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ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

Ninety-sixth Legislature

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

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Sec. 3. Members of authority and commission to deliver property. The members of the Maine State Office Building Authority and of the Building Commission, also created by said chapter 76, are hereby directed, and each of them is hereby directed, to deliver forthwith to the governor and council any and all property of said authority and of said commission over which they may have control, including, but not exclusively, all minute books, records, architectural sketches, drawings, designs, and all other property.

Sec. 4. Maine State Office Building Authority and Commission abolished. Except for their duties stated herein, the members of the Maine State Office Building Authority and Commission shall have no further duties. Except as inconsistent with provisions hereof, chapter 76 of the private and special laws of 1941, chapter 94 of the private and special laws of 1943, chapter 51 of the private and special laws of 1945 and chapter 128 of the private and special laws of 1947 are hereby, and each of them is, repealed.

Sec. 5. State House Offices Advisory Committee created. The governor shall appoint, with the advice and consent of the council, 5 persons who shall constitute the state house offices advisory committee. The committee members shall serve during the pleasure of the governor and may be reimbursed for travel and other reasonable and necessary expenses related to committee duties. Not more than 4 members of the committee shall be members of one political party. It is the intent of the legislature that the committee shall so perform its duties as to advise the governor and council on broad policy matters such as but not necessarily limited to time of construction, general type of facility, choice of location and determination of what departments of state government shall be located in the new facility.

Sec. 6. Appropriation shall not lapse. The appropriation provided by the provisions of this act shall not lapse but shall remain a carrying balance until the purposes of this act have been accomplished.

Effective August 8, 1953

Chapter 176

AN ACT to Establish a State Committee on Aging.

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

Sec. 1. A state committee on aging created. The governor, with the advice and consent of the council, shall appoint a committee of 7 members,

consisting of 1 each from the house of representatives, the senate, the department of health and welfare, and 4 representative citizens, and shall designate the chairman.

Sec. 2. Duties of the committee. The state committee on aging shall study the problems, both of the state itself and its people, which arise with the tremendous increase in numbers and from changed attitudes towards our older citizens. The committee shall find out and tabulate present resources and good practices. It shall also offer concrete suggestions for a long range program, and wherever possible get it started, so that the ever enlarging group of older men and women may be useful to each other and a blessing to the state.

A report of the committee's activities and findings shall be made to the governor and legislature not later than October 31, 1954.

Sec. 3. Time of meeting; expenses. Said committee shall meet at the place designated by and at the call of the chairman, not less than 3 times a year, for the promotion of its objectives. The members shall be paid necessary expenses incurred in the performance of their duties.

Sec. 4. Appropriation. There is hereby appropriated from the general fund the sum of \$1,200 for the biennium ending June 30, 1955 to the said committee, to be expended in the promotion of its objectives and in the payment of necessary office work and material and the necessary expenses of the committee.

Effective August 8, 1953

Chapter 177

AN ACT to Provide a New Charter for the City of Saco.

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

CHARTER FOR CITY OF SACO

ARTICLE I

Organization

The inhabitants of the city of Saco, in the county of York, shall continue to be a body politic and corporate by the name of the City of Saco; and as such shall have, exercise and enjoy all the rights, powers, immuni-