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# ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

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islation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore,

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

**Breakwater across entrance of Mill Cove, Crotch Island, Stonington Harbor, authorized.** John L. Goss Corporation and Deer Isle Granite Corporation, both of Stonington, in the county of Hancock and State of Maine, their successors and assigns, are hereby authorized and empowered to extend and maintain the existing breakwater on Crotch Island in Stonington Harbor across the easterly end of Mill Cove, so called. Said extension shall begin on the southern end of the present breakwater which extends into the tidewaters from the property owned by Deer Isle Granite Corporation and run south for a distance of approximately 240 feet to the shore line of the John L. Goss Corporation property. It shall be constructed of grout and rubble granite and be of sufficient width for the safety and convenience of travel with necessary and convenient equipment in granite quarrying undertaking.

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

Effective May 3, 1957

## Chapter 138

### AN ACT Relating to the Winthrop Sewer System.

**Emergency preamble.** Whereas, the proper collection and disposal of sewage and wastes are vital to the health and well-being of the inhabitants of a community; and

Whereas, adequate sewerage facilities are at all times necessary for properly collecting and disposing of the same; and

Whereas, for such purposes, it is desirable that the Winthrop Sewer System be enabled to construct such sewerage facilities during the forthcoming summer months; and

Whereas, to accomplish this it is necessary that the following legislation be voted upon as soon as possible; 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 enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:*

**P. & S. L., 1923, c. 98, § 13, amended.** The first sentence of section 13 of chapter 98 of the private and special laws of 1923, as repealed and replaced by section 5 of chapter 182 of the private and special laws of 1955, is hereby amended to read as follows:

'For accomplishing the purposes of this act, said water district, through its trustees, is authorized to borrow money temporarily and to issue therefor the interest-bearing negotiable notes of the district, and for the purpose of paying or refunding the indebtedness so created, of paying any necessary expenses or

liabilities, incurred under the provisions of this act, including the expenses incurred in the creating of the district, in acquiring the plants, properties and franchises of said Hillside Water Company, of the Winthrop Water Company, of the Towle Packing Company and of said Carleton, by purchase or otherwise or in the purchase or acquisition of the properties and franchises of said defendant companies and of said Carleton, of securing sources of supply, taking water and lands, paying damages, laying pipes, constructing, maintaining and operating a water plant and a sewerage system and making renewals, extensions, additions and improvements to the same, the said water district, through its trustees, may from time to time issue bonds of the district ~~to an amount or amounts necessary in the judgment of the trustees aforesaid~~; provided, however, that bonds for sewerage facilities shall not exceed the sum of ~~\$250,000~~ \$600,000.'

**Emergency clause; referendum; certificate to Secretary of State.** In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this act shall take effect when approved, only for the purpose of permitting its submission to the legal voters of the territory embraced within the limits of said district and the legal voters of the town of Winthrop who own real estate within said district, present and voting at a special election called and held for the purpose on petition therefor signed by at least 20 legal voters resident within said district. Such special election shall be held not later than 60 days after the effective date of this act and 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 Winthrop shall prepare and furnish separate check lists for such of the voters within said district as are then legal voters of said town and reside in said district and any additional individuals owning real estate within said district who are legal voters of the town of Winthrop, and all notices, warrants or other proceedings shall be varied accordingly so as to show that only such voters as reside in said district or town as aforesaid are entitled to vote at such meeting. At such meeting the vote shall be by ballot bearing the question: "Shall the Act Relating to the Winthrop Sewer System, passed by the 98th Legislature, whereby the Winthrop Water District is authorized to increase its borrowing capacity for the installation of a sewer system to \$600,000, 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 that the total number of votes cast for and against the acceptance of this act equals or exceeds 20% of the voters on said check list.

The result of the vote in said district shall be declared by the selectmen of the town of Winthrop and due certificate thereof filed by the town clerk with the Secretary of State.

Effective May 3, 1957

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## Chapter 139

### AN ACT to Create the South Freeport Sewer District.

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

**Sec. 1. Incorporation.** The territory, and the inhabitants therein, of that part of the town of Freeport in the county of Cumberland which is bounded