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Upon such petition, the court may order all or any part of such award thus made to be paid by the authority to the petitioner forthwith without prejudice to the petitioner's right to have the amount of compensation adjudicated by appeal. In the event of such appeal, if the just compensation finally awarded, exclusive of interest, is less than the award of the authority, then the court shall give judgment in favor of the authority for the excess of the award over the final award and for its costs from the time of appeal and execution may be issued on such judgment. If the just compensation finally awarded, exclusive of interest, is not less than the award, then the court shall give judgment to the appellant for the amount in which the final award is in excess of the original award and for interest on such excess from the date of taking and for costs from the time of appeal. The clerk shall certify the final judgment of the court to the authority which shall pay the same to the appellant.'

Sec. 3. P. & S. L., 1951, c. 217, amended. The name of the "Slum Clearance and Redevelopment Authority", a public body corporate and politic created by the Legislature of the State of Maine by chapter 217 of the private and special laws of 1951, as amended by chapter 94 of the private and special laws of 1955, chapter 97 of the private and special laws of 1955, and chapter 193 of the private and special laws of 1957, is hereby changed to "Portland Renewal Authority".

Effective September 16, 1961

Chapter 142

AN ACT Relating to Superintending School Committee of Town of Kennebunkport.

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

Superintending school committee. The Town of Kennebunkport may increase the membership of the superintending school committee to 5 members.

The Town of Kennebunkport may choose by ballot at its annual town meeting 3 additional superintending school committee members to serve with the 2 members already in office, and shall fill vacancies arising therein at each subsequent annual town meeting.

The 3 members thus chosen shall designate by lot one member to serve 2 years and the other 2 members to serve 3 years; and they shall certify such designation to the town clerk to be by him recorded; and thereafter the members shall be chosen by ballot at the annual meeting of the Town of Kennebunkport to hold office for 3 years. Said committee may fill vacancies occurring between annual meetings, and the term of office of any member of the committee so chosen shall expire at the next annual meeting.

A vote of a majority of the full membership of the committee shall be required for the purpose of conducting business and exercising the powers of the committee and for all other purposes.

No member of the superintending school committee shall be employed as a teacher in any public school or contract high school or academy located within

this supervisory union. In case any member of the superintending school committee shall remove from the town or be absent for more than 90 days, a vacancy shall be declared to exist and the remaining members shall, within 30 days thereafter, choose another member as hereinbefore provided. Whenever the remaining members fail to appoint a person to fill a vacancy, the same may be filled by election at a town meeting called for the purpose.

The superintending school committee shall designate 3 of its members to serve on the joint committee of the school union and they shall be empowered to designate any one member of the 3 to act for the entire group. The total vote or votes cast by such member or members at such meeting of the joint committee shall not exceed 3.

Referendum; effective date; certificate to Secretary of State. This act shall take effect 90 days after adjournment of the Legislature, only for the purpose of permitting its submission to the legal voters of the Town of Kennebunkport at any annual or special town meeting called and held for such purpose. In the event a special meeting is called for such purpose, it shall be called, advertised and conducted according to the law relating to municipal elections, but such a special meeting shall be held at least 60 days prior to the date of the annual meeting. For the purpose of such election the town clerk shall prepare the required ballots, on which he shall reduce the subject matter of this act to the following question: "Shall the Act Relating to Superintending School Committee of Town of Kennebunkport, passed by the 100th Legislature, be accepted?" The voters shall indicate by a cross or check mark placed against the words "Yes" or "No" their opinion of the same. This act shall take effect for all the purposes hereof immediately upon its acceptance by a majority of the legal voters voting at such meeting; provided the total number of votes cast for and against the acceptance of this act at such meeting equaled or exceeded 20% of the total vote for all candidates for Governor cast in said town at the next preceding gubernatorial election.

The result of the vote shall be declared by the municipal officers of the Town of Kennebunkport and due certificate thereof shall be filed by the town clerk with the Secretary of State.

Effective September 16, 1961

Chapter 143

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