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ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

One Hundred and Fourth Legislature

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

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

Effective January 17, 1968

Chapter 508

AN ACT Relating to Closing the Polls in Elections in Which Electronic Voting System is Used.

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

R. S., T. 21, § 1073, sub-§ 5, repealed and replaced. Subsection 5 of section 1073 of Title 21 of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by chapter 464 of the public laws of 1967, is repealed and the following enacted in place thereof:

5. Closing of the polls. As soon as the polls have been closed and the last qualified voter has voted, all unused ballot cards and records and supplies shall be placed in a container and sealed for return to the clerk. The ballot box shall be opened at the polling place and the write-in votes and absentee ballots counted, and the regular ballot cards separated from the envelopes. The separated ballot cards and envelopes, along with absentee and write-in ballots, shall then be delivered to the counting center for the official counting and recording of all ballots cast.

Effective April 26, 1968

Chapter 509

AN ACT Relating to Survivor Benefit Payments to Children Under State Retirement Law.

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

R. S., T. 5, § 1124, sub-§ 1, ¶ B, sub-¶ (1), divs. (b) and (c), amended. Divisions (b) and (c) of subparagraph (1) of paragraph B of subsection 1 of section 1124 of Title 5 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by section 1 of chapter 29 of the public laws of 1965, are further amended to read as follows:

(b) A spouse, alive and not remarried at the time of the death of the member who has the care of unmarried children of the deceased member under 18 years of age, or **unmarried children of the deceased member under 22 years of age and a full-time student** or any other progeny of the deceased who is considered to be mentally incompetent under the general statutes pertaining thereto, or who is certified to be mentally incompetent by the Medical Board of the Maine State Retirement System, or who is certified