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ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

Ninety-seventh Legislature

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

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nated in the following tabulations, are hereby appropriated out of any moneys in the general fund not otherwise appropriated.

Department	1954-55
Legislative	\$35,000

Any balance of this appropriation shall not lapse but be carried forward from year to year to be expended for the same purposes.

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

Effective May 21, 1955

Chapter 214

AN ACT Directing Review of General Statutes of Towns.

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

Sec. 1. Review of general statutes of towns authorized. The Attorney General is authorized, during the fiscal years commencing July 1, 1955 and terminating June 30, 1957, to study the present general provisions of the statutes relating to municipalities and in particular Chapter 91 of the Revised Statutes, and to report to the next regular session of the Legislature such changes and amendments as may appear to be necessary or desirable to consolidate and complete such statutes so as to eliminate archaic and contradictory provisions now found in the law and to make such statutes more readily understandable and useful to the municipalities and persons affected thereby. For this purpose the Attorney General may employ such technical and clerical assistance as he may find necessary.

Sec. 2. Advisory Committee. The Attorney General is further authorized to appoint an Advisory Committee of not more than 12 persons representing municipalities to consult with him and advise during the progress of such study; the members of such Committee to be paid necessary expenses actually incurred in attending such meetings as shall be called by the Attorney General.

Sec. 3. Appropriation. There is hereby appropriated from the unappropriated surplus of the general fund of the State the sum of \$13,500 to carry out the purposes of this Act, and said sum shall not lapse but shall remain as a carrying account until the purposes of this act have been accomplished.

Effective August 20, 1955

Chapter 215

AN ACT to Make Supplemental Allocations from the General Highway Fund for the Fiscal Years Ending June 30, 1956 and June 30, 1957.

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

Additional allocations of general highway fund. Income to the General Highway Fund for the next two fiscal years—from July 1, 1955 to June 30, 1956,