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# ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

## Ninety-fifth Legislature

OF THE

# STATE OF MAINE

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the amounts authorized to be appropriated to the contribution fund by the preceding paragraph of this section for the next appropriation period.

Sec. 6. Rules and regulations. The state agency shall make and publish such rules and regulations, not inconsistent with the provisions of this chapter, as it finds necessary or appropriate to the efficient administration of the functions with which it is charged under the provisions of this chapter.

Sec. 7. Cost of administration. Any cost of administering the provisions of this chapter may be prorated among the political subdivisions joining this plan.'

Sec. 2. Effective date. The provisions of this act shall be retroactive to January 1, 1951 with respect to any political subdivision that shall elect to accept its provisions as of that date.

Effective August 20, 1951

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## Chapter 396

### AN ACT Relating to Sanitary Facilities for Certain Places.

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

R. S., c. 22, § 165, amended. Section 165 of chapter 22 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 165. Cities and towns may prescribe plumbing regulations, subject to state minimum. Any city or town, may by ordinance or by-law, prescribe regulations for the materials, construction, alteration and inspection of all pipes, tanks, faucets, valves and other fixtures by and through which waste or sewage is used and carried, and for the materials and sizes of pipe which carry water to all plumbing fixtures, which regulations shall provide not less than the minimum requirements of the rules and regulations of the department in relation to plumbing work, for the carrying of such waste and sewage and for the materials and sizes of pipe which carry water to all plumbing fixtures, and shall provide that such pipes, tanks, faucets, valves or other fixtures shall not be placed in any building in such city or town, nor shall any septic tank or other system of private sewage disposal be installed to receive the drainage from such plumbing, (except to repair leaks or replace an old fixture to be used for the same purpose) except after the issuing of a permit for the installation of such work, issued by the inspector

of plumbing in such city or town in accordance with a written description or information on such application blanks as shall be approved and furnished to such cities or towns by the department.'

Effective August 20, 1951

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## Chapter 397

### AN ACT Relating to Academies.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 37, § 106, repealed and replaced. Section 106 of chapter 37 of the revised statutes, as amended, is hereby repealed and the following enacted in place thereof:

'Sec. 106. Academy defined; approval of instruction; reports. Whenever in sections 106 to 110, inclusive, the word "academy" occurs, it shall be construed to include "seminary" or "institute."

When in the judgment of the commissioner, from returns made as herein provided, it appears that any incorporated academy in the state is prepared to give instruction equivalent to that required by law to be given in free high schools, that pupils attending the said academy are qualified to receive such instruction and that the teachers in the said academy are certified or licensed to give instruction in secondary school studies, such academy may provide approved secondary education under the conditions of sections 98 and 99. Every academy receiving state funds, either directly or indirectly, and every academy approved for tuition and attendance purposes shall annually, on or before the 15th day of July, report to the commissioner such information as may be required for the performance of his duties.'

Sec. 2. R. S. c. 37, § 107, repealed and replaced. Section 107 of chapter 37 of the revised statutes is hereby repealed and the following enacted in place thereof:

'Sec. 107. State board of education regulations. The state board of education may make such reasonable regulations regarding tuition charges, accounting and other aspects of academy and municipal relationships as are deemed necessary for carrying out the purposes and provisions of sections 106 to 110, inclusive. Except as otherwise provided by law, the creation of a board consisting of representatives of an academy and a municipality for