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- (b) A new interchange at the intersection of Route 91 and Interstate 95, in York, to permit traffic to move in all directions between Route 91 and Interstate 95.
- (c) Repave the existing traffic lanes and shoulders, install underground drainage where needed and do such other miscellaneous work as may be indicated on Interstate 95 from the north end of the approach to the new bridge in Kittery to a point immediately south of the new toll plaza in York, a distance of approximately 5 miles.

Construction of (a), (b) and (c) is not to be authorized until the Maine Turnpike Authority and the State of Maine, acting through the State Highway Commission, have signed an agreement setting forth the terms and conditions of the construction projects as outlined in (a), (b) and (c) including the transfer of title of that section of the Maine Turnpike referred to in (c) to the State of Maine. Such an agreement shall include a statement providing for the State of Maine, acting through the State Highway Commission, to agree to maintain as a free, controlled access, public highway, in as good a condition as it was at the time of the transfer of title, that section of the Maine Turnpike referred to in (c) until such time as the bonds of the Maine Turnpike Authority are paid in full.

Effective September 21, 1963

Chapter 68

RESOLVE, Authorizing a Review of Maine Highway User Tax Study.

Maine Highway User Tax Study; State Highway Commission authorized to review. Resolved: That the State Highway Commission arrange to have a review made of the Maine Highway User Tax Study, which study was made by Wilbur Smith and Associates, Consulting Engineers, of New Haven, Connecticut and filed with the Legislative Research Committee by the State Highway Commission on December 7, 1960, the review to be made by the Planning and Traffic Division of the Maine State Highway Commission or by consulting engineers to be employed by the commission. The State Highway Commission is to file with the Legislative Research Committee a report containing a review of the Maine Highway User Tax Study before November 1, 1964. The Legislative Research Committee is directed to transmit the report, with any recommendations it wishes to make in regard to the review, to the 102nd Legislature before January 15, 1965.

Effective September 21, 1963

Chapter 69

RESOLVE, Appropriating Moneys for Spruce Budworm Control.

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

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Whereas, a severe outbreak of spruce budworm has developed in the forests of northern Maine, threatening the destruction of one of Maine's outstanding natural resources; and

Whereas, the following legislation is vitally necessary to control this outbreak so as to save 470,000 acres of Maine forest; 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

Spruce budworm control. Resolved: That there be appropriated \$211,500 from the Unappropriated Surplus of the General Fund to be expended by the Forest Commissioner or his agents for spruce budworm control as the state's share with the rest of the funds for control supplied by landowners and the Federal Government; and any unexpended balances 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 resolve shall take effect when approved.

Effective April 26, 1963

Chapter 70

RESOLVE, Appropriating Moneys for Stocking Baxter State Park with Caribou.

Baxter State Park; stocked with caribou. Resolved: That the sum of \$8,000 be appropriated from the funds of the Department of Inland Fisheries and Game for the purchase of 20 caribou from the Province of Newfoundland, said caribou to be imported and released in Baxter State Park. The Department of Inland Fisheries and Game shall act as the representative of the State of Maine for the accomplishment of this project.

Effective September 21, 1963

Chapter 71

RESOLVE, Relating to Research and Experimental Work in Relation to the Culture of Sugar Beets in Maine.

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

Whereas, since agriculture is one of Maine's most important industries, it is vitally necessary to strengthen its many facets through research and study; and

Whereas, if it materializes that the culture of sugar beets in Maine is feasible, a new and expanding agricultural economy will result; and