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# ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

Ninety-eighth Legislature

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# STATE OF MAINE

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**Sec. 3. Special police officers; powers and duties; duties of other officers to cooperate.** The Superintendent of Public Buildings, or his successor, is hereby authorized and empowered to appoint and employ, subject to the provisions of the Personnel Law, special police officers for the purpose of enforcing rules and regulations made pursuant to the provisions of section 2 of this act.

The powers and duties of the special police officers so appointed and employed shall be to patrol all of the public ways and parking areas subject to the provisions of this act, enforce the rules and regulations made under the provisions of section 2, arrest any violator thereof and prosecute any offender against the same.

The State Police, sheriffs and deputy sheriffs, constables and police officers of the City of Augusta shall, so far as possible, cooperate with the special police officers appointed and employed under the provisions of this act in the enforcement of rules and regulations made pursuant to the provisions of section 2.

**Sec. 4. Jurisdiction.** The Municipal Court of the City of Augusta shall have jurisdiction in all proceedings brought under the provisions of this act, which court shall take judicial notice of all rules and regulations adopted pursuant to the provisions of section 2. In any prosecution for violation of any rule and regulation, the complaint may allege the offense as in prosecutions under a general statute and need not recite the rule or regulation.

**Sec. 5. Fines and costs of court.** Any person found guilty of violating any rule or regulation made pursuant to the provisions of section 2 shall, upon conviction, pay a fine and costs of court as follows:

- I. For the first offense in any calendar year, a fine of \$1 plus the costs of court;
- II. For the second offense in any calendar year, a fine of \$2 plus the costs of court;
- III. For each offense in excess of two in any calendar year, a fine of \$5 plus the costs of court.

Notwithstanding any other provision of law, the fines and costs of court paid under the provisions of this section shall inure to the City of Augusta.

**Sec. 6. Offenses not covered by rules and regulations.** Offenses not covered by the rules and regulations made under the provisions of section 2 shall be dealt with as otherwise provided by law.

Effective August 28, 1957

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## Chapter 159

### AN ACT Increasing Salary of Recorder of Eastport Municipal Court.

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

P. & S. L., 1915, c. 34, § 2, amended. Section 2 of chapter 34 of the private and special laws of 1915, as last amended by section 2 of chapter 90 of the private and special laws of 1955, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 2. Salary of recorder, when paid; fees. The recorder of the Eastport municipal court shall receive as compensation an annual salary of ~~\$250~~ \$400, payable quarterly, from the county treasury of the county of Washington, on the first days of January, April, July and October. All fees collected by him shall be paid over to the county treasurer.'

Effective August 28, 1957

## Chapter 160

### AN ACT Relative to Salaries and Clerk Hire of Municipal Courts.

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

#### Judge of the Pittsfield Municipal Court.

Sec. 1. P. & S. L., 1923, c. 34, § 1, amended. The first sentence of section 1 of chapter 34 of the private and special laws of 1923, as last amended by chapter 50 of the private and special laws of 1953, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

'The judge of the municipal court of Pittsfield shall receive a salary of ~~\$2,000~~ \$2,500 per year, which shall be paid him in quarterly payments from the county treasury of Somerset county, and he shall receive an additional sum of \$500 per year for clerk hire.'

#### Recorder of the Northern Cumberland Municipal Court.

Sec. 2. P. & S. L., 1919, c. 48, § 16, amended. The last sentence of section 16 of chapter 48 of the private and special laws of 1919, as last amended by chapter 40 of the private and special laws of 1953, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

'The recorder shall receive a salary of ~~\$400~~ \$600 per year, payable in the same manner as that of the judge.'

#### Recorder of Kennebunk Municipal Court.

Sec. 3. P. & S. L., 1923, c. 15, § 15, amended. Section 15 of chapter 15 of the private and special laws of 1923, as amended by chapter 101 of the private and special laws of 1945 and by chapter 29 of the private and special laws of 1953, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 15. Salaries of judge and recorder. The judge shall receive a salary in full for all services of \$1,600 per annum to be paid him by the county of York, and the recorder a salary of ~~\$600~~ \$800 per annum, payable quarterly.'

Sec. 4. Effective date. The provisions of this act, which relate to the salary of the recorder of the Kennebunk Municipal Court, shall be retroactive to January 1, 1957.

#### Judge and Recorder of Saco Municipal Court.

Sec. 5. P. & S. L., 1887, c. 246, § 1, amended. Section 1 of chapter 246 of the private and special laws of 1887, as amended by chapter 162 of the private and special laws of 1947, is hereby further amended to read as follows: