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AS PASSED BY THE

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

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As Passed by the One Hundredth Legislature

At The

SPECIAL SESSION, November 27, 1961

to

December 2, 1961

FERRY SERVICE FOR VINALHAVEN AND NORTH HAVEN PRIVATE AND SPECIAL, 1961

Whereas, there is a vital need for safe and adequate school facilities in the municipalities; and

Whereas, the school programs of the area could be improved and more efficiently and economically operated; and

Whereas, it is geographically impossible to meet the minimum requirement of 300 resident high school pupils in this area; and

Whereas, the Maine School District Commission cannot approve the formation of this proposed district under the criteria set out in the Revised Statutes of 1954, chapter 41, section 111-E; and

Whereas, section 111-D provides that the Legislature may establish such School Administrative Districts; and

Whereas, the Maine School District Commission recommends that the municipalities of Deer Isle and Stonington be authorized to establish a School Administrative District; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts create an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution of Maine, and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore,

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

School Administrative District for Deer Isle and Stonington authorized. The municipalities of Deer Isle and Stonington are exempted from the limitations provided in the Revised Statutes of 1954, chapter 41, section 111-E, as amended, and the Maine School District Commission is authorized to proceed pursuant to sections 111-F to 111-U-1 of said chapter 41 to take the necessary action to allow the municipalities of Deer Isle and Stonington to form a School Administrative District.

Nothing contained in this act shall be construed to limit the number of times that the within-named municipalities may make application to the Maine School District Commission, nor shall the authority heretofore granted to the Maine School District Commission under this act be limited to any specified number of times for the commission to authorize the within-named municipalities to act on the formation of a school administrative district.

Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this act shall take effect when approved.

Effective December 1, 1961

Chapter 228

AN ACT to Repeal the Law Establishing Ferry Service Between Vinalhaven and North Haven.

Emergency preamble. Whereas, acts of the Legislature do not become effective until 90 days after adjournment unless enacted as emergencies; and

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Whereas, at the present time there is no direct ferry service between Vinalhaven and North Haven; and

Whereas, the 1899 law which provided for a franchise to conduct such service should be repealed in order to permit the Towns of Vinalhaven and North Haven to make other arrangements; and

Whereas, the following legislation is vitally imperative to prevent undue hardship and inconvenience to the people living on the islands; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the Legislature these facts create an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution of Maine and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore,

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

P. & S. L., 1899, c. 39, repealed. Chapter 39 of the private and special laws of 1899 is repealed.

Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this act shall take effect when approved.

Effective December 1, 1961

Chapter 229

AN ACT Amending the Charter of the City of Brewer High School District.

Emergency preamble. Whereas, the present buildings which house the schools of the City of Brewer are overcrowded and inadequate; and

Whereas, it is imperative that action be taken at the earliest possible moment to relieve these conditions; and

Whereas, the overcrowded conditions of the schools are detrimental to the public health and safety; and

Whereas, new building construction is vitally necessary; and

Whereas, the present borrowing capacity of the City of Brewer High School District will not allow it to borrow sufficient funds for the necessary construction and equipment; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts create an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution of Maine and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore,

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

P. & S. L., 1925, c. 4, § 5, amended. The first sentence of section 5 of chapter 4 of the private and special laws of 1925, as last amended by section 1 of