

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ACTS AND RESOLVES  
AS PASSED BY THE  
Ninety-first and Ninety-second  
Legislatures  
OF THE  
STATE OF MAINE

From April 10, 1943 to April 21, 1945  
AND MISCELLANEOUS STATE PAPERS  
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**Chapter 1**

**RESOLVE, Affirming and Validating Certain Elections Held by the  
Penobscot Indian Tribe.**

**Emergency preamble.** Whereas, the date for the election of governor and lieutenant governor of the tribe of Penobscot Indians and a representative from the tribe at the legislature was changed from the 1st Tuesday of November to the 1st Tuesday in September by the 1943 legislature, and

Whereas, by result of lack of knowledge of such change the said tribe did not hold its election on the 1st Tuesday of September in the year 1944, and

Whereas, the said tribe did in good faith hold an election on the 1st Tuesday in November in the year 1944, and

Whereas, at such election the tribe allegedly elected the following officers for terms of 2 years:

Governor, James Lewis

Lieutenant governor, Harold Francis

Representative at the Legislature, Horace Polchies, 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 Maine and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore, be it

**Election validated and affirmed. Resolved:** That the election of said James Lewis and Harold Francis as governor and lieutenant governor of the Penobscot Tribe of Indians respectively and the election of Horace Polchies as representative at the legislature of said Indian tribe at said election held on the 1st Tuesday of November, 1944 is hereby legalized and affirmed for terms ending on the 1st Tuesday of September, 1946, in the cases of the governor and lieutenant governor and for the term of 2 years in the case of Horace Polchies, as representative at the legislature.

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

Effective February 19, 1945

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## Chapter 2

### RESOLVE, in Favor of John H. Perkins of Brunswick.

**Screening private pond. Resolved:** That the commissioner of inland fisheries and game be, and hereby is, directed to issue a rule and regulation permitting John H. Perkins of Brunswick, in the county of Cumberland, to place fish screens at the entrance and exit of the privately constructed pond located on his land. The pond was constructed by damming the small stream known as Thompson's brook and said screens shall be placed therein under the supervision of the commissioner of inland fisheries and game.

Effective July 21, 1945