

# SEVENTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE

# HOUSE

## NO. 279

House of Representatives, Feb. 20, 1913.

Reported by Mr. Sanborn from committee on judiciary, and ordered printed under joint rules.

W. R. ROIX, Clerk.

### STATE OF MAINE

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

AN ACT relating to the Diamond Island Association.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows: Section 1. That all the acts and doings of the Diamond
2 Island Association, a corporation organized under the laws
3 of Maine and located at Great Diamond Island in Portland
4 in the County of Cumberland and State of Maine, in ac-5 quiring the property of the Diamond Island Water Com-6 pany, be hereby ratified, approved and confirmed; and said
7 association is hereby authorized and empowered to acquire
8 by purchase or otherwise all the property of the Diamond
9 Island Gas Company, a voluntary association located at said
10 Great Diamond Island.

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Section 2. Said Diamond Island Association is hereby 2 authorized and empowered to supply the residents of said 3 Great Diamond Island with pure water for domestic and 4 municipal purposes, including the extinguishment of fires, 5 and to generate, manufacture, sell, distribute and supply gas 6 and electricity within the limits of said Great Diamond 7 Island for lighting, heating, manufacturing and mechanical 8 purposes and for lighting the streets and public squares and 9 grounds on said Island, with all the rights and privileges 10 and subject to all the liabilities and obligations of similar 11 corporations under the general laws of the State.

Section 3. For any of the purposes aforesaid, said Dia-2 mond Island Association is hereby authorized to locate, lay, 3 erect, construct, maintain and operate reservoirs, hydrants, 4 machinery, pipes, aqueducts, fixtures, manufactories, works 5 and necessary structures on said Island and lay down and 6 maintain in and on the streets, highways and other ways on 7 said Island, all said pipes, aqueducts and fixtures as may be 8 necessary, and take up, replace and repair the same; and 9 said Diamond Island Association may from time to time 10 establish and collect reasonable rates for the use of said 11 water and gas and electricity and may make and enforce 12 reasonable regulations in regard to the use of the same.

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