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ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

One Hundred and Fifth Legislature

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

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AS PASSED BY THE

One Hundred and Fourth Legislature

AT THE

SPECIAL SESSION

January 6, 1970

to

February 7, 1970

the State Board of Education is directed to initiate, negotiate and prepare an agreement whereby the Town of Winterport may be added to either School Administrative District #22 or School Administrative District #56. The board shall set the time and the date when the agreement shall be submitted to the voters of the Town of Winterport and to the voters of either district. The directors of the district shall post a warrant for action on the agreement and conduct the meeting in the same manner as is required by the Revised Statutes, Title 20, section 226. The town clerk of the municipality shall immediately file a return with the State Board of Education certifying the results of the vote, and the secretary of the School Administrative District shall certify the results of the district vote. If the board finds that a majority of the voters voting on the question in Winterport and a majority of the voters voting on the question in either district #22 or district #56 have approved the terms of the agreement, the board shall make a finding of fact to that effect and shall forthwith issue an amended Certificate of Organization which shall be conclusive evidence of the lawful organization of the enlarged district.

As soon as an amended Certificate of Organization has been issued by the State Board including the Town of Winterport in either School Administrative District #22 or School Administrative District #56, the board of directors of the enlarged district is authorized to issue bonds or notes in an amount not to exceed \$250,000 for the purpose of adding the required facilities to accommodate the secondary students from the Town of Winterport. The agreement prepared by the State Board of Education shall contain a provision that the Town of Winterport agrees to pay 42% of the cost of the additional facilities not to exceed \$105,000 in addition to its regular annual school assessment. The district shall be reimbursed from funds appropriated for school construction aid 58% of the cost of the additional facilities not to exceed \$145,000. The \$250,000 authorized under this Act shall be exempt from the debt limitations imposed by statute on either District #22 or District #56.

The State Board of Education is authorized to write into the agreement any method of sharing costs that has been approved by a majority of the boards of selectmen and school committee or directors meeting in joint session. The board is authorized to set the time and place for the joint meeting of selectmen and school committee and directors.

Nothing contained in this Act shall limit the number of times that the Town of Winterport and either School Administrative District #22 or School Administrative District #56 may vote on an agreement prepared by the State Board of Education to add Winterport to the district under the conditions of this Act or such other conditions as may be approved by the board.

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

Effective February 5, 1970

Chapter 238

AN ACT Clarifying Laws Relating to the University of Maine.

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

Sec. 1. P. & S. L., 1957, c. 176, § 3, repealed. Section 3 of chapter 176 of the private and special laws of 1957 is repealed as follows:

Sec. 5. Name. ~~Portland Junior College shall become known as University of Maine in Portland.~~

Sec. 2. P. & S. L., 1865, c. 532, § 1-A, amended. The last sentence of section 1-A of chapter 532 of the private and special laws of 1865, as enacted by section 1 of chapter 229 of the private and special laws of 1967, is repealed as follows:

~~Aroostook State College will be named Aroostook State College of the University of Maine, Farmington State College will be named Farmington State College of the University of Maine, Fort Kent State College will be named Fort Kent State College of the University of Maine, Gorham State College will be named Gorham State College of the University of Maine and Washington State College will be named Washington State College of the University of Maine.~~

Sec. 3. P. & S. L., 1865, c. 532, § 4-B, sub-§ 2, repealed and replaced. Subsection 2 of section 4-B of chapter 532 of the private and special laws of 1865, as enacted by section 3 of chapter 229 of the private and special laws of 1967, is repealed and the following enacted in place thereof:

2. Chancellor and staff members; duties. The chancellor shall exercise such powers and fulfill such responsibilities as shall be delegated by the board. The chancellor may delegate any of such powers and responsibilities to such members of his staff as he deems necessary.

Effective May 9, 1970

Chapter 239

AN ACT to Authorize General Fund Bond Issue in the Amount of \$4,000,000 for Removal and Abatement of Prohibited Discharges of Oil from Coastal Waters, Lands Adjoining the Seacoast of the State or Waters Draining into the Coastal Waters of the State in the Event of an Oil Pollution Disaster Declared by the Governor.

Preamble. Two-thirds of both Houses of Legislature deeming it necessary in accordance with Section 14 of Article IX of the Constitution to authorize the issuance of bonds on behalf of the State of Maine to provide for the removal of prohibited discharges of oil and the payment of damages in the event of an oil pollution disaster declared by the Governor, pursuant to the Revised Statutes, Title 38, chapter 3, subchapter 11-A and Acts additional and amendatory thereto.

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

Sec. 1. Issue of bonds to provide for removal of oil and payment of damages. The Treasurer of State is authorized, under the direction of the Governor and Council, to issue from time to time bonds in the name and behalf of the State to an amount not exceeding \$4,000,000 for the purpose of raising funds to provide for the abatement or removal of prohibited discharges of oil, petroleum products or their by-products from waters and