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AS PASSED BY THE

One Hundred and Fifth Legislature

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PRIVATE and SPECIAL LAWS

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## Chapter 56

### **AN ACT to Authorize a Food Stamp Program in Kennebec County.**

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

Whereas, to assist the welfare of many people in Kennebec County, a food stamp program is essential; and

Whereas, in order to comply with federal law such food stamp program must be administered by the Department of Health and Welfare; and

Whereas, the following legislation is vitally necessary if such plan is to be adopted in the winter of 1971; 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:*

**Kennebec County; food stamp program.** The State Department of Health and Welfare is authorized to administer a food stamp program in Kennebec County in conformity with regulations promulgated by the United States Department of Agriculture and the United States Department of Health, Education and Welfare and is further authorized to hire the necessary personnel to administer said program. The Department of Health and Welfare shall be reimbursed for the County of Kennebec for any administrative expenses incurred for carrying out this Act.

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

Effective April 8, 1971

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## Chapter 57

### **AN ACT to Enable the Town of Cape Elizabeth to Establish Sewer Service Charges.**

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

**Sec. 1. Sewer service charge.** The town council of the Town of Cape Elizabeth, in addition to the assessment provided for by the Revised Statutes of 1964, Title 30, section 4451, may by ordinance establish and levy upon persons, firms or corporations owning lots or parcels of land abutting on or served by drains and sewers heretofore or hereafter constructed a service charge for the use of and for the services furnished by such drains and sewers or available to such lots or parcels of land, whether connected thereto or not, or whether or not such lots or parcels of land are improved. Persons, firms or corporations shall be construed to include those which are public, quasi-municipal or otherwise tax exempt.