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ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

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The registration and enrollment of voters and the conduct of the elections shall be in accordance with the provisions of chapters 3 to 9, inclusive, insofar as they do not conflict with the provisions of sections 65-A to 65-C, inclusive.

After the votes have been sorted, counted and preserved according to law, the return of said votes shall be filled out and signed by the election clerks and attested by the Registration Commissioner and mailed or delivered promptly by him into the office of the Secretary of State.

After each election, the Registration Commissioner shall prepare a payroll listing moneys due him and the election clerks and submit same to the Commissioner of Health and Welfare and the same shall be paid from funds appropriated by the State for support of the Indian tribes.

In case the Registration Commissioner resigns, dies or is unable to serve, the Governor shall appoint a successor to fill the unexpired term in the same manner as the original appointment unless the time is insufficient, in which case the Governor shall make an emergency appointment of some suitable person to act as Registration Commissioner until the vacancy can be filled.'

Effective August 28, 1957

Chapter 158

AN ACT Relating to Appointment of Indian Constables.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 25, § 336, amended. Section 336 of chapter 25 of the Revised Statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 336. Constables. The Tribal Governor, with the advice and consent of the Tribal Council, is hereby authorized to appoint one or more reliable ~~and well commended~~ Indians, in each of the Indian tribes in this State, as special constables with like powers and duties of constables and police officers, within towns and cities, in the enforcement of the laws of the State, within the limits of the reservation of his tribe, with authority to take any offender before any court of competent jurisdiction within his county. Such constables shall act as school attendance officers for their respective tribes. They shall receive such compensation as may be determined by the Department.'

Sec. 2. R. S., c. 25, § 337, amended. Section 337 of chapter 25 of the Revised Statutes is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 337. Term of office. Said constables shall be appointed for a term of 2 years from the date of his appointment or until his successor has been duly appointed and qualified. Any constable may be removed by the Tribal Governor upon recommendation of the Department.'

Effective August 28, 1957