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H. P. 691 House of Representatives, February 26, 1957. Received by unanimous consent. Referred to Committee on Legal Affairs. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

HARVEY R. PEASE, Clerk.

Presented by Mr. Violette of Van Buren.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED FIFTY-SEVEN

AN ACT to Increase Borrowing Capacity of Town of Van Buren School District.

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

P. & S. L., 1947, c. 61, § 4, amended. The 1st sentence of section 4 of chapter 61 of the private and special laws of 1947 is hereby amended to read as follows:

'To procure funds for the purpose of this act and such other expense as may be necessary to the carrying out of said purposes, the said district is hereby authorized to issue its bonds and notes, but shall not incur a total indebtedness exceeding the sum of $\frac{125,000}{125,000}$ \$450,000.'

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 Van Buren at the regular town meeting to be held in 1958, an appropriate article being inserted in the call for such 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 Increase Borrowing Capacity of Town of Van Buren 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 voting at said meeting; provided that the total number of votes cast for and against the acceptance of this act equals or exceeds 20% of the total vote for all candidates for Governor in said town at the next preceding gubernatorial election.

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