporation may be chosen and such other corporate business done as may be deemed proper.

SECT. 3. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved March 1, 1889.

**Chapter 485.**

An Act to incorporate the Hancock Fire Insurance Company.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows :*

Corporators.

SECT. 1. That F. W. Hill, C. C. Burrill, F. Robie, J. A. Rodick, J. F. Davis, B. T. Sowle, H. W. Sargent, A. C. Hinckley, J. A. McGown, A. W. Cushman, E. B. Rich-

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ards, G. R. Campbell, N. B. Coolidge and E. Harding, their associates, successors and assigns, are hereby created a body corporate, by the name of the Hancock Fire Insurance Company, for the purpose of insuring buildings, stock in trade and merchandise and all other kinds of personal property against loss by fire and lightning. Said company shall be located at any place in the state of Maine, where the board of directors may determine, and when so determined the board of directors shall notify the insurance commissioner.

Corporate name.  
—purposes.  
—location.

SECT. 2. The capital stock of said corporation shall be fifty thousand dollars, and may be increased by a two-thirds vote of the stockholders, not to exceed five hundred thousand dollars. The capital stock shall be divided into shares of one hundred dollars each, and shall be paid in full before any policy of insurance shall be issued by said corporation, either in cash or its equivalent in securities in the judgment of the directors of said corporation.

Capital stock.

SECT. 3. Said corporation may conduct the business of fire insurance in any manner not to conflict with this act or the laws of this state, and may adopt such by-laws for the conduct of its business as it may deem necessary.

Conduct of business, shall not conflict with laws of State.

SECT. 4. The first meeting of said corporation for the purposes of organization, shall be held at any place in this state where any one of said incorporators may reside, on notice for that purpose, given in writing to each of the said incorporators, the same to be signed by any one of said incorporators, by mailing said notice to each incorporator, to his proper address, at least twenty days prior to the date of said meeting.

First meeting, how called.

SECT. 5. Said corporation may hold real estate not to exceed the amount of its capital stock.

May hold real estate.

SECT. 6. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved March 1, 1889.

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## Chapter 486.

An Act to incorporate the city of Westbrook.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows :*

SECT. 1. The inhabitants of the town of Westbrook, in the county of Cumberland, shall, in case of the acceptance