

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES  
AS PASSED BY THE  
Eighty-ninth and Ninetieth  
Legislatures

OF THE  
STATE OF MAINE

From April 21, 1939 to April 26, 1941  
AND MISCELLANEOUS STATE PAPERS

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Private and Special Laws

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

As Passed by the Ninetieth Legislature

(Effective July 26, 1941)

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voters of Silver Ridge Plantation at any annual or special plantation meeting legally called to consider the acceptance of this act; an appropriate article being inserted in the call for said meeting.

If a majority of the qualified voters of the plantation, present and voting, vote in favor of the acceptance of this act, it shall become operative on April 1, 1941. A certificate of such vote shall be filed by the plantation clerk with the secretary of state.

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

Approved February 28, 1941

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## Chapter 22

### AN ACT to Amend the Charter of Higgins Classical Institute.

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

P. & S. L., 1891, c. 91, § 2, amended. The 2nd sentence of section 2 of chapter 91 of the private and special laws of 1891 is hereby amended to read as follows:

'The number of trustees shall not at any time be more than ~~fifteen~~ 21 nor less than 11, 5 of whom shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.'

Approved February 28, 1941

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## Chapter 23

### AN ACT Relating to the Town of Princeton Lighting District.

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

Sec. 1. P. & S. L., 1939, c. 38, § 2, amended. Section 2 of chapter 38 of the private and special laws of 1939 is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 2. Powers. Said district is further authorized and empowered to make any or all extensions of the distribution system for supplying electricity to the inhabitants of said town of Princeton, Plantation No. 21, and in unorganized Township No. 2, First Range, sometimes called Indian Township, that portion south of the highway leading from U. S. Highway No. 1 to Grand Lake Stream Plantation, as heretofore operated, which in

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the opinion of the trustees of said district, constituted as hereinafter set forth, may seem necessary or desirable.'

Sec. 2. P. & S. L., 1939, c. 38, § 3, amended. Section 3 of chapter 38 of the private and special laws of 1939 is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 3. May enter into contracts. Said district is further authorized and empowered to contract with any person or corporation for a supply of electrical energy to be sold and distributed within the limits of said town of Princeton, Plantation No. 21, and in unorganized Township No. 2, First Range, sometimes called Indian Township, that portion south of the highway leading from U. S. Highway No. 1 to Grand Lake Stream Plantation, and to construct a transmission line or lines to connect with the power plant of any such person or corporation, and transmit electrical energy into said town.'

Approved March 8, 1941

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## Chapter 24

### AN ACT to Amend the Charter of the City of Auburn.

Emergency preamble. Whereas, the 89th legislature, by chapter 69 of the private and special laws, amended the charter of the city of Auburn, and

Whereas, by said amendment, through inadvertence, the city council of the city of Auburn was deprived of the power of appointment of trustees of the Auburn Water District and trustees of the Auburn Sewerage District, and of a health officer, and

Whereas, no other method is provided by law for the appointment of the trustees of said Auburn Water District and said Auburn Sewerage District and said health officer, and

Whereas, other inconsistencies appear in the charter of said city of Auburn, and

Whereas, as a result thereof, the functions of said Auburn Water District and said Auburn Sewerage District and said city of Auburn have been dangerously impaired, and

Whereas, these facts create an emergency within the meaning of section 16 of Article XXXI of the constitution and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore