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ROYDEN V. BROWN, Secretary.

Presented by Senator Chamberlain of Penobscot.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED THIRTY-NINE

AN ACT Relating to Tax Exemptions.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 13, § 6, ¶ I, amended. Paragraph I of section 6 of chapter 13 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'I. The property of the United States **appropriated to public uses**, and of this state **appropriated to public uses**, and the property of any public municipal corporation of this state, appropriated to public uses, if located within the corporate limits and confines of such public municipal corporation, and also the pipes, fixtures, hydrants, conduits, gate-houses, pumping stations, reservoirs, and dams used only for reservoir purposes, of public municipal corporations engaged in supplying water, power, or light, if located outside of the limits of such public municipal corporations, but nothing herein contained shall abridge any power of taxation possessed by any city or town by virtue of any special act.'

Sec. 2. Constitutionality. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase of this act is for any reason held to be unconstitutional, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this act.