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# ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

## Ninety-ninth Legislature

OF THE

# STATE OF MAINE

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**Private and Special Laws**

OF THE

**STATE OF MAINE**

As Passed by the Ninety-eighth Legislature

At The

SPECIAL SESSIONS, OCTOBER 28-31, 1957,

JANUARY 13-16, 1958,

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## Chapter 212

**AN ACT Allocating Eight Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars from the Highway Bond Issue Proceeds to Highway Construction for the Fiscal Year 1958-1959.**

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

P. & S. L., 1957, c. 173, § 2, amended. Section 2 of chapter 173 of the private and special laws of 1957 is amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 2. Allocations from proceeds from the sale of bonds. Income to the General Highway Fund for the next 2 fiscal years—from July 1, 1957 to June 30, 1958 and from July 1, 1958 to June 30, 1959—from the proceeds of the sale of bonds shall be segregated, apportioned and expended as designated in the following schedule:

	1957-58	1958-59
Highway construction—		
State Highways and Federal-Aid Systems	\$6,807,000	\$1,500,000 \$2,350,000'

Effective April 17, 1958

## Chapter 213

**AN ACT to Ratify and Make Valid the Incorporation of the Winter Harbor School District.**

**Emergency preamble.** Whereas, the voters of the Town of Winter Harbor at a special town meeting held on March 15, 1957 voted to incorporate the Winter Harbor School District pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 11 of the Private and Special Laws of 1957; and

Whereas, the Trustees of the Winter Harbor School District have entered into a contract for the erection of a four-room elementary school building in the Town of Winter Harbor; and

Whereas, the Winter Harbor School District has applied for a loan of \$60,000.00 for the purpose of erecting and equipping the said school; and

Whereas, the lending institutions to which application was made have raised a question as to the validity of the incorporation of the Winter Harbor School District on the ground that the warrant for the special town meeting held on March 15, 1957 did not contain a notice that the selectmen would be in session for the registration of voters; and

Whereas, the buildings which presently house the school pupils of the Town of Winter Harbor are overcrowded, inadequate and in need of repair; and

Whereas, the overcrowded and inadequate conditions of the schools are detrimental to the health, safety and quality of schooling of the pupils; and

Whereas, acts passed by the Legislature do not become effective until 90 days after adjournment unless passed as emergency measures; 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:*

**Incorporation of the Winter Harbor School District validated.** The incorporation of the Winter Harbor School District on March 15, 1957, under the provisions of chapter 11 of the private and special laws of 1957, is hereby ratified, affirmed and made valid, and all acts and doings of its trustees and officers in their capacity as such trustees and officers, as shown by the records of the Winter Harbor School District, are hereby approved, ratified and declared to be valid and legal.

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

Effective January 16, 1958

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## Chapter 214

### AN ACT Relating to Wesserunsett Lake.

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

**Dams and sluice ways on Wesserunsett Stream.** The Town of Madison, by its municipal officers or by such commission as it may choose, is authorized and empowered to purchase, construct, maintain, repair and operate dams and sluice ways on Wesserunsett Stream at and below the outlet of Wesserunsett Lake, sometimes called Hayden Lake, in said town, for the purpose of holding, storing, discharging and regulating the flow of water from said lake and the level of water in said lake, for the protection of the public health, the comfort and well-being of its inhabitants and for the protection and advantage of their estates, and for these purposes may purchase, have, hold and enjoy in fee simple or any less estate, rights of flowage, lands, tenements or estates, real, personal or mixed.

Effective April 17, 1958

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## Chapter 215

### AN ACT Amending the Charter of the City of Biddeford.

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

**P. & S. L., 1933, c. 66, § 4, amended.** The next to last sentence of section 4 of chapter 66 of the private and special laws of 1933, as repealed and replaced by section 7 of chapter 84 of the private and special laws of 1941, is amended to read as follows:

'The city council shall take care that moneys shall not be paid from the treasury unless granted or appropriated; shall secure a prompt and just accountability,