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# ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS  
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## Chapter 125

### AN ACT to Authorize Lincoln County to Raise Money for Court House Capital Improvements.

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

**Sec. 1. To raise money for court house capital improvements.** The county commissioners of the County of Lincoln are authorized to raise and expend a sum not exceeding \$150,000 for the alteration, renovation and addition to the Lincoln County court house comprising improvements and such facilities as the county commissioners may deem advisable, but no funds shall be expended for a separate building.

**Sec. 2. Bonds or notes.** To provide funds for said capital improvements, the treasurer of Lincoln County, with the approval of said county commissioners, may borrow from time to time upon the full faith and credit of the county such sums, not exceeding in the aggregate \$150,000, as may be necessary, and may issue bonds or notes therefor which shall bear on their face the words "Lincoln County Capital Improvement Bonds, Act of 1967," or "Lincoln County Capital Improvement Notes, Act of 1967." Each authorized issue shall be payable in such annual installments beginning not more than 2 years from the date thereof as will extinguish each loan in not more than 20 years from its date, and so that the amount of each annual payment of principal in any year shall not be less by more than \$10,000 than the amount of the principal of the loan payable in any subsequent year. Such bonds or notes shall be signed by the treasurer of the county and countersigned by the majority of said county commissioners. Such bonds shall be valid without first obtaining the consent of said county as provided in the Revised Statutes of 1964, Title 30, sections 302 and 404. The county may sell such securities at public or private sale upon such terms and conditions as the said county commissioners may deem proper, but at not less than par and accrued interest.

**Sec. 3. Temporary notes.** Said county treasurer, with the approval of said county commissioners, may issue temporary notes of the county, payable in not more than one year from their dates, in anticipation of the issue of serial bonds or notes under this Act and may renew the same, but the time within which such serial bonds or notes shall become due and payable shall not, by reason of such temporary notes, be extended beyond the term fixed by this Act. Any notes issued in anticipation of the serial bonds or notes shall be paid from the proceeds thereof.

Effective October 7, 1967

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## Chapter 126

### AN ACT Relating to Certificate of Organization of Nonprofit Corporations Organized Prior to 1911.

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

**Certificate of organization of nonprofit corporations organized prior to 1911.** Any nonprofit corporation, organized prior to the effective date of chapter 133

of the public laws of 1911, may present a certificate of such organization to the Attorney General, prepared by its officers of the date of such presentation, setting forth the date, place and purpose of the incorporation, its present location and officers, and if the Attorney General finds that such corporation was formed, by examination of the corporate records or other substantial evidence, whether or not with all the formalities now required in a certificate, and conformed to the law existing at the date of organization, he shall so certify, and the certificate so certified shall be recorded in the registry of deeds where the corporation is located and a copy thereof filed with the Secretary of State as provided for corporations under the present law; and if a certificate has heretofore been filed with the Secretary of State, as provided by chapter 192 of the public laws of 1897, the corporation may present such certificate or a copy thereof to the Attorney General. If he finds that the incorporation was made according to the law of the date of incorporation, he shall so certify, and in either case a copy of such certificate shall be filed with the registry of deeds in the county where the corporation is located, within 60 days after such certification.

Effective October 7, 1967

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## Chapter 127

### AN ACT Relating to Cost of Living Adjustments for Retired Employees of the City of Lewiston and Their Beneficiaries.

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

P. & S. L., 1939, c. 8, Art. XVI, § 21-A, additional. Article XVI of chapter 8 of the private and special laws of 1939, as amended, is further amended by adding a new section 21-A, to read as follows:

Sec. 21-A. Cost of living adjustments for retired employees and beneficiaries. Notwithstanding any other provision in this charter, on any or all general wage adjustments in city salaries made to active city employees on or after January 2, 1968, the same percent increase or decrease shall be applied to all retired city employees or their beneficiaries as provided in articles XI, XII and XVI of this charter. The provisions of this section shall apply to city employees who were retired prior to the enactment of this section and their beneficiaries as well as to those city employees who are retired after such enactment and their beneficiaries, except that no decrease shall be applied to retired city employees who were retired prior to the enactment of this section or to their beneficiaries.

Effective October 7, 1967

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## Chapter 128

### AN ACT Relating to Pensions for Members of the Lewiston Police Department, Lewiston Fire Department and Their Beneficiaries.

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

Sec. 1. P. & S. L., 1939, c. 8, Art. XI, § 21-B, additional. Article XI of chapter 8 of the private and special laws of 1939, as amended, is further amended by adding a new section 21-B, to read as follows: