

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

The following document is provided by the
LAW AND LEGISLATIVE DIGITAL LIBRARY
at the Maine State Law and Legislative Reference Library
<http://legislature.maine.gov/lawlib>



Reproduced from scanned originals with text recognition applied
(searchable text may contain some errors and/or omissions)

ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

One Hundred and First Legislature

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

Published by the Director of Legislative Research in accordance with the Revised Statutes of 1954, Chapter 10, Section 27, Subsection VI.

The Knowlton and McLeary Company
Farmington, Maine
1963

PUBLIC LAWS
OF THE
STATE OF MAINE

As Passed by the One Hundred and First Legislature

1963

the State and its visitors may be assured of the continued opportunity to enjoy the benefits of the Allagash River Watercourse as a place of natural interest and scenic beauty. The duties and functions of the authority shall include, but not be restricted to, the following:

I. Examination. Examine the Allagash River Watercourse in order to determine those features that should be preserved.

II. Negotiation. Negotiate tentative agreements between the landowners along the Allagash River Watercourse and the State of Maine to assure people of the continued opportunity to enjoy the benefits and scenic beauty of the Allagash.

III. Consultation. Consult with and seek the advice of conservation and naturalist groups in the planning and development of the watercourse.

IV. Rules and standards. Formulate rules and standards for the use, maintenance and operation of the Allagash River Watercourse.

Sec. 6. Tentative agreements. The authority, in the name of the State, shall enter into tentative agreements with the landowners in respect to lands, interest in land, leases, cooperative agreements, agreements and development rights, consistent with the policy and provisions of this chapter. Tentative agreements shall be entered into under such terms and subject to such conditions and restrictions as the authority, after consultation with the advisory committee, may determine.

Sec. 7. Approval by Legislature. The plans, proposals, rules and standards for the use, maintenance and operation of the Allagash River Watercourse and the tentative agreements shall all be subject to the final approval of the 102nd Legislature or subject to the approval of any prior special session of the 101st Legislature.

Sec. 8. Construction. Nothing in this chapter shall be construed to impair the authority of any public body, heretofore or hereafter created by the Legislature, in the exercise of the powers granted to any such public body.

Sec. 2. Expiration date. In the event the 102nd Legislature, or the 101st Legislature meeting in special session, shall not take action to approve the tentative agreements referred to in this act, then this act shall terminate June 30, 1965, unless otherwise extended by legislative action.

Effective September 21, 1963

Chapter 416

AN ACT Relating to Loans by Washington County.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 89, § 29, amended. Section 29 of chapter 89 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by section 1 of chapter 442 of the public laws of 1957, is further amended to read as follows:

Sec. 29. Loans. The county commissioners may obtain loans of money for the use of their county and cause notes or obligations, with coupons for lawful interest, to be issued for payment thereof at such times as they deem expedient; but such loans shall not exceed \$10,000, except in Franklin County and in Washington County as provided in section 29-B, without first obtaining the consent of the county, substantially as provided in section 27.'

Sec. 2. R. S., c. 89, § 29-B, additional. Chapter 89 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding a new section 29-B, to read as follows:

'Sec. 29-B. Loans by Washington County. The county commissioners of Washington County may obtain a loan of money for the use of Washington County, without first obtaining the consent of the county, not to exceed the principal sum of \$50,000, to be paid within 10 years from the date said sum is borrowed, and they are hereby authorized to issue and sell notes or other obligations with interest at such rate and upon such other and further terms as the county commissioners may determine. The proceeds from said loan shall be used solely for the purpose of payment of bank loans outstanding on April 1, 1963.'

Effective September 21, 1963

Chapter 417

AN ACT to Reorganize the Department of Economic Development.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., c. 38-A, § 1, amended. Section 1 of chapter 38-A of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by section 1 of chapter 471 of the public laws of 1955 and as amended by section 1 of chapter 123 of the public laws of 1957, is further amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 1. Commissioner. The Department of Economic Development, as heretofore established and hereinafter in this chapter called the "department" shall be under the supervision and control of a Commissioner of ~~Department of~~ Economic Development, hereinafter in this chapter called the "commissioner." He shall be appointed by the Governor with the advice and consent of the Council for a term of 4 years and shall hold office until his successor is appointed and qualified.

The commissioner may be removed by the Governor and Council ~~for cause~~. Any vacancy in said office shall be filled by appointment for a like term in the same manner as hereinbefore provided.

He shall receive such salary as the Governor and Council may determine.'

Sec. 2. R. S., c. 38-A, § 2, amended. Section 2 of chapter 38-A of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by section 1 of chapter 471 of the public laws of 1955 and as amended by sections 2, 2-A and 3 of chapter 123 of the public laws of 1957, is further amended to read as follows: