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HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Pratt of Turner.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
FORTY-TWO

**AN ACT Providing for Transfer of Certain State Property to the Maine
Nautical Training School.**

Emergency preamble. Whereas, a state of war exists between the United States and Germany, Italy, Japan and other foreign countries; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the legislature this fact creates an emergency within the meaning of section 16 of Article XXXI of the Constitution of Maine and requires the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore,

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

P. & S. L., 1941, c. 37, additional. Chapter 37 of the private and special laws of 1941 is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to be numbered section 6, and to read as follows:

'Sec. 6. Transfer of property authorized. The board of normal school trustees is authorized to discontinue the use of Eastern State Normal School as an elementary teacher training institution when and if, in the judgment of the said board, the enrolment reaches the point where the maintenance of the school is no longer considered to be educationally

profitable. The said board is authorized to transfer the ownership, use, maintenance, and control of this institution, consisting of state land with buildings thereon and certain equipment not essential to other state teacher training institutions, to the Maine Nautical Training School or the "State of Maine Maritime Academy" on such terms as may be acceptable to the boards of control of these 2 schools.'

Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this act shall take effect when approved.