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HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" to H. P. 1279, L. D. 1785, Bill, "An Act to Remove the Existing Debt Limit for North Jay Water District."

Amend said bill in the Title by inserting after the word "District" the words 'and the Existing Debt Limit of the Bowdoinham Water District'

Further amend said Bill by inserting before the enacting clause, the following:

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

Whereas, the present water supply for North Jay and Bowdoinham is inadequate to serve all the uses of the respective districts; and

Whereas, adequate supply of pure water is essential to the health and wellbeing of the Town of North Jay and the Town of Bowdoinham; and

Whereas, it is imperative that action be taken at the earliest possible time to eliminate such conditions; 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,'

Further amend said Bill by inserting at the beginning of the first line the underlined abbreviation and figure 'Sec. 1.'

Further amend said Bill by adding at the end, a new section, as follows:

'Sec. 2. P. & S. L., 1957, c. 121, §9, amended. The 2nd sentence of section 9 of chapter 121 of the private and special laws of 1957 is amended to read as follows:

(over)

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For the purpose of obtaining or providing money to pay or to meet any necessary expenses and liabilities under the provisions of this Act, including expenses in the creation of this district, in securing sources of supply, taking water and land, paying damages, laying pipes, constructing, maintaining and operating a water plant, and making extensions, additions and improvements to the same, the said district, through its trustees, may from time to time issue bonds of the district to an amount not exceeding ~~\$250,000~~ \$500,000, maturing and payable at such time or times, in uniform or varying installments, with or without such call provisions, and with or without such a premium or premiums, as said trustees shall determine.'

Further amend said Bill by adding at the end, the following:

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

Filed by Mr. Scott of Wilton.

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