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ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

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OF THE

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Chapter 63

AN ACT Relating to Deposit of State Funds.

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

Whereas, there are state funds available for investment for a short term; and

Whereas, this legislation is vitally necessary to permit the State this substantial income on state available funds; and

Whereas, this legislation is vitally necessary to permit the State to invest in repurchase agreements involving treasury securities for a short period of time; 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:

R. S., T. 5, § 135, amended. The 2nd sentence of section 135 of Title 5 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:

When there are excess moneys in the State Treasury which are not needed to meet current obligations he may, with the concurrence of the State Controller or the Commissioner of Finance and Administration and with the consent of the Governor and Council, invest such amounts in bonds, notes, certificates of indebtedness or other obligations of the United States of America which mature not more than 24 months from the date of investment, or in repurchase agreements secured by obligations of the United States of America which mature within the succeeding 24 months.

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

Effective March 5, 1969

Chapter 64

AN ACT Relating to Expiration and Renewals of Certificates of Registration for Land Surveyors.

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

R. S., T. 32, § 1689, amended. Section 1689 of Title 32 of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by section 1 of chapter 423 of the public laws of 1967, is amended to read as follows:

§ 1689. Expiration and renewals

Certificates of registration for land surveyors shall expire on the last day of December following their issuance or renewal and shall become invalid on that date unless renewed. The secretary of the board shall notify every person registered under this chapter of the date of the expiration of his certificate and the amount of the fee that shall be required for its renewal for one year. The notice shall be mailed at least one month in advance of the date of the expiration of said certificate. Renewal may be effected at any time during the month of December by the payment of the fee designated by the board, not to exceed \$5. The failure on the part of any registrant to renew his certificate annually in the month of December as required shall not deprive such person of the right of renewal, but the fee to be paid for the renewal of a certificate after the month of December shall be increased 10% for each month or fraction of a month that payment of renewal is delayed. The maximum fee for delayed renewal shall not exceed twice the normal renewal fee for each year in arrears.

The right of renewal shall be limited to a period of 2 years from the date of expiration of a certificate. After this period, the certificate of a former registrant shall become null and void, but may be reinstated by the board after reapplication, payment of a fee of \$20 and after approval of the board. The board, at its discretion, may reexamine said former registrant.

Effective October 1, 1969

Chapter 65

AN ACT Permitting Partial Payments at Times other than August and December for Operation of Regional Vocational Technical Centers.

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

R. S., T. 20, § 3455, amended. The first sentence of section 3455 of Title 20 of the Revised Statutes, as last repealed and replaced by section 49 of chapter 544 of the public laws of 1967, is amended to read as follows:

~~All apportionments~~ **Apportionments** to administrative units, academies and institutes under this Title, unless specifically directed by statute, shall be made annually in the following manner: An amount not to exceed 2/3 of the estimated subsidy shall be paid on or after August 15th, or as much thereof as is available, and the balance shall be due and payable in the month of December; ~~partial payments may be made to regional vocational-technical centers at such times and in such amounts as the State Board of Education may authorize.~~

Effective October 1, 1969