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AS PASSED BY THE

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limits of this state, and said corporations shall not be permitted to acquire in any manner the franchises of or consolidate with, or transfer, or lease its property, rights and franchises to any other corporation, firm or person now transmitting, or having the right to transmit, electric power generated within the limits of the state of Maine beyond the confines of said state without express authority of the legislature.

Approved April 6, 1923.

Chapter 117.

An Act to Authorize the Sale by Sebec Dam Company and Purchase by Milo Electric Light and Power Company of All the Property, Rights, Privileges, Immunities and Franchises of Sebec Dam Company.

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

Sec. 1. Sebec Dam Co., authorized to lease or sell; and Milo Electric Light & Power Co., authorized to lease or buy. Sebec Dam Company is hereby authorized and empowered to lease all its property, together with or without all its rights, privileges and franchises, and to sell and convey all its property, together with, but not without, all its rights, privileges and franchises, to Milo Electric Light and Power Company, or to merge or consolidate with said Milo Electric Light and Power Company, and said Milo Electric Light and Power Company shall have and is hereby granted power and authority to acquire by lease all the property, together with or without the rights, privileges and franchises of said Sebec Dam Company, and to acquire by purchase, merger, or consolidation all the property, together with, but not without, the rights, privileges and franchises of said Sebec Dam Company, upon such terms and conditions as may be agreed upon by the stockholders of said corporations and subject to the provisions of sections sixty to seventy-one, inclusive, of chapter fifty-one of the revised statutes, and subject to the rights of all the creditors of said corporations.

Sec. 2. Light Co., subrogated to rights and privileges of Dam Co. From and after any such purchase, sale, lease, merger or consolidation Milo Electric Light and Power Company shall have, possess and enjoy for all purposes of said corporation all the rights, powers, privileges, immunities and franchises of said Sebec Dam Company as set out in the act creating said Sebec Dam Company and all amendments thereto, and shall have the right to all tolls and to enforce collection of said tolls specified in said act and the amendments thereto by suit in the name of Milo Electric Light and Power Company or by the provisions to enforce its lien, as provided in said act and the amendments thereto, and may erect at the outlet of Sebec lake or on Sebec stream any other dam to be used in place of any existing dam

now owned by said Sebec Dam Company and in respect thereto may exercise for its purposes all the powers and privileges acquired by it from said Sebec Dam Company, but any lease of said property only by Sebec Dam Company shall, by its terms, reserve to said Sebec Dam Company the right to exercise such control and management of said property as will enable it to perform the duties and obligations imposed upon it by said act creating said Sebec Dam Company and amendments thereto, and by law, or, if the lease shall be of all property, rights, privileges and franchises of said Sebec Dam Company, such lease shall provide that Milo Electric Light and Power Company shall assume and perform all such obligations and duties.

Sec. 3. Existing statutes not affected; subject to provisions of R. S., c. 55. Nothing herein contained is intended to repeal or shall be construed as repealing the whole or any part of any existing statute, and all the rights and duties herein mentioned, when acquired and while owned or controlled by Milo Electric Light and Power Company, shall be exercised and performed in accordance with all the applicable provisions of chapter fifty-five of the revised statutes and acts amendatory thereof or additional thereto.

Sec. 4. Electric current not to be transmitted beyond state. It shall be unlawful for said Milo Electric Light and Power Company to transmit electric current for sale or use beyond the limits of this state, or to contract with any person, firm or corporation for the transmission or sale of electric current beyond the limits of this state, and said corporation shall not be permitted to acquire in any manner the franchises of, or consolidate with, or transfer, or lease its property, rights and franchises to any other corporation, firm or person now transmitting, or having the right to transmit electric power beyond the confines of the state, without express authority of the legislature.

Approved April 6, 1923.

Chapter 118.

An Act to Amend Chapter Eighty-four of the Private and Special Laws of Nineteen Hundred and Nineteen, Entitled "An Act to Provide for the Building of Public Wharves and for the Establishment of Adequate Port Facilities and for the Advancement of Commerce."

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

Sec. 1. P. & S. L., 1919, c. 84, sec. 8; relating to power to lease wharves, etc., and collection and disposition of revenues, amended. Section eight of chapter eighty-four of the private and special laws of nineteen hundred and nineteen, entitled "An Act to Provide for the Building of Public