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'Sec. 2. Source of supply. The said district, for the purposes of its incorporation, is hereby authorized to take, hold, divert, use and distribute water from Sourdabscook Stream in said Town of Hampden, or from any well or wells, natural or artificial, or by purchase from any town, city, corporation or district.'

Sec. 2. P. & S. L., 1937, c. 34, § 3, amended. Section 3 of chapter 34 of the private and special laws of 1937 is amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 3. Right of eminent domain. The said district, for the purposes of its incorporation, is hereby authorized to take and hold, as for public uses, by purchase, gift or by the exercise of the right of eminent domain, which right is hereby expressly delegated to said water district for said purposes, any lands or interests therein or water rights necessary for erecting and maintaining dams, for flowage, for power, for pumping its water supply through its mains, for reservoirs and standpipes, for wells, for preserving the purity of the watershed, for laying and maintaining aqueducts, mains and other structures for taking, distributing, discharging and disposing of water and for rights-of-way or roadways to its sources of supply, dams, power stations, reservoirs, standpipes, wells, mains, aqueducts, structures and lands.'

Effective September 16, 1961

#### Chapter 33

#### AN ACT Relating to Lien Notices and Time of Annual Meeting of Kennebunk Sewer District.

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

Sec. 1. P. & S. L., 1955, c. 69, § 12, amended. The first sentence of section 12 of chapter 69 of the private and special laws of 1955 is amended to read as follows:

'The annual meeting of the district shall be held in the district on the 1st Saturday Monday of June in each year at such hour and place as may be designated by resolution of the board of trustees as provided in the by-laws.'

Sec. 2. P. & S. L., 1955, c. 69, § 18, amended. The 2nd sentence of the 2nd paragraph of section 18 of chapter 69 of the private and special laws of 1955 is amended to read as follows:

'In addition to other methods previously established by law for the collection of the rates, tolls, rents and charges, the lien herein created may be enforced in the following manner; provided, however, that in making the assessment there shall be a description of the real estate served by the several sewers of the district, sufficiently accurate to identify the real estate against which any of the several rates, tolls and charges may be levied; the treasurer, when a rate, toll or charge has been committed to him for collection, may, after the expiration of \$ 12 months and within  $\pm$  year 15 months after date of commitment to him, in the case of a person resident in the town where the rate, toll or charge is assessed, give to the person against whom the same is assessed, or leave at his last and usual place of abode, or send by certified mail to his last known address, a notice in writing signed by the officer stating the amount of such 782

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rate, toll or charge and describing the real estate on which it is assessed, alleging that a lien is claimed on the real estate to secure the payment thereof and demanding its payment within 10 days after the service of such notice.'

Effective September 16, 1961

#### Chapter 34

#### AN ACT to Amend the Charter of the Kennebec Water District.

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

**P. & S. L., 1899, c. 200, § 11, sub-§ III, amended.** Subsection III of section 11 of chapter 200 of the private and special laws of 1899 is amended to read as follows:

'III. To provide each year a sum equal to not less than one, nor more than 3 per cent of the entire indebtedness of the district, which sum shall be turned into a sinking fund to provide for the final extinguishment of the funded debt. The money set aside for the sinking fund shall be devoted to retirement of the district's obligations or invested in such securities as savings banks are allowed to hold, or deposited at interest in savings banks, commercial banks and savings and loan associations, provided and to the extent that such deposits are insured by any provisions of federal law.'

Effective September 16, 1961

#### Chapter 35

#### AN ACT Relating to Water Supply and Indebtedness of South Berwick Water District.

**Emergency preamble.** Whereas, acts of the Legislature do not become effective until 90 days after adjournment unless enacted as emergencies; and

Whereas, an adequate supply of pure water is essential to the health and wellbeing of the inhabitants of the Town of South Berwick; and

Whereas, it is imperative that additional sources of water supply be utilized and that the borrowing power of the water district be increased to guarantee this supply of water; 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:

Sec. 1. P. & S. L., 1959, c. 61, § 2, amended. Section 2 of chapter 61 of the private and special laws of 1959 is amended to read as follows: