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ACTS AND RESOLVES

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sealed up in open town and plantation meetings; and the town and plantation elerks municipal officers and the clerks of the cities and towns and the city and town clerks, respectively, shall cause the same to be delivered into the secretary's office thirty days at least before the first Wednesday of January office of the Secretary of State forthwith.'

Form of question and date when amendments shall be voted upon. Resolved: That the aldermen of cities, the selectmen of towns and the assessors of the several plantations of this State are empowered and directed to notify the inhabitants of their respective cities, towns and plantations to meet in the manner prescribed by law for calling and holding biennial meetings of said inhabitants for the election of Senators and Representatives at the general statewide election on the Tuesday following the first Monday of November following the passage of this resolve, to give in their votes upon the amendments proposed in the foregoing resolution, and the question shall be:

"Shall the Constitution be amended as proposed by a resolution of the Legislature clarifying procedure for delivering election returns to the Secretary of State by municipalities?"

The inhabitants of said cities, towns and plantations shall vote by ballot on said question, and shall indicate by a cross or check mark placed against the words "Yes" or "No" their opinion of the same. The ballots shall be received, sorted, counted and declared in open ward, town and plantation meetings and returns made to the office of the Secretary of State in the same manner as votes for Governor and Members of the Legislature, and the Governor and Council shall review the same, and if it shall appear that a majority of the inhabitants voting on the question are in favor of the amendments, the Governor shall forthwith make known the fact by his proclamation, and the amendments shall thereupon, as of the date of said proclamation, become a part of the Constitution.

Secretary of State shall prepare the ballots. Resolved: That the Secretary of State shall prepare and furnish to the several cities, towns and plantations ballots and blank returns in conformity with the foregoing resolve, accompanied by a copy thereof.

Effective April 17, 1964

Chapter 125

RESOLVE, Authorizing the Maine Defense Commission to Convey Certain Land in Gardiner and Authorizing Maine Sardine Council to Purchase Property in Brewer.

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, the following described property was deeded to the State of Maine, Military Defense Commission, in 1948 for armory purposes; and

Whereas, the property is no longer needed by the State for these purposes; and

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Whereas, if the property is deeded back to the City of Gardiner, it will be used for a community project; and

Whereas, the following legislation is vitally necessary for the research program of the Maine Sardine Council; and

Whereas, the following legislation will save rental of the property involved by the Council; 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

Maine Defense Commission authorized to convey certain land. Resolved: That the Adjutant General on behalf of the Maine Defense Commission is authorized and directed to convey by quitclaim deed to the City of Gardiner, the interest of the State in a certain lot or parcel of land located on the easterly side of Armory Street, so-called, in said Gardiner, and bounded and described as follows, to wit:

Beginning on the easterly side of said Armory Street at the northwest corner of other land of said grantee herein; thence in a northerly direction along said Armory Street two hundred (200) feet more or less; thence easterly at approximate right angles one hundred seventy-three (173) feet more or less to land now or formerly owned or occupied by Fritz Dessler; thence southerly at approximate right angles along the line of said Dessler two hundred (200) feet more or less to other land of the grantee herein; thence westerly along other land of grantee herein one hundred seventy-three (173) feet more or less to point of beginning.

Being the same premises conveyed to the State of Maine by the City of Gardiner by deed dated December 6, 1963 and recorded in the Kennebec County Registry of Deeds, book 1324, page 369; and be it further

Maine Sardine Council to purchase property. Resolved: That the Maine Sardine Council is authorized to purchase from James E. Flanagan of Bangor land and buildings located at 470 North Main Street, Brewer, for the sum of \$35,800. Such sum shall be expended from the funds of the Maine Sardine Council. The property will be used for the Maine Sardine Council's research and quality control activities.

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

Effective January 17, 1964

Chapter 126

RESOLVE, Permitting Use of Appropriated Federal and State Funds at Maine Vocational Technical Institute.

Emergency preamble. Whereas, chapter 109 of the resolves of 1963 provides that funds to match federal funds available under Title VIII of the National