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# ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

One Hundred and Third Legislature

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

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**PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS**  
OF THE  
**STATE OF MAINE**  
AS PASSED BY THE  
**One Hundred and Second Legislature**  
AT THE  
**SPECIAL SESSION**  
January 17 - February 9, 1966

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town meeting held within 2 years from the effective date hereof as provided in this section, notwithstanding an earlier vote against such acceptance. The result of each such vote shall be declared by the municipal officers and due certificate thereof filed by the town clerk with the Secretary of State.

Effective May 11, 1966

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## Chapter 240

### AN ACT to Reconstitute School Administrative District No. 17.

**Emergency preamble.** Whereas, the management and control of the public schools located in the Towns of Harrison, Norway, Otisfield, Oxford, Paris, Waterford and West Paris have been assumed by School Administrative District No. 17 which embraces the territory in said municipalities; and

Whereas, the school buildings which house the primary and secondary schools in all of said towns are inadequate and it is imperative that action be taken at the earliest possible moment to relieve such conditions and the congestion and disorder caused thereby; and

Whereas, funds for capital outlay purposes are required by said School Administrative District in order to construct a new secondary school plant for the alleviation of such conditions; and

Whereas, action to secure such funds and construct said new secondary school facilities has long been delayed by legal proceedings, thus further exacerbating and aggravating the situation; 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. School Administrative District No. 17 reconstituted and established; validation of proceedings in member municipalities.** The municipalities of Harrison, Norway, Otisfield, Oxford, Paris, Waterford and West Paris are constituted to be and to have been since January 26, 1966 a School Administrative District known as School Administrative District No. 17, 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 Harrison, Norway, Otisfield, Oxford, Paris, Waterford and West Paris, wherein it was voted that Harrison, Otisfield, Oxford, Waterford and West Paris join School Administrative District No. 17 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. 17, 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. 17.

**Sec. 4. Issuance of bonds and notes; validation of proceedings in member towns.** School Administrative District No. 17, composed of the residents of and the territory within the Towns of Harrison, Norway, Otisfield, Oxford, Paris, Waterford and West Paris, is authorized to issue and sell the not exceeding \$1,795,000 principal amount of its bonds or notes for capital outlay purposes previously authorized under and pursuant to the applicable provisions of the 1954 Revised Statutes, chapter 41, section 111-K, as amended, and the 1964 Revised Statutes, Title 20, section 304, as amended, without the necessity of further proceedings in the member towns. The proceedings taken in the district meetings in each of said member towns on December 12, 1962, and November 30, 1965, wherein it was voted to authorize the school directors of School Administrative District No. 17 to issue bonds or notes in the name of said School Administrative District for capital outlay purposes in the aggregate amount of \$1,795,000 are validated, confirmed and made effective.

**Sec. 5. 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.

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

Approved January 31, 1966

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## Chapter 241

### AN ACT Authorizing Medical Care Administration Positions for the Department of Health and Welfare.

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

**Medical care administration positions authorized.** There are authorized in the Department of Health and Welfare, for Medical Care Administration, positions as follows:

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Health and Welfare, Department of

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