

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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June 30, 1959

Frank S. Carpenter, Treasurer of State  
State House  
Augusta, Maine

Dear Mr. Treasurer:

The issuance and sale of State Highway and Bridge bonds of the issue of July 1, 1959, numbered 68979 to 77978 inclusive, bonds numbered 68979 to 70828 inclusive, bearing interest at the rate of 4½%; bonds numbered 70829 to 77978 inclusive, bearing interest at the rate of 3%, was duly authorized by act of the Legislature of this State, being Chapter 173 of the Private and Special Laws of 1957, which was ratified by the voters at a special election on September 9, 1957.

All proceedings thereafter had were regular and in conformity with said act, and the issuance and sale of bonds in the aggregate of \$9,000,000, dated the first day of July, 1959, denominated State Highway and Bridge Bond Issue of July 1, 1959, being serial coupon bonds in the denomination of \$1000 each were had in conformity with said act; and these bonds, in my opinion, are a pledge of the faith and credit of the State of Maine, and the lawful obligation of said State. No litigation is pending as to the validity of the issue of these bonds.

Very truly yours,

Frank E. Hancock  
Attorney General