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ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

Ninety-eighth Legislature

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STATEOFMAINE

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only for the purpose of permitting its submission to the legal voters of the territory embraced within the limits of said district, present and voting at a special meeting called and held for the purpose or at an annual town meeting of the town of Limerick. Such special meeting or annual town meeting shall be held not later than 60 days after the effective date of this act. In the event a special meeting is called, it shall be called, advertised and conducted according to the law relating to municipal elections; provided, however, that the board of registration in said town of Limerick shall not be required to prepare, nor the town clerk to post, a new list of voters, and for the purpose of registration of voters, said board shall be in session the 3 secular days next preceding such special meeting, the first and 2nd days thereof to be devoted to registration of voters and the last day to enable the board to verify the corrections of said lists and to complete and close up their records of said sessions. The town clerk shall prepare the required ballots, on which he shall reduce the subject matter of this act to the following question: "Shall the Act Amending the Charter of the Limerick Sewerage District, as 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 hereof immediately upon its acceptance by a majority of the legal voters voting at said meeting; provided 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 cast in said town at the next previous gubernatorial election. If, at the first such special meeting, the total number of votes cast for and against acceptance of this act is less than 20% of the total vote for all candidates for Governor as aforesaid, not more than one more such special meeting may be called within the time prescribed above.

The result of the vote shall be declared by the municipal officers of the town of Limerick and due certificate thereof filed by the town clerk with the Secretary of State.

Effective April 26, 1957

Chapter 124

AN ACT Relating to the Primary Law in City of Biddeford.

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

P. & S. L., 1933, c. 71, § 2, amended. The last sentence of the 1st paragraph of section 2 of chapter 71 of the private and special laws of 1933, as repealed and replaced by section 2 of chapter 83 of the private and special laws of 1941, is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Only those voters enrolled as qualified to vote in such caucuses as hereinafter provided shall participate therein; all nominations by petition or as provided for under section 32 52 of chapter 7 4 of the Revised Statutes of 1954 shall be voted upon at the next municipal election, and the caucus for such candidates by petition or by said nomination papers shall be held in the several wards of the city on the 2nd Monday of December, in each year, on which day the polls will be opened at 3 1 o'clock in the afternoon and continue open to 8 o'clock in the evening, when they shall close.'