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STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED FIFTY-FIVE

RESOLVE Relating to Construction of a Road and Terminal in City of Rockland.

Emergency preamble. Whereas, under the provisions of chapter 176 of the resolves of 1951, certain state moneys were appropriated for a road and terminal in the city of Rockland and such appropriation was to be available until June 30, 1953; and

Whereas, Federal funds have been appropriated for a survey of the harbor at Rockland; and

Whereas, it is deemed vital by the legislature that the survey should be completed before any state moneys are expended; and

Whereas, it is vitally necessary to extend the time during which the state moneys are available beyond June 30, 1955; and

Whereas, acts and resolves of the legislature do not become effective until 90 days after adjournment; 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

Resolves, 1951, c. 176, amended. Resolved: That the first paragraph of chapter 176 of the resolves of 1951 be, and hereby is, amended to read as follows:

'That the State Highway Commission be, and hereby is, authorized and directed to reconstruct and extend Mechanic street from Main street in Rockland,

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Knox county the road running from Main Street in Rockland, Knox County, east and through Schofield-White Park. to Rockland harbor, and that the sum of \$2,900 be appropriated from the general highway fund for this purpose; and be it further'; and be it further

Resolved: That chapter 176 of the resolves of 1951 be, and hereby is, amended by adding after the fourth paragraph thereof 2 new paragraphs, to read as follows:

'That, in addition to the \$50,000 appropriated by the 4th paragraph, an additional sum up to \$50,000 be, and hereby is, appropriated from the unappropriated surplus of the general fund for the same purposes, to be available until June 30, 1957.

It is the intent of the Legislature to increase the amount available from \$50,000 to \$100,000, and that only such portion of said \$100,000 shall be paid to the Rockland Port District or the City of Rockland as shall be necessary for the purposes of the said 4th paragraph as may be determined by the Governer and Council; and be it further'

Resolved: That the last paragraph of chapter 176 of the resolves of 1951, as amended by chapter 91 of the resolves of 1953, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

'That such appropriation be available until June 30, +955 1957.'