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# ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

## Ninety-fifth Legislature

OF THE

# STATE OF MAINE

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## Chapter 24

**AN ACT to Ratify and Confirm the Incorporation of Hope Cemetery Corporation, of Kennebunk, in the County of York.**

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

Incorporation of Hope Cemetery Corporation ratified. The incorporation of Hope Cemetery Corporation, of Kennebunk, in the county of York, is hereby declared to be in existence and to have been in existence since 1854; and all the acts of the members, officers and directors of said corporation, as such, prior to the effective date of this act, are hereby ratified and confirmed; and the register of deeds in and for the county of York is hereby authorized and instructed to enter upon his records this validation of the incorporation of Hope Cemetery Corporation in accordance with this act.

Effective August 20, 1951

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## Chapter 25

**AN ACT Relating to the Charter of the City of Bangor.**

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

P. & S. L., 1931, c. 54, Art. II, § 2, amended. The last paragraph of section 2 of article II of chapter 54 of the private and special laws of 1931 is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Members of the city council shall ~~serve without compensation~~ receive the sum of \$400 per year in full for compensation, same payable quarterly.'

Referendum; effective date; return to secretary of state. This act shall take effect 90 days after the adjournment of the legislature, only for the purpose of permitting its submission to the legal voters of the city of Bangor at the next regular city election called and held for the purpose at the regular voting places of the city by the officers of the city of Bangor authorized to call such election. A check list shall be used at such election. The city clerk shall prepare the required ballots, on which he shall reduce the subject matter of this act to the following question: "Shall the Act Relating to the Charter of the City of Bangor," passed by the 95th legislature, be accepted?" and the voters shall indicate by a cross or check mark placed against the words "Yes" or "No" their opinion of the same. The result

shall be declared by the municipal officers and due certificate thereof filed by the city clerk with the secretary of state.

This act shall take effect for all the purposes hereof immediately upon its acceptance by a majority of the legal voters voting at said election.

Effective August 20, 1951

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## Chapter 26

### AN ACT Permitting the Children's Aid Society of Maine to Sell Buildings and Land.

**Emergency preamble.** Whereas, the Children's Aid Society of Maine is engaged in public charitable purposes; and

Whereas, it cannot continue such purposes in its present location and with its present facilities; and

Whereas, it is desirable that its corporate purposes be continued without interruption; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the legislature, these facts create an emergency within the meaning 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 enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:*

**Children's Aid Society authorized to sell land and buildings.** The Children's Aid Society of Maine, a corporation established by chapter 459 of the private and special laws of 1893, is hereby authorized and empowered to sell and convey free from all claims of the state, the buildings and land at the girls' home in Belfast, county of Waldo, and to use the proceeds toward the construction of a substitute building on land owned by the Sweetser Children's Home in the city of Saco, county of York, for continuation of the work of the Children's Aid Society of Maine.

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

Effective March 5, 1951