

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES
OF THE
SEVENTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE
STATE OF MAINE.

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OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

As Passed by the Seventy-fifth
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CHAP. 137

to wit, the American Baptist Foreign Mission Society, incorporated in the state of Pennsylvania, the American Baptist Home Mission Society, incorporated in the state of New York, the American Baptist Publication Society, incorporated in the state of Pennsylvania, and the Northern Baptist Convention, incorporated in the state of New York, such part or portion as to said general conference of Free Baptists may seem proper, of all the real and personal property which the said general conference of Free Baptists now holds or which it may hereafter acquire or receive, it being the intent of this act that all of said real and personal property shall be so transferred and that said property shall be held and used by the corporation to which it shall be transferred and delivered, for religious, missionary, educational or charitable purposes.

Section 2. All gifts, bequests, devises and conveyances of property heretofore or hereafter made to or received by said general conference of Free Baptists subject to any condition, limitation or use shall be held and used by that one of the said corporations to which it shall be transferred or delivered, subject to such condition, limitation or use.

Gifts, bequests, and devises, etc.

Section 3. If said general conference of Free Baptists shall hold any property, gift, bequest or devise which for any reason valid in law is not transferable, said general conference of Free Baptists shall continue to hold and use said property, gift, bequest and devise for the purpose designated in the making of the gift, bequest, devise or conveyance of property thus held.

Property not transferable, how held.

Approved March 17, 1911.

Chapter 137.

An Act regulating the use of Rights and Locations in Public Streets.

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

Section 1. No corporation granted a right or location in the streets of Augusta shall abandon or discontinue the use of a portion of said location without the consent of the municipal officers.

Location not to be abandoned without consent of municipal officers.

Section 2. Any part of a location granted as in section one of this act which has been discontinued or abandoned without the consent of the municipal officers shall forthwith be resumed and restored to the use for which such location was granted upon order of the municipal officers.

Location abandoned shall be restored to use.

CHAP. 138Enforcement
of this act.

Section 3. To enforce the provisions of this act injunction proceedings upon petition of the municipal officers shall lie to restrain the partial use of any location or right until compliance with the order set forth in section two of this act.

Approved March 20, 1911.

Chapter 138.

An Act to authorize the Town of York to lease certain lands within said Town.

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

Town author-
ized to lease
lands along
highways.

Section 1. For the purpose of preserving and improving the natural scenery along the highways and townways in the town of York, the inhabitants of said town are hereby authorized to acquire by lease, any tract of woodland lying along any of the highways or townways in said town on such terms and conditions as the owners thereof, and said inhabitants may agree, but in no case shall payment amount to more than three and one-half per cent of the value of said property per annum.

Appropriation
authorized.

Section 2. Said inhabitants are hereby authorized to make such appropriation as they may deem advisable for the purposes aforesaid.

Care and
protection of
leased lands.

Section 3. Said inhabitants are hereby further authorized to make such arrangements for the care and protection of lands so leased as they may deem advisable.

Approved March 20, 1911.

Chapter 139.

An Act relating to the jurisdiction of the Bar Harbor Municipal Court, of the Town of Eden.

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

Jurisdiction
enlarged.

The jurisdiction of the Bar Harbor municipal court of the town of Eden, in civil causes is hereby enlarged from one hundred dollars exclusive of costs, as now established by law, to two hundred dollars.

Approved March 20, 1911.