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Chapter 32

AN ACT Providing for Termination of the Old Town Great Works School District.

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

P. & S. L., 1947, c. 48, § 9, additional. Chapter 48 of the private and special laws of 1947 is amended by adding a new section 9 to read as follows:

Sec. 9. Provisions for termination of the board of trustees. At such time as the school building shall have been completed, equipped and occupied by pupils of said district and the board of trustees of the district shall have discharged all of its principal obligations and the property of said district shall be free and clear of all indebtedness, the board of trustees shall automatically cease to function and all of the duties, management, care and maintenance shall revert to the school board of the City of Old Town or such other board as may, at that time, have jurisdiction over similar school property; and the then president and treasurer shall cause to be executed, signed and delivered a good and sufficient deed of all the property in said district to the City of Old Town. All money, if any remaining in the treasury of the board of trustees at the time it ceases to function, shall be given to the city treasurer of the City of Old Town. This money shall be used only for school purposes and shall be kept separate from all other money until authorized by the municipal officers of the City of Old Town to be expended as hereinbefore stated.

Effective September 23, 1971

Chapter 33

AN ACT Relating to Name of The Electronic Technicians' Association, Inc.

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

The Electronic Technicians' Association, Inc.; authority to change name. The Electronic Technicians' Association, Inc. is granted the authority to use the name "The Maine Electronic Technicians' Association, Inc."

Effective September 23, 1971

Chapter 34

AN ACT Increasing the Number of Members on the Board of Trustees of the Bath Water District.

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

Whereas, the supplying of pure water is essential to the health and well-being of the inhabitants of the City of Bath and of the adjoining Towns of West Bath, Phippsburg and Woolwich; and

Whereas, the inhabitants of the City of Bath and of the adjoining Towns of West Bath, Phippsburg and Woolwich have experienced numerous interruptions in water service due to the failure of the submarine water line in the Kennebec River presently serving said inhabitants; and

Whereas, it is imperative that action be taken at the earliest possible time to construct a new submarine water line in the Kennebec River in order to insure a continuous supply of pure water; and

Whereas, there is urgent need for broader citizen participation in the affairs of said Bath Water 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:

P. & S. L., 1915, c. 197, §7-A, additional. Chapter 197 of the private and special laws of 1915, as amended, is further amended by adding a new section 7-A to read as follows:

Sec. 7-A. Increase in the number of members on the board of trustees. The number of members on the board of trustees of the Bath Water District shall be increased from 3 to 5. The 2 new members are to be chosen by the municipal officers of Bath, as provided in section 7. As soon as convenient after the new members of said board have been chosen, said trustees shall hold a meeting in the city building in Bath. At said meeting the 2 newly appointed trustees shall determine by lot the term of office of each. One such term shall run until the first Monday in November in the year 1972 and the other is to run until the first Monday in November in the year 1973; and whenever the term of office of either of said trustees expires, the body which appointed said trustee shall appoint a successor to serve the full term of 3 years, and in case any other vacancy arises it shall be filled in like manner for the unexpired term. The 2 newly appointed trustees shall have all the powers, benefits and restrictions as conferred upon the members of the board of trustees by section 7.

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