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# ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

Ninety-seventh Legislature

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## Chapter 463

### AN ACT Providing for Pocket Supplements to the Revised Statutes.

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

Whereas, the following legislation is vitally necessary in order to provide the public and the courts with the laws of the 97th Legislature enacted at the regular session thereof, and the decisions of the Supreme Judicial Court since the revision of 1954; 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:*

**Sec. 1. R. S., c. 10, § 27, sub-§ VII-A, additional.** Section 27 of chapter 10 of the revised statutes is hereby amended by adding thereto a new subsection, to be numbered VII-A, to read as follows:

‘VII-A. After each session of the Legislature to cause to be published cumulative pocket supplements of the volumes of the Revised Statutes, and any replacement or recompiled volumes thereof, which shall contain an accurate transcription of all public laws, the material contained in the next preceding pocket supplement, complete and accurate annotations to the statutes, appendix and other material accumulated since the publication of the next preceding pocket supplement and a cumulative index of said material.’

**Sec. 2. Appropriation.** There is hereby appropriated from the general fund the sum of \$10,000 to carry out the purposes of this act. Such appropriation shall not lapse but shall remain a continuing carrying account until the purposes of this act have been accomplished.

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

Effective May 21, 1955

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## Chapter 464

### AN ACT Increasing Certain County Salaries in Androscoggin County.

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

**Sec. 1. R. S., c. 89, § 98, amended.** That part of section 98 of chapter 89 of the revised statutes which relates to the salary of the clerk of courts of Androscoggin county is hereby amended to read as follows:

‘Androscoggin, ~~\$3,300~~ \$3,500.’

Sec. 2. R. S., c. 89, § 130, amended. That part of section 130 of chapter 89 of the revised statutes which relates to the salary of the county treasurer of Androscoggin county is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Androscoggin, ~~\$2,750~~ \$3,500.'

Sec. 3. R. S., c. 89, § 149, amended. That part of section 149 of chapter 89 of the revised statutes which relates to the salary of the sheriff of Androscoggin county is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Androscoggin, ~~\$3,850~~ \$4,050.'

Sec. 4. R. S., c. 149, § 24, amended. The 3rd paragraph of section 24 of chapter 149 of the revised statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'The county of Androscoggin shall have 2 probation officers, one to be designated probation officer and one to be designated assistant probation officer; and the county commissioners for Androscoggin county shall pay the probation officer a salary of ~~\$3,300~~ \$3,800, annually, and shall pay the assistant probation officer a salary of ~~\$2,400~~ \$2,800, annually; and furthermore the probation officers for Androscoggin county shall be entitled to select a clerk or stenographer for the probation office, and the probation office, and the county commissioners shall appropriate the sum of ~~\$2,080~~ \$2,340, annually, for such clerk hire. Furthermore, the county commissioners for Androscoggin county shall provide suitable quarters in the county building for this office.'

Sec. 5. R. S., c. 153, § 22, amended. That part of section 22 of chapter 153 of the revised statutes which relates to the salary of the register of probate of Androscoggin county is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Androscoggin, ~~\$2,750~~ \$3,000.'

Sec. 6. R. S., c. 89, § 215, amended. That part of section 215 of chapter 89 of the revised statutes which relates to the salary of the register of deeds of Androscoggin county is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Androscoggin, ~~\$3,300~~ \$4,000.'

Sec. 7. R. S., c. 89, § 114, amended. That part of section 114 of chapter 89 of the revised statutes which relates to the salary of the county attorney and assistant county attorney of Androscoggin county is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Androscoggin, ~~\$3,300~~ \$3,500; assistant county attorney, ~~\$2,400~~ \$2,700.'

Effective August 20, 1955

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## Chapter 465

### AN ACT Relating to Vocational Rehabilitation.

Emergency preamble. Whereas, Public Law 565 enacted by the 83rd Congress expands and affords greater vocational rehabilitation services to the states; and