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# ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

## Ninety-seventh Legislature

OF THE

# STATE OF MAINE

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'Airport repairs and improvements; appropriation for. Resolved: That there be, and hereby is, appropriated from the unappropriated surplus of the general fund the sum of \$68,000 for the 1953-1954 fiscal year and the sum of \$25,000 for the 1954-1955 fiscal year for repairs and improvements of existing airports in the State. Such expenditures shall be as recommended by the Aeronautics Commission and approved by the Governor and Council. ~~It is the intent of the legislature to so limit the use of funds herein provided as to require that the cost of any project shall be financed by not less than 75% in funds from other than State resources.~~ It is the intent of the Legislature that the use of the funds herein provided shall be limited to the basis of the matching proportions prescribed in subsection II of section 20 of chapter 24 of the revised statutes, as amended, including the amendment thereto enacted by the 97th Legislature by chapter 372, Public Law 1955 entitled "An Act Relating to Airport Construction Fund," approved May 19, 1955, notwithstanding the fact that the effective date of said amending act succeeds the effective date of this resolve. With respect to the Augusta state airport, the matching formula shall be 50% State funds and 50% Federal funds; and be it further

Resolved: That this appropriation shall not lapse, but shall be carried forward to the ~~1954-1955~~ 1956-1957 fiscal year.'

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

Effective May 21, 1955

## Chapter 113

### RESOLVE, Granting a Complimentary Fishing License to the President of the United States of America.

Emergency preamble. Whereas, Dwight D. Eisenhower, President of the United States of America, is planning to visit the State of Maine in June; and

Whereas, the people of Maine deem such visit an honor and privilege; and

Whereas, Maine hospitality, known throughout the United States as warm, generous and sincere, should be extended in like manner to our Chief Executive; and

Whereas, since fishing is one of Maine's greatest recreational facilities, the President of the United States of America, himself by repute a fisherman of renown, should be extended the opportunity to partake of fishing in Maine, a recreational activity which assists in making Maine the one and only Vacationland; 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

Resolved: That the Commissioner of Inland Fisheries and Game be, and hereby is, authorized and directed to issue a complimentary fishing license to

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Dwight D. Eisenhower, President of the United States of America and to Mamie Doud Eisenhower, his wife; and be it further

**Resolved:** That the Commissioner forward such complimentary fishing licenses to the President forthwith.

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

Effective May 21, 1955

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## Chapter 114

### RESOLVE, in Favor of Matinicus Island.

**Matinicus Island; appropriation for. Resolved:** That there be, and hereby is, appropriated from the general highway fund the sum of \$2,000 to repair the roads on Matinicus Island, Knox county; provided that on or before June 30, 1955, the assessors of Matinicus Isle Plantation have laid out as town ways the roads on which this appropriation is to be expended.

Effective August 20, 1955

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## Chapter 115

### RESOLVE, in Favor of Frederick Standley of South Windham.

**Frederick Standley; reimbursed. Resolved:** That there be, and hereby is, appropriated from the general fund of the State the sum of \$90.60 to be paid to Frederick Standley of South Windham, as a full and final settlement of his claim against the State for damage done to his 1951 Dodge by an escapee from the State School for Boys.

Effective August 20, 1955

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## Chapter 116

### RESOLVE, in Favor of John C. Bonnell of Portland.

**John C. Bonnell; reimbursed. Resolved:** That there be, and hereby is, appropriated from the general fund of the State the sum of \$250 to be paid to John C. Bonnell of Portland, as a full and final settlement of his claim against the State, for damage done to his 1947 Ford sedan by two escapees from the State School for Boys.

Effective August 20, 1955