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STATE AID FOR SCHOOL ADM. DIST. NO. 12 PRIVATE AND SPECIAL, 1967

School Administrative District for Matinicus Isle, authorized. The Municipality of Matinicus Isle Plantation is exempted from the limitations provided in the Revised Statutes of 1964, Title 20, section 213, and the State Board of Education is authorized to proceed pursuant to sections 214 to 307 to take the necessary action to allow the municipality of Matinicus Isle to form a School Administrative District. Said district shall be authorized to procure secondary education for its pupils at one or more administrative units or with one or more private academies on the mainland. Further, notwithstanding any other provision of the law to the contrary, the Matinicus Isle School Administrative District shall be governed by a board of directors not to exceed 3 in number.

Nothing contained in this Act shall be construed to limit the number of times that Matinicus Isle may make application to the State Board of Education nor shall the authority heretofore granted to the State Board of Education under this Act be limited to any specified number of times for the board to authorize Matinicus Isle to act on the formation of a School Administrative District.

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

Effective July 5, 1967

Chapter 159

AN ACT to Make Allocations from Bond Issue for Construction and Equipment of Pollution Abatement Facilities.

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

Allocation. From the proceeds of the sale of bonds for construction and equipment of pollution abatement facilities, from July 1, 1967 to June 30, 1968 and from July 1, 1968 to June 30, 1969, shall be segregated, apportioned and expended as designated in the following schedule:

1967-68 1968-69

WATER IMPROVEMENT COMMISSION

Municipal Sewerage

All Other

\$3,125,000 \$4,450,000

Any balance shall not lapse but shall be carried forward from year to year to be expended for the same purposes.

Effective October 7, 1967

Chapter 160

AN ACT Relating to Computation of State Aid for School Administrative District No. 12 (Jackman and Moose River).

Emergency preamble. Whereas, School Administrative District No. 12 currently enrolls 191 pupils; and

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Whereas, a decision has been made to close Sacred Heart Academy and St. Anthony Elementary School in Jackman; and

Whereas, 106 pupils resident in the Towns of Jackman and Moose River will become the responsibility of School Administrative District No. 12; and

Whereas, a 55% increase in enrollment of the district will create severe financial hardships; and

Whereas, the time for raising money at budget meetings or town meetings is already passed; and

Whereas, the following legislation becomes essential; and

Whereas, in the judgement 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. General purpose aid for School Administrative District No. 12. The computation of general purpose aid for School Administrative District No. 12, notwithstanding any other provision of the Revised Statutes, Title 20, shall be accomplished in accordance with the following:

1. Subsidy computation. All pupils resident of Jackman or Moose River, who have been attending Sacred Heart Academy or St. Anthony Elementary School shall be counted in the subsidy computation as though they had been attending public schools during the last biennium,

2. Allowable expenditures. For the purposes of this subsidy computation, the allowable expenditures for the students in Sacred Heart Academy and St. Anthony Elementary School shall be the state average expenditure during the 2-year period involved.

3. 1969-1970 biennium. For all subsidy computation purposes in the 1969-1970 biennium, the pupils now attending Sacred Heart Academy and St. Anthony Elementary School shall be counted in the computation of aid for School Administrative District No. 12, and the average per pupil expenditure of the State shall be used as the expenditure for these pupils during the period when they were not in the public school.

Sec. 2. Superintendent of schools. The commissioner and the board may approve the employment of a qualified person to serve as superintendent of schools and as supervising principal if the unit does not employ more than 20 teachers notwithstanding the Revised Statutes, Title 20, section 151, subsection 5. The amount paid by the State to the superintendent who also serves as a supervising principal shall not exceed \$675 nor be less than \$575 under the Revised Statutes, Title 20, section 154.

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