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ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

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additional compensation, give the commission such advice and service as it may from time to time require. The commission shall be furnished with suitable offices at the seat of government. It shall make an annual report for the fiscal year ending June 30, to the governor and council, of its doings and the expenditures of its office, with such statement relative to the construction and maintenance of public highways and such recommendations as to the general policy of the state relative thereto as it considers appropriate. The chairman shall be the chief administrative officer, having general charge of the office and records, but all policy decisions of the commission must be by a majority of its total membership.'

Sec. 2. Effective date. This act shall become effective either at the expiration of the term of office of whomever may be chairman of the highway commission on the date of approval of this act or upon a vacancy occurring by resignation or otherwise in the office of chairman of the highway commission, whichever is sooner.

Sec. 3. Intent. It is the intent of the legislature that this act shall in no way affect the present tenure of office of the present members of the highway commission.

Effective August 8, 1953

Chapter 399

AN ACT Relating to Evidence of Offenses Before Grand Jury.

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

R. S., c. 135, § 6, amended. Section 6 of chapter 135 of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof the following sentence:

'Evidence relating to offenses cognizable by the court may be offered to the grand jury by the attorney-general, the county attorney, the assistant county attorney, and at the discretion of the presiding justice, by such other persons as said presiding justice may permit.'

Effective August 8, 1953