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ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

One Hundred and First Legislature

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS
OF THE
STATE OF MAINE

As Passed by the One Hundredth Legislature

At The

SPECIAL SESSION, November 27, 1961

to

December 2, 1961

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

School administrative district for Oakland and Sidney authorized. The Towns of Oakland and Sidney 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 said chapter 41, sections 111-F to 111-U-1, to take the necessary action to allow the Towns of Oakland and Sidney to form a school administrative district.

Nothing contained herein shall be construed to limit the number of times that the above-named towns may make application to the Maine School District Commission, nor shall the authority granted to the Maine School District Commission under this act be limited to any specified number of times for the commission to authorize the above-named towns 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 233

AN ACT Amending the Charter of the Calais School District.

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

Whereas, the Legislature during its regular session in 1961 passed private and special law, chapter 86 to authorize \$250,000 in additional indebtedness of the Calais School District to construct a new school building to supplement the present inadequate accommodations in the City of Calais; and

Whereas, it appears that the private and special laws of 1937, chapter 27, section 1, as amended by the private and special laws of 1945, chapter 109, may not have created a valid school district under the provisions of the Constitution of the State of Maine; and

Whereas, learned legal counsel for certain banking institutions have thereby advised that the bonds of said school district may not be properly secured; 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:

Sec. 1. P. & S. L., 1937, c. 27, § 1, amended. Section 1 of chapter 27 of the private and special laws of 1937, as amended by section 1 of chapter 109 of the private and special laws of 1945, is further amended to read as follows:

Sec. 1. Calais School District, incorporated. Subject to the provisions of section 7 hereof, the inhabitants and territory within the City of Calais are hereby created a body politic and corporate under the name of Calais School District for the purpose of acquiring property within said city for school and related athletic and recreational purposes; for the purpose of erecting, enlarging, equipping and maintaining on ~~city~~ said property school buildings and related athletic and recreational facilities with the right to lease or let said property to said city; for the purpose of maintaining and improving other school buildings in said district; for the purpose of financing increased school expenses caused by the loss of major school buildings by fire in April, 1935 and February, 1945; for the purpose of replacing city and school trust funds lost through bank failure; and for the purpose of maintaining ~~a school with the right to lease or let said property to said city~~ elementary and secondary schools; all for the benefit of the inhabitants of said city.'

Sec. 2. P. & S. L., 1937, c. 27, § 1-A, additional. Chapter 27 of the private and special laws of 1937 is amended by adding a new section 1-A, to read as follows:

Sec. 1-A. Authority to receive property from the City of Calais. The "Calais School District" is hereby authorized to receive from the City of Calais, and said City of Calais is hereby authorized to transfer and convey to said district, any property, real, personal or mixed, now or hereafter owned or held by the City of Calais for school purposes, and any sum of money or other assets which the said City of Calais has raised or may raise, either by taxation, borrowing or otherwise, for school purposes.'

Sec. 3. Acceptance of chapter 86 of the private and special laws of 1961 by the voters of the City of Calais ratified. The acceptance of chapter 86 of the private and special laws of 1961 by the legal voters of the City of Calais at an election held therein on April 3, 1961 is hereby ratified and the authority granted by said chapter 86 is hereby confirmed; and said chapter 86 shall be deemed to have taken effect on said date.

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

Effective December 1, 1961

Chapter 234

AN ACT to Increase the Borrowing Capacity of East Boothbay Water District.

Emergency preamble. Whereas, the East Boothbay Water District is presently constructing a water system for the inhabitants of East Boothbay; and

Whereas, the present borrowing capacity of the district is not reasonably considered large enough to finish the project because of unexpected ground and weather conditions; and

Whereas, it is essential that said work be completed as soon as reasonably possible in order to provide water service for inhabitants of the district and to protect the present expenditures; and