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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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AS PASSED BY THE
One Hundred and Second Legislature
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Chapter 288

AN ACT Relating to Distribution of Railroad Stock Tax to the City of Bangor.

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

Whereas, the City of Bangor, due to the merger of the Bangor & Aroostook Corporation into the Bangor Punta Alegre Sugar Corporation, a Delaware corporation, will lose the greater portion of its share of the state's distribution of the Railroad Stock Tax for the years 1965 and 1966; and

Whereas, the budget of the City of Bangor anticipated the collection of its share of the distribution of the stock tax; and

Whereas, the following legislation is vitally necessary to prevent hardship and inequities to the inhabitants of the City of Bangor; 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:

Distribution of railroad stock tax to City of Bangor. There is appropriated the sum of \$51,000 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1966 from the General Fund, Unappropriated Surplus, to the City of Bangor in lieu of its apportionment of the railroad stock tax for the year 1965.

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

Effective February 4, 1966

Chapter 289

AN ACT Making Additional Appropriations for the Expenditures of State Government for the Fiscal Years Ending June 30, 1966 and June 30, 1967.

Emergency preamble. Whereas, Acts and resolves passed by the Legislature do not become effective until 90 days after adjournment unless enacted as emergencies; and

Whereas, certain obligations and expenses incident to the operation of State Government will become due and payable immediately; 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. Appropriations for necessary expenditures of government. In order to provide for the necessary expenditures of government, the sum of \$641,690 is hereby appropriated out of any moneys in the General Fund not otherwise appropriated. Upon receipt of allotments duly approved by the Governor and Council based upon work programs submitted to the State Budget Officer, the State Controller shall authorize expenditures of these appropriations and revenues accruing thereto, together with expenditures for other purposes necessary to the conduct of state government, on the basis of such allotments and not otherwise.

The breakdown of expenditures to be as follows:

GENERAL FUND	1965-66	1966-67
BOND INTEREST		
All Other	\$ —	\$103,900
Cost of one interest payment on approved Bond Issues		
CONTRIBUTIONS AND TRANSFERS		
To General Highway Fund		
General Fund's share of State Police Costs — 25%		
20 Additional Troopers	24,700	37,090
LEGISLATIVE EXPENSE		
All Other	81,000	—
Capital expenditures	357,000	—
House renovations and other legislative expense		
SECRETARY OF STATE		
Elections Division		
Personal Services	\$ 4,000	\$ 4,000
All Other	15,000	15,000
Costs related to Referendum questions on Bond Issues and Reapportionment		
	\$481,700	\$159,990

Amounting to \$481,700 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1966 and \$159,990 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1967.

Sec. 2. Chapter 200, P. & S. L., 1965. The provisions of chapter 200 of the private and special laws of 1965, notwithstanding, the State Controller, with the

approval of the Governor and Council, may increase the Allocations of the Liquor Commission to specifically cover those adjustments determined to be necessary as related to the Employees' Salary Plan.

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

Effective February 4, 1966

Chapter 290

AN ACT Appropriating Funds for State of Maine's Participation in the 1967 World Exhibition in Canada.

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 recreational advantages, arts, industries, institutions, resources, production and development of the State of Maine should be set forth and promoted in the public mind at the 1967 World Exhibition in Canada; and

Whereas, because of the time involved in the construction necessary for such promotion, the following legislation is vitally needed to commence as soon as possible; 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. Contract. The Governor is authorized and empowered to negotiate and enter into a contract, on behalf of the State of Maine, with the Canadian Corporation for the 1967 World Exhibition in Canada at Montreal, an agency of the Government of Canada, for the purpose of providing participation of the State of Maine, in the Universal and International Exhibition of 1967, Montreal, Canada. Such contract may, in addition to such other provision as shall seem appropriate to the Governor, provide for the construction of a State of Maine exhibit structure and of exhibits to be included therein, and their demolition following the conclusion of the Exposition.

Sec. 2. Appropriation to the Department of Economic Development. For the purpose of promoting and exhibiting at the 1967 World Exhibition at Montreal, the arts, industries, institutions, resources, products, recreational advantages and general development of the State of Maine the sum of \$400,000 is appropriated from the General Fund to the Maine Department of Economic Development. Said sum shall be expended for meeting the terms of the contract with the Canadian Corporation for the 1967 World Exhibition; construction of a State of Maine exhibit structure and of exhibits of the Department of Economic Development to be included therein, and their demolition following the conclu-