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HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk

Presented by Miss Cormier of Rumford.

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### STATE OF MAINE

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IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
FIFTY-SEVEN

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#### AN ACT to Repeal the Act Incorporating the Town of Rumford School District.

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

**Sec. 1. P. & S. L., 1929, c. 95, repealed.** Subject to the provisions of section 4 hereof, chapter 95 of the private and special laws of 1929, entitled "An Act to Incorporate the Town of Rumford School District," is hereby repealed.

**Sec. 2. Property of the Town of Rumford School District vested in the Town of Rumford.** Upon the acceptance of this act as provided in section 4 hereof, the title to all real and personal property, or any interest therein, and all moneys, accounts receivable, choses in action and all other rights and credits of whatever nature that may be either then due and payable to or would accrue to or be for the benefit of said District but for this act, shall rest in and become the property of the Town of Rumford, said town being hereby vested with all the rights and powers of holding, disposing of or enforcing such rights so acquired. Notwithstanding the acceptance of this act, the then president and treasurer of said District shall cause to be executed, signed and delivered, a good and sufficient deed of all of the property owned by said District, to the Town of Rumford.

**Sec. 3. Contracts and liabilities to be assumed by the Town of Rumford.** Upon acceptance of this act as provided in section 4 hereof, all valid contracts, obligations, bonds and liabilities of whatever nature or description of said District shall be assumed, executed and paid by the Town of Rumford.

**Sec. 4. Referendum; effective date; certificate to Secretary of State.** This act shall take effect 90 days after adjournment of the Legislature, only for the purpose of permitting its submission to the legal voters of the town of Rumford at the next annual town meeting to be held on the first Monday in February, 1958,

an appropriate article being inserted in the call for said meeting. The town clerk shall prepare the required ballots on which he shall reduce the subject matter of this act to the following question: "Shall the Act to Repeal the Act Incorporating the Town of Rumford School District, passed by the 98th Legislature, be accepted?" and the voters shall indicate by a cross or check mark placed against the words "Yes" or "No" their opinion of the same. This act shall take effect for all the purposes hereof immediately upon its acceptance by a majority of the legal voters at said meeting; provided that the total number of votes cast for and against the acceptance of this act equaled or exceeded 20% of the total vote cast for all candidates for Governor in said town at the next previous gubernatorial election.

The result of the vote shall be declared by the municipal officers of the town of Rumford and due certificate thereof shall be filed by the town clerk with the Secretary of State.