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AS PASSED BY THE

Ninety-seventh Legislature

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

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Chapter 7

AN ACT Relating to the Superintending School Committee of the City of Presque Isle.

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

P. & S. L., 1939, c. 29, Art. IV, § 9, amended. The 1st paragraph of section 9 of article IV of chapter 29 of the private and special laws of 1939 is hereby amended to read as follows:

'The superintending school committee of the city of Presque Isle shall consist of 3 5 members appointed by the city council, to serve for terms of 3 years, and until their successors are appointed and qualified; except that on the 1st Monday in January next following the effective date of this amendment, the terms of all members of the superintending school committee shall expire and the city council shall appoint 2 members to serve for 3 years, 2 members to serve for 2 years and 1 member to serve for 1 year, and until their successors are appointed and qualified. Thereafter, each year the city council shall appoint 1 or 2 members, as the case may be, of the superintending school committee to fill the office of the members of the superintending school committee whose terms of office expire that year. If for any reason a vacancy shall exist in the membership of the superintending school committee, the vacancy shall be filled forthwith by the city council for the unexpired term.'

Effective August 20, 1955

Chapter 8

AN ACT to Increase the Borrowing Capacity of the Town of Gray School District.

Emergency preamble. Whereas, acts passed by the Legislature do not become effective until 90 days after adjournment unless passed as emergencies; and

Whereas, since the incorporation of the Town of Gray School District in 1953, the cost of construction of the 6-room addition to Pennell Institute will exceed the limitation of the original act by \$25,000; and

Whereas, additional funds are needed to complete said addition; and

Whereas, it is vitally necessary that this act be voted upon at the earliest possible date; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts create an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution 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:

P. & S. L., 1953, c. 74, § 4, amended. The 1st sentence of section 4 of chapter 74 of the private and special laws of 1953 is hereby amended to read as follows: