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No. 2357

H. P. 1863 House of Representatives, January 15, 1974 Referred to the Committee on Public Utilities. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

E. LOUISE LINCOLN, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Faucher of Solon.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED SEVENTY-FOUR

AN ACT Increasing Indebtedness of the Jackman Water District.

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

Whereas, in order for the Jackman Water District to carry out its statutory duties and to provide funds to render the services required of the district; 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:

P. & S. L., 1971, c. 119, § 11, amended. The first paragraph of section 11 of chapter 119 of the private and special laws of 1971 is amended to read as follows:

For accomplishing the purposes of this Act, and for such other expenses as may be necessary for the carrying out of said purposes, said district, through its trustees, is authorized to borrow money temporarily and to issue therefor its negotiable notes; and for the purpose of renewing and refunding the indebtedness so created, of paying any necessary expenses and liabilities incurred under the provisions of this Act, including organizational and other necessary expenses and liabilities whether incurred by the district or the

Town of Jackman, the district being authorized to reimburse said town for any such expenses incurred by them, and in acquiring properties, paying damages, laying pipes, mains, aqueducts and conduits, constructing, maintaining, and operating a water plant or system and making renewals, additions, extensions and improvements to the same, and to cover interest payments during the period of construction, said district, through its trustees, is also authorized to issue, from time to time, bonds, notes or other evidences of indebtedness of the district in one series, or in separate series, in such amount or amounts, bearing interest at such rate or rates, and having such terms and provisions as the trustees shall determine; provided, however, that the total indebtedness of the said district shall not exceed the sum of \$300,000 \$800,000 at any time outstanding; but bonds, notes or other evidences of indebtedness of the district which have matured or otherwise become payable and for the payment of which adequate funds have been provided by depositing such funds with a paying or disbursing agent named in such bonds, notes or other evidences of indebtedness in trust for such purpose shall not be considered to be outstanding.

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

STATEMENT OF FACT

The purpose of this bill is reflected in the title.