

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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**Legislative Document**

**No. 210**

H. P. 587

House of Representatives, January 31, 1939.

Referred to Committee on Towns. Sent up for concurrence and 500 copies ordered printed.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Peakes of Milo.

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IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
THIRTY-NINE

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**AN ACT to Provide for the Surrender by Medford of Its Organization.**

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

**Sec. 1. Organization of Medford may be surrendered.** The organization of Medford in Piscataquis county as heretofore adopted is hereby surrendered; provided, however, that the corporate existence, powers, duties and liabilities of said town shall survive for the purpose of prosecuting and defending all pending suits and causes of suits to which said town is, or may be a party and all needful process growing out of the same, including provisions for the payment of all or any judgments or debts which may be rendered against such town or exist in favor of any creditor.

**Sec. 2. School fund and unexpended funds.** The school fund deposited to the credit of said town, and all funds unexpended for school purposes at the time when this act is effective out of amounts raised by said town for school purposes or out of amounts paid by the state for school purposes, shall be paid by the treasurer of said town or such other person in whose custody such funds may be, to the treasurer of state. Such amounts, so received, shall be added to the unorganized township funds as provided in section 23 of chapter 11 of the revised statutes.

**Sec. 3. Referendum.** The selectmen shall call not before September 1, 1939 and not later than December 31, 1939, a special town meeting and an appropriate article shall be inserted in the warrant calling said meeting. If a majority of the qualified voters of the town present and voting, vote for the acceptance of this act, it shall become operative on March 31, 1940 as hereinafter stated. A certificate of such vote at said meeting shall be filed by the town clerk with the secretary of state.

**Sec. 4. Effective date.** This act shall become effective March 31, 1940.