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ACTS AND RESOLVES

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district, any property, real, personal or mixed, now or hereafter owned or held by the Town of Carmel for school purposes, and any sums of money or other assets which the said Town of Carmel has raised or may raise, either by taxation, borrowing or otherwise, for school purposes. Before transferring and conveying any of said property or turning over any of said funds or assets, the municipal officers of the Town of Carmel shall be duly authorized to do so by a majority vote of the legal voters present at any annual or special town meeting, the call for which shall have given notice of the proposed action.

Emergency clause; referendum; effective date. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this act shall take effect when approved, only for the purpose of permitting its submission to the voters of the Town of Carmel at any regular or special town meeting called for the purpose not later than 8 months after approval of this act. Any special meeting shall be called, notified and conducted according to law, but the selectmen in the Town of Carmel need not prepare for posting, nor the town clerk to post, a new list of voters. For the purpose of registration of voters, the selectmen shall be in session one hour next preceding the special meeting.

The town clerk shall prepare the required ballots, on which he shall reduce the subject matter of this act to the following question: "Shall the Act to Incorporate the Town of Carmel School District, passed by the 100th Legislature, be accepted?" The voters shall indicate by a cross or check mark placed against the words "Yes" or "No" their opinion of the same.

This act shall take effect immediately upon its acceptance by a majority of the voters voting at said meeting, but only if the total number of votes cast for and against the acceptance of this act equals or exceeds 20% of the total vote for all candidates for Governor cast in said Town of Carmel at the next preceding gubernatorial election.

The result of the vote shall be declared by the municipal officers of the Town of Carmel and due certificate thereof shall be filed by the town clerk with the Secretary of State.

Effective March 17, 1961

Chapter 86

AN ACT to Increase Borrowing Capacity of City of Calais School District.

Emergency preamble. Whereas, the accommodations for the schools in the City of Calais are inadequate to accommodate the pupils therein; and

Whereas, the limit of total indebtedness of the existing school district makes it impossible to borrow the funds required to meet essential capital needs; 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:

P. & S. L., 1937, c. 27, § 4-B, additional. Chapter 27 of the Private and Special Laws of 1937, as amended by chapter 90 of the private and special laws of 1937 and by chapter 109 of the private and special laws of 1945, is further amended by adding a new section 4-B, to read as follows:

'Sec. 4-B. Additional indebtedness. To procure additional funds to carry out its purposes, the said district is authorized to increase its total indebtedness to an amount not to exceed \$250,000 more than authorized by its original charter and amendments thereto.'

Emergency clause; referendum; effective date. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble this act shall take effect when approved, only for the purpose of permitting its submission to the legal voters of the City of Calais at the city election to be held on the first Monday in April, 1961, or at a special city election called for the purpose not later than 8 months after the approval of this act. Any special city election shall be called, notified and conducted according to law.

The city clerk shall prepare the required ballots on which he shall reduce the subject matter of this act to the following question: "Shall the Act to Increase Borrowing Capacity of City of Calais School District, passed by the 100th Legislature, be accepted?" and the voters shall indicate by a cross or check mark placed against the words "Yes" or "No" their opinion of the same.

This act shall take effect immediately upon its acceptance by a majority of the legal voters voting at said election, but only if the total number of votes cast for and against the acceptance of this act is at least 20% of the total vote for all candidates for Governor in the City of Calais at the next previous gubernatorial election.

The result of the vote shall be declared by the municipal officers of the City of Calais and due certificate thereof filed by the city clerk with the Secretary of State.

Effective March 17, 1961

Chapter 87

AN ACT Relating to Student Rates for Ferry Service for North Haven, Vinalhaven, Islesboro, Swan's Island and Long Island Plantation.

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

Whereas, the funds used to provide for transportation by ferry of pupils attending the schools of North Haven, Vinalhaven, Islesboro, Swan's Island and Long Island Plantation to the mainland for school purposes are nearly exhausted; and

Whereas, the continued transportation of these pupils for such activities is in the best interest of the State; and