

ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

Ninety-first and Ninety-second Legislatures

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

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1945

TO AMEND THE PORTLAND CITY CHARTER PRIVATE AND SPECIAL, 1945

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the provisions of this charter, shall continue in force until amended or repealed.

All rules and regulations of the municipal officers of the city of Old Town in force at the time when this charter takes effect, not inconsistent with the provisions hereof, shall continue in force until amended or repealed.

Sec. 5. Existing contracts not invalidated, unless inconsistent. All rights, actions, proceedings, prosecutions, and contracts of the city or any of its departments, pending or unexecuted when this charter goes into effect and not inconsistent herewith shall be enforced, continued or completed in all respects as though begun or executed hereunder.

Sec. 6. Term of office; officers; boards. All officials, officers, trustees, members of departments, hereafter to be appointed or elected under the provisions of this charter by the city manager or city council, whose term of office has not been herein otherwise provided for, shall not serve out their present terms, but shall continue in office only until their successors are appointed or elected, and qualified, as provided in this act. The term of office of the present members of the board of overseers of the poor, board of health, park commission and cemetery board shall terminate on the 1st Monday in January, 1946.

Sec. 7. Acts repealed. In case this act is approved in the manner hereinbefore provided, all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

Effective July 21, 1945

Chapter 50

AN ACT to Amend the Portland City Charter.

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

P. & S. L., 1923, c. 109, Art. V, § 5, amended. Section 5 of Article V of chapter 109 of the private and special laws of 1923 is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 5. Filing nomination papers; acceptances of nominations must be filed. The nomination petitions for any one candidate shall be assembled and united into one petition, and filed with the city clerk not earlier than

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30 nor later than sixteen 21 days before the day of election. No nomination shall be valid unless the candidate shall file with the city clerk in writing not later than sixteen 21 days before the day of election, his consent, accepting the nomination, agreeing not to withdraw, and, if elected, to qualify.'

Effective July 21, 1945

Chapter 51

AN ACT to Provide for the Payment of Expenses Incurred by the Maine State Office Building Authority and the Building Commission.

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

P. & S. L., 1941, c. 76, §§ 9-A, 9-B, additional. Chapter 76 of the private and special laws of 1941 is hereby amended by adding thereto 2 new sections to be numbered 9-A and 9-B, to read as follows:

'Sec. 9-A. Expenses may be paid from general fund, when. Until the Building Authority shall have been able to borrow money as authorized by the provisions of section 9 of this chapter, expenses incurred by the Authority and by the Building Commission for purposes contemplated by the act may be paid out of the general fund of the state on warrants drawn by the governor and council, but when funds shall come into the hands of the Authority the state shall be reimbursed therefrom for all payments made under the provisions of the section.

Sec. 9-B. State may purchase notes of the Authority. When there is money in the treasury which, in the judgment of the treasurer of state, is not needed to meet current obligations, he may, with the advice and consent of the governor and council, invest such amount as he deems advisable in bonds, notes, or evidences of indebtedness issued by the Building Authority pursuant to section 9 of this chapter.'

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