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Of the members first appointed, 2 shall serve for one year, 3 for 2 years and 3 for 3 years. Thereafter all members shall be appointed for 3 years. The committee shall serve without compensation.'

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

Effective April 29, 1959

Chapter 251

AN ACT Relating to Lands Needed by the State.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 1, § 24-A, amended. Section 24-A of chapter 1 of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by section 1 of chapter 329 of the public laws of 1957, is amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 24-A. Purchase of real estate by State. Whenever it determines that the public exigencies ~~requires~~ require it, the Governor and Council may purchase or may take by eminent domain real estate adjacent to the State House in Augusta within an area bounded on the West by a straight line; beginning at the southern terminus of Western Avenue Place; thence extending southerly to Capitol Street; thence easterly on the northerly side of Capitol Street to a point approximately 132 feet westerly of the intersection of Federal Street and Capitol Street; thence southerly approximately 800 feet; thence easterly approximately 475 feet to the centerline of Sewall Street; thence southerly to the intersection of Glenwood Street and Sewall Street; thence easterly to the intersection of Glenwood Street and State Street; thence northerly approximately 150 feet to the intersection of State Street and Britt Road; thence southerly along Britt Road to its intersection with the railroad right of way; thence northerly along the railroad right of way to the south side of Capitol Street; thence continuing northerly 270 feet along the railroad right of way; thence westerly approximately 118 feet to Gage Street; thence northerly along Gage Street approximately 340 feet; thence westerly on a straight line parallel to Child Street and crossing State Street to Higgins Street; thence along Higgins Street to its intersection with Grove Street; thence southerly along Grove Street approximately 70 feet to the intersection of Grove Street and Wade Street; thence westerly approximately 400 feet in a straight line along Wade Street extended to Sewall Street; thence southerly along Sewall Street approximately 90 feet to the northerly line of Wade Street; thence westerly and parallel with Capitol Street to the point of beginning at the southerly terminus of Western Avenue Place.'

Sec. 2. R. S., c. 135, § 17, amended. Section 17 of chapter 135 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding at the end, a new sentence, as follows:

'This section shall not apply to purchases of the State by the Governor and Council under authority of chapter 1, section 24-A.'

Effective September 12, 1959