

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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Sixty-Ninth Legislature.

SENATE.

No. 44.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND EIGHT
HUNDRED AND NINETY-NINE.

AN ACT additional to the incorporation of The Ellsworth Electric
Illuminating Company and additional to the Charter of the Ells-
worth Water Company.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in
Legislature assembled, as follows:*

Sect. 1. The Ellsworth Electric Illuminating Company is
2 hereby authorized to issue its bonds for refunding its outstand-
3 ing bonds and for corporation purposes, in a sum not exceedin
4 twenty-five thousand dollars for a time not exceeding twenty
5 years, and upon such rates of interest as said company may
6 deem expedient, and may secure the same by mortgage of th^e
7 franchises and property of the said corporation.

And the Ellsworth Water Company is hereby authorized to guaranty, assume and pay said bonds and all outstanding contracts, obligations and liabilities of said The Ellsworth Electric Illuminating Company, upon such terms as said companies may mutually determine.

Sect. 2. The Ellsworth Water Company is hereby authorized to purchase, hold, own and enjoy the franchises, property, shares of stock, rights, easements, privileges and immunities of the said The Ellsworth Electric Illuminating Company, and the said The Ellsworth Electric Illuminating Company is hereby authorized to sell, transfer and convey its franchise, property, shares of stock, rights, easements, privileges and immunities, to said Ellsworth Water Company, and upon such terms as said water company and said Illuminating Company may determine; and upon such purchase, sale and transfer the said Ellsworth Water Company shall succeed to and have, hold and enjoy all the rights, easements, privileges and immunities heretofore or hereafter granted to said Illuminating Company in the city of Ellsworth, in the county of Hancock, and shall thereupon and thereafter have the right and power to supply said city of Ellsworth and the inhabitants thereof with light, heat and power by the manufacture and distribution of gas and electricity, and have all the powers and privileges and be subjected to all the duties, restrictions and liabilities by law incident to such corporations.

The said Ellsworth Water Company, upon such purchase and transfer, is authorized to make contracts with the United States, with the county of Hancock, with the said city of Ellsworth, with corporations, and the inhabitants of said

25 city of Ellsworth, for the purpose of supplying light, heat and
26 power ; and the said county of Hancock, by its board of county
27 commissioners, and the said city of Ellsworth, by its mayor and
28 aldermen, are authorized to contract with said company from
29 time to time as they may deem expedient.

Sect. 3. This act shall take effect when approved.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN SENATE, February 16, 1899.

Reported by Mr. HAMLIN from Committee on Judiciary, and laid on table to be printed under joint rules.

KENDALL M. DUNBAR, *Secretary.*