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OF THE

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OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

As Passed by the Eighty-Eighth Legislature

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## Chapter 41

### AN ACT to Validate the Incorporation of the Town of Jonesport School District.

**Emergency preamble.** Whereas, chapter 17, of the private and special laws of 1935 created the Town of Jonesport School District, conditioned on the acceptance and approval of said act by a majority of the legal voters within said district voting upon a question to be submitted to them at any regular or special town meeting, the form of said question being specifically set forth in said act, and

Whereas, the question actually submitted to said legal voters by Article 42 of the warrant for the annual town meeting of said Jonesport, held March 11, 1935, was not in the form so provided by said act but was in such form that the vote thereon would clearly indicate acceptance or non-acceptance of said act, and

Whereas, the vote thereon was 235 in favor of acceptance and 7 against acceptance, and

Whereas, as a result of the foregoing there exists some doubt whether or not said act has been properly approved by said legal voters, and

Whereas, it is necessary that the Town of Jonesport School District be duly and legally created before any action can be taken to secure a grant from the United States government to aid in the construction of necessary buildings, and

Whereas, arrangements have been made for the issuance of \$33,000 serial bonds of said Town of Jonesport School District, provided the same shall be the legal obligations of said school district, and

Whereas, since the high school building in the town of Jonesport, in Washington county, burned on December 22, 1933, it has been necessary to continue classes in an abandoned school house, and the Knights of Pythias Hall, where there is not sufficient room, and where the lighting and heating is inadequate, which is a dangerous condition to the lives and health of the pupils of said school, and

Whereas, it is imperative that construction should be commenced immediately, and

Whereas, in the opinion of the legislature, these facts render the immediate passage of this act necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety, and constitute an emergency within the meaning of section 16 of Article XXXI of the constitution; now, therefore,

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

**Ratification.** The organization of the "Town of Jonesport School District" pursuant to chapter 17 of the private and special laws of 1935, the acceptance and approval of said act by the legal voters of the town of Jonesport, the appointment of the officers of said corporation and their actions, including specifically a vote of the trustees taken on March 15, 1937 authorizing the issuance of \$33,000 of serial bonds and all action taken in relation thereto, are hereby ratified, confirmed and made valid in all respects.

**Emergency clause.** In view of the emergency created as recited in the preamble this act shall take effect when approved.

Approved March 26, 1937.

## Chapter 42

### AN ACT to Provide for the Surrender by Town of Carroll of Its Organization.

**Emergency preamble.** Whereas, many persons, residing and having their pauper settlement in the town of Carroll, are destitute and in need of immediate relief, including medicines and medical aid and attention, and

Whereas, the town of Carroll is, by reason of lack of available funds, unable to relieve such destitute persons, and

Whereas, in the judgment of the legislature, these facts create an emergency within the meaning of section 16 of Article XXXI of the constitution of the state 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:*

**Sec. 1. Organization of town of Carroll may be surrendered.** The organization of the town of Carroll in Penobscot county as heretofore adopted is hereby surrendered; provided, however, that the corporate existence, powers, duties and liabilities of said town shall survive for the purpose of prosecuting and defending suits and causes of suits to which said town is, or may be, a party and all needful processes growing out of the same, including provisions for the payment of all or any judgments which may be or has been rendered against such town or outstanding debts which exist in favor of any creditor.