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ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

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New Charter to the Town of Gorham, passed by the 101st 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 for the purpose of nominating and electing officers hereunder immediately upon its acceptance by a majority of the legal voters voting at said election; provided the total number of votes cast for and against the acceptance of this act at said meeting equaled or exceeded 20% of the total vote cast for all candidates for Governor in said town at the next preceding gubernatorial election, and for all other purposes this act shall take effect immediately following the first election held under the provisions of this charter.

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

Effective September 21, 1963

Chapter 142

AN ACT Relating to Number of Names Required on Petitions for Nomination to Public Office in City of Biddeford.

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

P. & S. L., 1933, c. 71, § 1, amended. The last sentence of section 1 of chapter 71 of the private and special laws of 1933, as repealed and replaced by section 1 of chapter 83 of the private and special laws of 1941, is amended to read as follows:

'Candidates for the following offices shall present a petition of at least the following number of names of enrolled members of the political party requesting such nomination: for mayor, member of the school board or police commissioner, 125; for councilman councilman-at-large, 50; for ward councilman, 25; for warden or ward clerk, 25 20.'

Effective September 21, 1963

Chapter 143

AN ACT to Extend the Charter of the Eliot Water District.

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

Extension of powers. The rights, powers and privileges granted the Eliot Water District by chapter 101 of the private and special laws of 1941 and the extending of such rights, powers and privileges granted by chapter 152 of the private and special laws of 1947 and by chapter 35 of the private and special laws of 1951 and by chapter 19 of the private and special laws of 1955 and by chapter 159 of the private and special laws of 1959 are hereby extended for a term of 4 years from the effective date of this act, and all acts performed under the provisions of such chapters are hereby validated and declared to be legal acts of the district.