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ONE HUNDRED AND THIRD LEGISLATURE

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**Legislative Document**

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H. P. 663

House of Representatives, February 16, 1967

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BERTHA W. JOHNSON, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Darey of Livermore Falls, by request.

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STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
SIXTY-SEVEN

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**AN ACT to Validate Proceedings Authorizing the Issuance of Bonds and Notes  
By School Administrative District No. 36.**

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

Whereas, the management and control of the public schools located in the Towns of Fayette, Livermore and Livermore Falls have been assumed by School Administrative District No. 36, which embraces the territory in said municipalities; and

Whereas, the elementary and secondary school facilities of the District are inadequate and overcrowded and it is imperative that construction of a new high school, renovation of the present high school for use as a junior high school and renovation of the Grammar School on Cedar Street, all in the Town of Livermore Falls, proceed without further delay; and

Whereas, funds for capital outlay purposes are required by said School Administrative District in order to construct such additional school facilities; and

Whereas, at a district meeting held on June 6, 1966, the voters of School Administrative District No. 36 voted to authorize the school directors of School Administrative District No. 36 to issue bonds or notes for capital outlay purposes and to borrow funds in anticipation of state aid for school construction purposes for the construction of such additional school facilities; and

Whereas, doubt exists whether the warrants issued in connection with said district meeting complied with the applicable requirements of law, particularly in respect of the failure to notify the voters as to the office hours of the registrars

of voters as provided in Title 21 of the Revised Statutes, thus raising doubts as to the legality of the proceedings or authorize the issuance of bonds; 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:

**Authorization.** School Administrative District No. 36, composed of the residents of and the territory within the Towns of Fayette, Livermore and Livermore Falls is authorized to issue and sell its bonds or notes for capital outlay purposes not exceeding the principal amount of \$622,691 and to issue and sell temporary notes for capital outlay purposes in anticipation of state aid for school construction not exceeding the principal amount of \$432,716, under and pursuant to the **applicable provisions of the Revised Statutes, Title 20, section 304, as amended**, without the necessity of further proceedings in the member towns. The proceedings taken in the district meeting held in each member town on June 6, 1966, wherein it was voted to authorize the school directors of School Administrative District No. 36 to issue bonds and notes in the name of said district for capital outlay purposes in an aggregate amount not to exceed \$622,691 and to borrow funds in anticipation of state aid for school construction purposes not to exceed the aggregate amount of \$432,716 and all action subsequently taken and agreements made pursuant to said proceedings by said School Administrative District and its school directors and officers are hereby confirmed, validated and made effective.

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