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# ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

## One Hundred and First Legislature

OF THE

# STATE OF MAINE

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**Sec. 3. Authority to employ clerical assistance and appoint subcommittees.** The Maine Committee on Children and Youth shall have the authority to appoint an executive secretary with proper qualifications, and to organize such subcommittees as needed to carry out its duties.

**Sec. 4. Time of meetings and expenses.** The committee shall meet at the place designated by and at the call of the chairman not less than 8 times each biennium. The members of the committee or authorized subcommittees shall be paid necessary expenses incurred in the performance of their duties. Such expenses shall be governed by the rules and regulations covering all state departments.

**Sec. 5. Report.** It shall complete its study and report to the Governor and the 102nd Legislature no later than January 2, 1965.

**Sec. 6. Appropriation.** There is appropriated from the Unappropriated Surplus of the General Fund the sum of \$5,000 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1964 and \$5,000 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1965 to carry out the purposes of this act.

**Emergency clause.** In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this act shall take effect on July 1, 1963.

Effective July 1, 1963

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## Chapter 198

### AN ACT Appropriating Funds for Sewage Treatment Plant and Purchase of Equipment at Gorham State Teachers College.

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

Whereas, a sewage disposal plant must be in operation before a new dormitory for men and the new health and physical education building at Gorham State Teachers College can be accepted; and

Whereas, equipment must be purchased and installed in the new health and physical education building at Gorham State Teachers College before classes can be conducted therein; and

Whereas, approximately 6 months are required for such construction and purchase; and

Whereas, occupancy and use of the 2 buildings are needed in September, 1963; 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:*

**Appropriation for necessary construction of a sewage disposal plant and purchase of equipment at Gorham State Teachers College.** In order to provide for the necessary construction of a sewage disposal plant and purchase of equipment for classes at Gorham State Teachers College, there is appropriated from the Unappropriated Surplus of the General Fund the sum of \$117,000 (sewage disposal plant, \$92,000—equipment, \$25,000) to the Department of Education. This appropriation shall not lapse but shall remain a continuing carrying account until June 30, 1965.

**Emergency clause.** In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this act shall take effect when approved.

Effective June 25, 1963

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## Chapter 199

### AN ACT to Reactivate Maine Committee on Problems of the Mentally Retarded.

**Emergency preamble.** Whereas, the problem of the mentally retarded is of vital importance to the welfare of the State of Maine; and

Whereas, it is vitally necessary that the following legislation become effective immediately so that efforts may be continued to solve this problem; 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. Maine Committee on Problems of the Mentally Retarded; reactivated.** The Governor, with the advice and consent of the Council, shall appoint a committee of 12 members, consisting of one each from the House of Representatives, the Senate, the Department of Education, the President of the Maine Association for Retarded Children and 8 representative citizens, and shall designate a chairman.

**Sec. 2. Duties of the committee.** The Maine Committee on Problems of the Mentally Retarded shall continue the study of Maine's mentally retarded begun by the Citizens' Committee on Problems of the Mentally Retarded. The committee shall provide leadership and stimulation, at the state and local level, for the many organizations that are interested in the mentally retarded in Maine and shall assist in coordination of activities of public and private agencies. It shall distribute materials, provide information and furnish speakers on request. It shall report to the Governor and members of the 102nd Legislature not later than January, 1965.