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AS PASSED BY THE

Ninety-ninth Legislature

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Chapter 81

AN ACT Changing the Date of Municipal Election in City of Saco.

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

Sec. 1. P. & S. L., 1953, c. 177, Art. VI, § 1, amended. Section 1 of article VI of chapter 177 of the private and special laws of 1953 is amended to read as follows:

'**Sec. 1. Mayor, aldermen and school board.** The mayor and the members of the school board shall be elected from the citizens at large by the inhabitants of the city, voting in their respective wards. One alderman shall be elected by each ward and shall be a resident in the ward where elected. All said officers shall be elected by ballot by a majority of the votes and shall hold their offices for one year from the ~~4th Monday~~ first day in January and until others shall be elected in their places; provided, however, that if the city shall be divided into less than 7 wards, then one or 2, as the case may be, of the aldermen shall be elected at large by the inhabitants of the city, the whole number of aldermen in no case to be more than 7, as provided in article II of this charter.'

Sec. 2. P. & S. L., 1953, c. 177, Art. VI, § 2, amended. The first sentence of section 2 of article VI of chapter 177 of the private and special laws of 1953 is amended to read as follows:

'On the 2nd Monday in ~~January~~ December, annually, the qualified electors of each ward shall ballot for a mayor, one alderman, warden, ward clerk and one member of the school board.'

Sec. 3. P. & S. L., 1953, c. 177, Art. VI, § 2, amended. The last sentence of the first paragraph of section 2 of article VI of chapter 177 of the private and special laws of 1953 is amended to read as follows:

'The ~~alderman~~ aldermen elect shall, on the ~~4th Monday~~ first day of January, at 7:30 P. M., assemble and the oath required by article II of this charter shall be administered to the members of the city council by the city clerk or any justice of the peace.'

Effective September 12, 1959

Chapter 82

AN ACT Relating to Vacancies in City Council of City of Rockland.

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

P. & S. L., 1945, c. 125, Art. II, § 220, repealed and replaced. Section 220 of article II of chapter 125 of the private and special laws of 1945, as amended by section 9 of chapter 78 of the private and special laws of 1957, is repealed and the following enacted in place thereof:

'220. Vacancies in council. If a seat in the council becomes vacant, the vacancy shall be filled at the next regular or special election, the warrant for