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ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

Ninety-ninth Legislature

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

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At The

SPECIAL SESSIONS, OCTOBER 28-31, 1957,

JANUARY 13-16, 1958,

MAY 6-8, 1958

Supplementary to the Resolves of 1957

Chapter 174

RESOLVE, Authorizing Preliminary Surveys of Ferry Service for North Haven, Vinalhaven, Islesboro and Swan's Island, and Operational Expenses of Advisory Committee.

Emergency preamble. Whereas, acts and resolves of the Legislature do not become effective until 90 days after adjournment; and

Whereas, the people of Maine on September 9, 1957 approved an act of the Legislature authorizing ferry service for North Haven, Vinalhaven, Islesboro and Swan's Island; and

Whereas, surveys for such ferry service are essential to determine traffic and other factors; and

Whereas, it is essential that the determination of the traffic and other factors is essential to determine the number, type and size of boats and other facilities required for the ferry service; 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

Preliminary surveys of ferry service, authorized. Resolved: That the Maine Port Authority be, and hereby is, authorized and directed to make or cause to be made preliminary surveys of the traffic and other aspects of the ferry service between the mainland and the towns of North Haven, Vinalhaven, Islesboro and Swan's Island. Such surveys shall include but not be limited to determinations with respect to suitable boats, wharves, landing places and other essential appurtenances and the cost thereof and shall also include the traffic aspects of the service; and be it further

Resolved: That there be, and hereby is, appropriated from the unappropriated surplus of the general fund the sum of \$35,000 to carry out the purposes of this

resolve and expenses necessary or incidental thereto and to provide for the actual and necessary operating expenses of the Advisory Committee in the performance of their duties. The money so appropriated shall be a continuing carrying account but any unexpended balances shall lapse June 30, 1959; and be it further

Resolved: That the \$35,000 appropriated under the provisions of this resolve shall be returned to the general fund whenever moneys are available from the sale of bonds under the provisions of Chapter 190 of the Private and Special Laws of 1957.

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

Effective October 31, 1957

Chapter 175

RESOLVE, Relating to Passamaquoddy Trust Funds for Housing.

Emergency preamble. Whereas, acts and resolves do not become effective until 90 days after the Legislature adjourns; and

Whereas, housing facilities for the Passamaquoddy tribe of Indians are needed to prevent undue hardship; and

Whereas, the following legislation is vitally necessary in order to construct such housing before winter; 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

Resolves, 1957, c. 75, amended. Resolved: That chapter 75 of the resolves of 1957 be, and hereby is, amended by adding at the end thereof the following:

‘; and be it further

Resolved: That the Treasurer of the State be, and hereby is, authorized to purchase for the General Fund of the State, at par, \$100,000 of the bonds of the United States of America now owned by the Trust Fund of the Passamaquoddy Indians.’

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

Effective October 31, 1957

Chapter 176

RESOLVE, Appropriating Moneys for Spruce Budworm Control.

Emergency preamble. Whereas, acts and resolves of the Legislature do not become effective until 90 days after adjournment; and