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ONE HUNDRED AND THIRD LEGISLATURE

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Referred to Committee on Public Utilities. Sent down for concurrence and ordered printed.

JERROLD B. SPEERS, Secretary

Presented by Senator Mills of Franklin.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD MINETEEN HUNDRED SIXTY-SEVEN

AN ACT Relating to Sources of Supply and Purposes of North Jay Water District.

Emergency preamble. Whereas, the existing water facilities in the portion of the Town of Jay served by the North Jay Water District are inadequate for the needs of the inhabitants of said town and the municipal, commercial and industrial pursuits within the town; and

Whereas, this condition constitutes a menace to the welfare and safety of the inhabitants of said town; and

Whereas, it is necessary to take immediate steps to alleviate said conditions; and

Whereas, in the judgement 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., 1951, c. 107, § 2, amended. Section 2 of chapter 107 of the private and special laws of 1951 is amended to read as follows:
- Sec. 2. Powers of said North Jay Water District; source of supply. The said district, for the purposes of its in incorporation, is hereby authorized to take, hold, divert, use and distribute water from any surface or underground lake, pond, river, stream, brook, spring or vein of water in the Town of Jay, and is further authorized to contract with Wilton Water Company, its successors or assigns, or any other public utility, for a supply of water for said purposes, and

to contribute to the cot of such supply of water, and to locate, lay and maintain suitable mains, pipelines and fixtures to receive and deliver the supply of water that may be contracted for; provided that approval for such contract shall be obtained from the Public Utilities Commission.

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