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# ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

## One Hundred and Fourth Legislature

OF THE

# STATE OF MAINE

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RESOLVES  
OF THE  
STATE OF MAINE  
AS PASSED BY THE  
One Hundred and Third Legislature  
AT THE  
SPECIAL SESSIONS  
October 2-3, 1967  
January 9-26, 1968  
September 18, 1968

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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

**Resolves 1967, c. 75, repealed. Resolved:** That chapter 75 of the resolves of 1967 is repealed.

**Emergency clause.** In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this resolve shall take effect October 8, 1967.

Effective October 8, 1967

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## Chapter 84

### **RESOLVE, Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution Insuring Payment of Industrial Loans to Fisheries and Agriculture.**

**Constitutional amendment. Resolved:** Two-thirds of each branch of the Legislature concurring, that the following amendment to the Constitution of this State be proposed :

**Constitution, Article IX, Section 14-A, amended.** Section 14-A of Article IX of the Constitution, as amended, is further amended to read as follows :

**Section 14-A.** For the purposes of fostering, encouraging and assisting the physical location, settlement and resettlement of industrial ~~and~~, manufacturing, **fishing and agricultural** enterprises within the State, the Legislature by proper enactment may insure the payment of mortgage loans on the real estate and personal property within the State of such industrial ~~and~~, manufacturing, **fishing and agricultural** enterprises not exceeding in the aggregate \$40,000,000 in amount at any one time and may also appropriate moneys and authorize the issuance of bonds on behalf of the State at such times and in such amounts as it may determine to make payments insured as aforesaid. **For the purposes of this section, a documented fishing vessel shall be construed as real estate.**

**Form of question and date when amendment shall be voted upon. Resolved:** That the aldermen of cities, the selectmen of towns and the assessors of the several plantations of this State are empowered and directed to notify the inhabitants of their respective cities, towns and plantations to meet in the manner prescribed by law for calling and holding biennial meetings of said inhabitants for the election of Senators and Representatives at the next general election in the month of November or special state-wide election on the Tuesday following the first Monday of November following the passage of this resolve to give in their votes upon the amendment proposed in the foregoing resolution, and the question shall be :

“Shall the Constitution be amended as proposed by a resolution of the Legislature Insuring Payment of Industrial Loans to Fisheries and Agriculture?”

The inhabitants of said cities, towns and plantations shall vote by ballot on said question, and shall indicate by a cross or check mark placed against the word "Yes" or "No" their opinion of the same. The ballots shall be received, sorted, counted and declared in open ward, town and plantation meetings and returns made to the office of the Secretary of State in the same manner as votes for Governor and Members of the Legislature, and the Governor and Council shall review the same, and if it shall appear that a majority of the inhabitants voting on the question are in favor of the amendment, the Governor shall forthwith make known the fact by his proclamation, and the amendment shall thereupon, as of the date of said proclamation, become a part of the Constitution.

**Secretary of State shall prepare ballots. Resolved:** That the Secretary of State shall prepare and furnish to the several cities, towns and plantations ballots and blank returns in conformity with the foregoing resolve, accompanied by a copy thereof.

Effective November 7, 1967

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## Chapter 85

### RESOLVE, Reimbursing Certain Municipalities for the Control of Dutch Elm Disease.

**Certain municipalities reimbursed. Resolved:** That there is appropriated from the General Fund to Appropriation 4150 the sum of \$34,694.42 to reimburse the following municipalities for funds expended by them for the control of Dutch elm disease:

Portland	\$ 4,873.07
South Portland	471.82
Yarmouth	1,371.00
Falmouth	1,088.10
Biddeford	676.79
Topsham	225.02
Brownville	300.40
Rumford	541.50
New Gloucester	112.50
Milo	413.00
Freeport	256.64
Woodstock	196.50
Richmond	243.00
Houlton	10,639.58
Bangor	1,209.45