

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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**Referendum; effective date; emergency clause.** In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this act shall take effect when approved, only for the purpose of permitting its submission to the legal voters of the Town of New Gloucester present and voting at the next annual town meeting, 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 Increasing Indebtedness of New Gloucester School District, passed by the First Special Session of the 99th Legislature, be accepted?" 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 vote of the legal voters voting at said meeting; provided the total number of votes cast for and against the acceptance of this act at said meeting equaled or exceeded 20% of the total vote for all candidates for Governor in said town at the next preceding gubernatorial election.

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

#### STATEMENT OF FACTS

See the emergency preamble.