

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES

OF THE

SEVENTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

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OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

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Chapter 378.

An Act to incorporate the Calais Power Company.

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

Corpora-
tors.

—corporate
name.

—rights
and powers.

Authorized
to main-
tain dams
on Howard
Mill stream.

May gener-
ate and sell
electricity.

May supply
electricity
to electric
railroad
companies,
etc.

—may
maintain
poles and
wires over
streets and
public
ways.

Capital
stock.

May issue
bonds and
mortgage
property.

Section 1. George M. Hanson, Reed V. Jewett, and Ashley Saint Clair, their associates, successors and assigns, are hereby made a body corporate by the name of the Calais Power Company, with all the powers, rights and privileges, and subject to all the duties and obligations conferred and imposed on corporations organized to sell, distribute and supply electricity for light, heat and power under the general laws of the state, except as otherwise provided herein.

Section 2. Said company is authorized to locate, construct, and maintain a dam or dams on the Howard Mill stream, in the city of Calais, county of Washington, provided that suitable sluices are constructed and maintained by said company in said dam or dams, at its own expense, for the passage of logs and other lumber down said stream.

Section 3. Said company is authorized and empowered to carry on the business of manufacturing, generating, distributing, selling and supplying electricity for light, heat and power for all lawful purposes in the towns of Charlotte, Baring and Robbinston and for mechanical and manufacturing purposes in the city of Calais.

Section 4. Said corporation is further authorized to transmit, sell and supply electricity to electric light, heat and power or electric railroad companies, and to any person or persons, or corporations desiring to purchase and use the same for manufacturing, or mechanical purposes at points in the towns of Calais, Baring and Robbinston, in the county of Washington, and for the purposes specified in the first three sections of this act said corporation is hereby authorized and empowered to set, build, extend and maintain poles, lines and wires in, upon and over such streets and public ways in the towns of Calais, Baring and Robbinston as it may deem most expedient in carrying out the purpose of this act, under such reasonable restrictions as the municipal officers of the respective towns through which such poles, lines and wires may be established, may impose in accordance with the general laws of the state.

Section 5. The capital stock of said company shall not exceed fifty thousand dollars, divided into shares of one hundred dollars each.

Section 6. Said company is hereby authorized to issue bonds for the construction of its works upon such rates and time and in such amounts as it may deem necessary, and to secure the

same by appropriate mortgages upon its franchises and property, present and future.

Section 7. Said corporation is further authorized to develop such water power as it may own or acquire at Calais, Baring, Charlotte or Robbinston for manufacturing purposes and to engage in manufacturing through the use of such power.

May develop water power.

Section 8. Said corporation may sell and convey its rights, privileges, franchise and property to any other electric light, heat, power, or electric railroad or manufacturing corporation chartered by this state or may purchase and hold the property, rights, franchise and privileges or capital stock of any such corporation.

May sell and convey its rights, franchises, etc.

Section 9. The first meeting of said corporation may be called by any corporator by mailing a written notice, postage prepaid, to each of the other corporators seven days at least before the day of the meeting, and any corporator may act at such meeting by proxy.

First meeting, how called.

Approved April 1, 1909.

Chapter 379.

An Act to regulate the Herring Fisheries in the town of Roque Bluffs.
Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

Section 1. The taking of herring, or fishing therefor, by the use of torch or torches of any kind, purse or drag seines, and all other seines or nets, except seines or nets used only for seining pockets or pounds of weirs, by owners of weirs or their orders, from the first day of April to the first day of December following in each year, is hereby prohibited in the waters lying in the jurisdiction of the state in the town of Roque Bluffs, within the following described line: Beginning in the channel of Chandler's river, on the town line dividing the town of Jonesboro, from Roque Bluffs, and running by the said channel southerly, to a point due west, by compass, from the southern extremity of Little Mark island; thence southeast to a point one mile north of the northeastern point of Halifax island, thence east ten degrees south, passing south of Hickey island, and continuing to the town line of Machiasport, in the waters of Little Kennebec bay; thence following the channel or said dividing line northerly, past the sea-wall point, and Hope island, still following the channel of Little Kennebec bay or river, to the point, where the town lines of Roque Bluffs

Herring fisheries in the waters of the town of Roque Bluffs, regulated.