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# ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

Ninety-eighth Legislature

OF THE

# STATE OF MAINE

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required to prepare for posting, nor the town clerk to post, a new list of voters, and for the purpose of registration of voters, said selectmen shall be in session the 3 secular days next preceding such meeting. The town clerk shall reduce the subject matter of this act to the following question: "Shall the act relating to indebtedness of West Gardiner School District, passed by the 98th Legislature, be accepted?" and the voters shall indicate by a cross or check mark placed against the words "Yes" or "No" their opinion of the same. This act shall take effect for all the purposes thereof immediately upon its acceptance by a majority of the legal voters voting at said meeting; provided that the total number of votes cast for and against the acceptance of this act at said meeting equals or exceeds 20% of the total vote for all candidates for Governor in said town at the next previous gubernatorial election.

The result in said district shall be declared by the municipal officers of the town of West Gardiner and due certificate thereof shall be filed by the clerk of said town with the Secretary of State.

Effective March 22, 1957

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## Chapter 53

### AN ACT Amending the Charter of the Relief Association of the Portland Fire Department.

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

Sec. 1. P. & S. L., 1852, c. 464, § 2, repealed and replaced. Section 2 of chapter 464 of the private and special laws of 1852, as amended by chapter 57 of the private and special laws of 1909, is hereby repealed and the following enacted in place thereof:

'Sec. 2. Object of the association. The sole object of the Association hereby incorporated shall be to afford relief to such of their members as may at any time receive injury in the discharge of their duties as members of the Portland Fire Department, or to their families in the event of their decease, and to afford to such of their members relief for disability arising from sickness; and for this purpose the said Association may receive and hold real and personal property to an amount not exceeding at any one time \$100,000.'

Sec. 2. Ratifying certain acts of the Relief Association of the Portland Fire Department. The acts and doings of the Relief Association of the Portland Fire Department heretofore taken in the payment to its members for relief for disability arising from sickness is hereby ratified, confirmed and declared to be legal and valid.

Effective August 28, 1957