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STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED FORTY-SEVEN

AN ACT to Repeal the Incorporation of the Norway Village Corporation.

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

Sec. 1. P. & S. L., 1350, c. 406, organization of Norway Village Corporation, repealed. Chapter 406 of the private and special laws of 1850 creating the Norway Village Corporation and all acts additional thereto and amendatory thereof are hereby repealed; provided, however, that the corporate existence, powers, duties and liabilities of said corporation shall survive for the purpose of prosecuting and defending all pending suits and causes of suits of which said corporation is, or may be, a party and all needful process growing out of the same, including provisions for the payment of any debts of or judgments which may be rendered against said corporation or exist in favor of any creditor.

Sec. 2. Transfer of property, etc. Immediately after this act becomes fully effective, according to section 4 of this act, all the property, real and personal, and the various departments of Norway Village Corporation shall be conveyed, transferred, assigned, delivered and paid over to the town of Norway, and said town may assume and carry on all the functions of Norway Village Corporation, and said town shall be authorized and empowered to raise funds by loan, or taxation, or both, from time to time, as found necessary, to carry on said functions and to defray the indebtedness thereof, if any.

It shall be the duty of the assessors of Norway Village Corporation, at the time this act becomes fully effective, to execute and deliver, in behalf of said Norway Village Corporation, suitable and appropriate conveyances of all property, real and personal, of said corporation to said town.

Sec. 3. Contracts to be assumed by town of Norway. Upon the acceptance of this act as provided in section 4 hereof, all valid contracts of said Norway Village Corporation shall be assumed and executed by the town of Norway.

Sec. 4. Effective date; referendum. This act shall take effect upon its approval by the governor only for the purpose of permitting its submission to the legal voters of the Norway Village Corporation at a special village corporation meeting called on or before March 8, 1948 for that The clerk of the Norway Village Corporation shall prepare purpose. proper ballots upon which he shall reduce the subject matter of this act to the following question: "Shall 'An Act to Repeal the incorporation of the Norway Village Corporation' be accepted?", and the voters shall indicate by a cross placed over the words "Yes" or "No" their opinion of the same. A certificate of the result of the vote shall be filed by the clerk of the Norway Village Corporation with the secretary of state immediately after the determination of the vote. This act shall become effective in full upon the date that the certificate of the result of such vote, to the effect that this act is accepted, is filed with the secretary of state. If a majority of the legal voters present and voting at such special meeting vote in favor of acceptance, this act shall be deemed to be accepted.