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Legislative Document

No. 1433

S. P. 526

In Senate, January 19, 1960.

Committee on Judiciary suggested.

CHESTER T. WINSLOW, Secretary

Presented by Senator Pierce of Hancock.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SIXTY

AN ACT Authorizing Town of Franklin to Receive Legacy for Water System.

Emergency preamble. Whereas, the late Adelaide C. Bunker bequeathed the residue of her estate to the Town of Franklin for a water system, provided the same is established within 4 years of the date of her death; and

Whereas, the testatrix died November 2, 1957; and

Whereas, it appears that legislation is necessary for the Town of Franklin to be able to accept said funds for said purpose; and

Whereas, it is necessary forthwith to secure said funds, design and construct said system in order to avoid a forfeiture; 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., 1825, c. 294, § 4, additional. Chapter 294 of the private and special laws of 1825 is amended by adding thereto a new section, to be numbered 4, to read as follows:

'Sec. 4. Adelaide C. Bunker legacy for water system. The Town of Franklin, County of Hancock, is authorized to accept the residual legacy under the will of the late Adelaide C. Bunker to be used toward the installation and main-

tenance of a permanent water system for supplying pure water to a majority of its citizens, to construct and maintain said system, to use water therefor from any lake, pond, stream, brook, spring or well in said town and to lay mains in and through roads and across lands therein.'

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

STATEMENT OF FACTS

See the emergency preamble.