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HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Stevens of Boothbay.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
FIFTY-ONE

**AN ACT to Authorize the Withdrawal of Southport from the Boothbay
Region Community School District.**

Emergency preamble. Whereas, the charter granted to the Boothbay Region Community School District by the 94th legislature, being chapter 24 of the private and special laws of 1949, has been duly accepted by the legal voters of the towns of Boothbay, Boothbay Harbor and Southport; and

Whereas, the inhabitants of the town of Southport have since indicated their desire to withdraw from the district by a 2/3 vote of the legal voters at a special town meeting called and held in accordance with law; and

Whereas, in view of the desire on the part of the town of Southport to withdraw, the district has deemed it advisable to postpone construction of school facilities and, accordingly, has borrowed no money, acquired no assets and incurred no debts; and

Whereas, the present high school building which serves the towns of Boothbay, Boothbay Harbor and Southport is overcrowded, inadequate and unsafe; and

Whereas, it is imperative that action be taken at the earliest possible moment to relieve these conditions; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the legislature these facts create an emergency within the meaning of the constitution of Maine and require 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:

Town of Southport authorized to withdraw from Boothbay Region Community School District. The inhabitants of the town of Southport, a body corporate, is hereby authorized to withdraw from the Boothbay Region Community School District, such withdrawal to be effective immediately.

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