

NEW DRAFT.

# Seventy-first Legislature.

#### HOUSE.

No. 121

## STATE OF MAINE.

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED AND THREE.

AN ACT to authorize the Penobscot Chemical Fibre Company to generate, use, transmit and sell electricity.

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

Section I. The Penobscot Chemical Fibre Company is 2 hereby specially authorized and empowered to make and 3 generate electricity upon its property situated upon the 4 Penobscot river between the towns of Old Town and Brad-5 ley, and also on any dam or dams which it may erect on its 6 property situated on said Penobscot river as aforesaid, and 7 to use said electricity as a motive power in the use and devel-8 opment of its property, and also to sell the same for manu-9 facturing and heating purposes, and also to carry and con-

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10 duct electricity made and generated upon its property between 11 the towns of Old Town and Bradley to and into any towns 12 or cities in the county of Penobscot, State of Maine, and to 13 use the same in all ways for its own purposes, and to sell the 14 same for manufacturing purposes in units of not less than 15 twenty-five horse power and also for heating purposes, but 16 not for electric lighting or street railway purposes.

Sect. 2. Said company is hereby authorized and empowered 2 to construct, lay, maintain and operate lines of wire or other 3 material for the transmission of such electricity under and 4 across any stream or river, and under, along, upon and over 5 streets, ways and bridges in said cities and towns.

Sect. 3. In erecting poles and laying said lines of wire, 2 upon, along and over streets, ways and bridges, and under 3 any stream or river, said corporation shall be subject to the 4 laws of the State applicable to corporations which are author-5 ized to make, generate, sell, distribute and supply electricity 6 for manufacturing purposes, and shall have all the rights 7 and powers of such corporations in the erecting of poles and 8 conduits and the construction, laying and maintaining lines 9 of wire.

Sect. 4. This act shall take effect when approved.

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IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, AUGUSTA, February 13, 1903.

Reported by Mr. CAMPBELL of Cherryfield, from Committee on Legal Affairs, and ordered printed under joint rules.

W. S. COTTON, Clerk.