

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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# ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

## Ninety-sixth Legislature

OF THE

# STATE OF MAINE

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approved, only for the purpose of permitting its submission to the legal voters of the territory embraced within the limits of said district present and voting at a special meeting called and held for that purpose or at an annual town meeting of the town of Caribou, not later than 4 months after the approval of this act. In the event a special meeting is called for the purpose, it shall be called, advertised and conducted according to the law relating to municipal elections; provided, however, that the board of registration in said town of Caribou shall not be required to prepare for posting, nor the town clerk to post, a new list of voters, and for the purpose of registration of voters, said board shall be in session the 3 secular days next preceding such special meeting, the 1st and 2nd days thereof to be devoted to registration of voters, and the 3rd day to enable the board to verify the corrections of such list and to complete and close up their records of said sessions. The town clerk shall prepare the required ballots on which he shall reduce the subject matter of this act to the following question: "Shall the act to create the Caribou Hospital District, passed by the 96th 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. This act shall take effect for all the purposes hereof immediately upon its acceptance by a majority vote of the legal voters voting at said meeting; provided that the total number of votes cast for and against the acceptance of this act at said meeting equals or exceeds 20% of the total vote for all candidates for governor in said town at the next previous gubernatorial election. The result in said district shall be declared by the municipal officers of the town of Caribou, and due certificate filed by the town clerk with the secretary of state.

Effective March 12, 1953

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## Chapter 13

### AN ACT Regulating the Digging of Clams in the Town of Tremont, Hancock County.

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

**Digging of clams in town of Tremont, regulated; penalty.** It shall be unlawful for any person not a resident of or a riparian owner in the town of Tremont, in the county of Hancock, to dig clams for commercial purposes within the limits of said town.

Any person taking clams contrary to the provisions of this act shall be punished for each offense by a fine of not more than \$25, or by imprisonment for not more than 30 days, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

Effective August 8, 1953

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## Chapter 14

AN ACT Relating to the Taking of Clams in the Town of Castine.

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

**Taking of clams in Castine.** Any person not a resident of the town of Castine, county of Hancock, or a riparian owner of clam flats in said town of Castine, is forbidden to dig clams for commercial purposes within the limits of said town. Any person taking clams contrary to the provisions of this act shall be punished for each offense by a fine of not more than \$25, or by imprisonment for not more than 30 days, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

Effective August 8, 1953

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## Chapter 15

AN ACT to Amend the Charter of the Freeport Sewer District.

**Emergency preamble.** Whereas, acts of the legislature do not become effective until 90 days after adjournment; and

Whereas, it is vitally necessary that lawful charges of the Freeport Sewer District be collected as soon as possible; and

Whereas, it is essential that the treasurer of the Freeport Sewer District be authorized to sue for taxes as soon as possible; 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,