

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTH LEGISLATURE

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**Legislative Document**

**No. 1559**

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H. P. 1131

House of Representatives, March 16, 1971

Referred to Committee on Taxation. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

BERTHA W. JOHNSON, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Dam of Skowhegan.

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STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
SEVENTY-ONE

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**AN ACT** Relating to Exemptions from Real and Personal Property Taxation  
for Industrial Disposal Systems.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., T. 36, § 655, sub-§ 1, ¶ N, additional. Subsection 1 of section 655 of Title 36 of the Revised Statutes, as amended, is further amended by adding a new paragraph N, to read as follows:

N. Industrial disposal systems.

Industrial disposal systems, under this paragraph, shall include trunk lines, pumping stations, regulating chambers and other related appurtenances that are in operation or under construction on or before October 1, 1976. Such industrial disposal systems and related appurtenances not under construction or in operation by October 1, 1976 shall not be exempt from taxation under this section.

Sec. 2. R. S., T. 36, § 656, sub-§ 1, ¶ E, amended. Paragraph E of subsection 1 of section 656 of Title 36 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:

~~E. Industrial disposal systems that produce no by products which are marketed or used in the process of production~~

Industrial disposal systems.

Industrial disposal systems, under this paragraph, shall include trunk lines, pumping stations, regulating chambers and other related appurtenances that are in operation or under construction on or before October 1, 1976.

**Such industrial disposal systems and related appurtenances not under construction or in operation by October 1, 1976 shall not be exempt from taxation under this section.**

#### STATEMENT OF FACT

It is the intent of this legislation to provide exemptions from real and personal property taxation for those industrial disposal systems which are under construction or in operation by October 1, 1976.