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House of Representatives, February 10, 1953

Referred to the Committee on Legal Affairs. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Smith of Farmingdale.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
FIFTY-THREE

AN ACT Repealing the Act Providing for the Incorporation of the Town of Chelsea School District.

Emergency preamble. Whereas, the charter granted to the Town of Chelsea School District by the 93rd legislature, being chapter 131 of the private and special laws of 1947, was never submitted to the legal voters of the territory embraced within the limits of said district for acceptance in conformity with the referendum provisions of said charter; and

Whereas, the time within which the said charter might have been accepted has long since elapsed; and

Whereas, the present school buildings which serve the town of Chelsea are over-crowded, inadequate and unsafe; and

Whereas, the town of Chelsea has voted to construct and acquire a school building under contract with the Maine School Building Authority; and

Whereas, the Maine School Building Authority is only willing to contract with the town of Chelsea if the charter hereinbefore mentioned is repealed; and

Whereas, it is imperative that action be taken at the earliest possible moment to enable the town of Chelsea to contract with the said Authority in order that a new school building can be constructed and acquired in this building season; 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 :

P. & S. L., 1947, c. 131, repealed. Chapter 131 of the private and special laws of 1947 is hereby repealed and the Town of Chelsea School District is hereby abolished and the town of Chelsea shall succeed to all rights, property and obligations of said district.

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