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One Hundred and Second Legislature
AT THE
SPECIAL SESSION

January 17 - February 9, 1966

Supplementary to the Private and Special Laws of 1965

Chapter 204

AN ACT to Amend the Charter of Gould Academy.

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

P. & S. L., 1836, c. 5, § 1, amended. Section 1 of chapter 5 of the private and special laws of 1836, as last amended by chapter 44 of the private and special laws of 1959, is further amended to read as follows:

Sec. 1. Corporate name; persons incorporated, powers, etc. There is established at Bethel, in the County of Oxford, an academy by the name of Gould Academy for the purpose of instruction in such branches of education as are usually taught in academies and in junior colleges, colleges, universities and other institutions of higher learning; and for the additional purposes of granting scholarships and fellowships and making loans to deserving students from the Town of Bethel, from the County of Oxford and from the State of Maine at educational institutions wherever situated; making gifts and grants to or for the use of the State of Maine, any political subdivision thereof, or any School Administrative District thereof, for exclusively public purposes or to institutions organized and operated exclusively for educational purposes, no part of the net earnings of which inures to the benefit of any private stockholder or individual, and no substantial part of the activities of which is carrying on propaganda, or otherwise attempting, to influence legislation; and the advancement of education in said town, county and state and doing all acts and things pertaining or incidental thereto; and John Grover, Moses Mason, Jr., William Frye, Charles Frost, Jediah Burbank, John Hastings, Stephen Emery, Barbour Bartlett, James Walker, Levi Whitman, Robbins Brown, Valentine Little, George W. Chapman, Timothy Carter, Phineas Frost, Timothy Hastings and Robert A. Chapman, their associates and assigns, are incorporated a body politic by the name of Gould Academy, with power to prosecute and defend suits at law, have

a common seal and change the same at pleasure, to make any bylaws not repugnant to the laws of this State, to have and to hold by gift, grant, devise, bequest or otherwise, property and estate to any amount, whether real, personal or mixed, whether now owned by said corporation or hereafter acquired, and to give, grant, bargain, sell or lease the same, and apply the interest, rents and profits thereof, in such manner as shall best promote the object of said academy.

This corporation is organized and shall be operated exclusively for educational purposes, no part of the net earnings of which shall inure to the benefit of any private stockholder or individual, and no substantial part of the activities of which shall be carrying on propaganda, or otherwise attempting, to influence legislation.'

Effective May 11, 1966

Chapter 205

AN ACT to Reconstitute School Administrative District No. 39.

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

Sec. 1. School Administrative District No. 39 reconstituted and established; validation of proceedings in member municipalities. The municipalities of Buckfield, Hartford and Sumner are constituted to be and to have been since May 3, 1965, a School Administrative District, known as School Administrative District No. 39, with all of the powers, privileges and franchises granted to School Administrative Districts according to the Revised Statutes of 1964, Title 20, sections 211 to 307. The proceedings taken in the town meetings held in the municipalities of Buckfield, Hartford and Sumner, wherein it was voted to join in the formation of a School Administrative District, are validated, confirmed and made effective.

Sec. 2. Validation of election and proceedings of school directors and action by officers and agents. The school directors of School Administrative District No. 39, selected in the said municipalities to serve as such, are declared to be and to have been duly elected and qualified for the respective terms for which each was elected, and all of the proceedings of the board of school directors of said district as said board was from time to time constituted and as shown by the records of said district and all of the action duly taken in accordance therewith by the officers and agents of said district with regard to the issuance of capital outlay bonds, or any borrowing in anticipation of the sale thereof, or the preparation, presentation and acceptance of any school budget or any borrowing for current operating expenses, are validated, confirmed and made effective.

Sec. 3. Amendments. Any amendments of, additions to or changes in said sections 211 to 307 which may hereafter be enacted shall, unless otherwise specifically provided therein, be deemed to apply to and to govern said School Administrative District No. 39.

Sec. 4. Saving clause. If any provision of this Act or the application thereof to any person or circumstances is held invalid, the remainder of the Act and the application of such provision to other persons or circumstances shall not be affected thereby.

Effective May 11, 1966