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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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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

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Sec. 8. Referendum for ratification. The aldermen of cities, the selectmen of towns and the assessors of the several plantations of this State are hereby empowered and directed to notify the inhabitants of their respective cities, towns and plantations to meet in the manner prescribed by law for calling and holding biennial meetings of said inhabitants for the election of Senators and Representatives, at a state-wide election to be held on November 4, 1969 to give in their votes upon the acceptance or rejection of the foregoing Act, and the question shall be:

“Shall a bond issue be ratified for the purposes set forth in ‘An Act to Authorize General Fund Bond Issue in Amount of Fifty Million Dollars and to Appropriate Moneys for the Planning, Construction and Equipment of Pollution Abatement Facilities,’ passed by the 104th Legislature?”

The inhabitants of said cities, towns and plantations shall indicate by a cross or check mark placed within a square upon their ballots their opinion of the same, those in favor of ratification voting “Yes” and those opposed to ratification voting “No” and the ballots shall be received, sorted, counted and declared in open ward, town and plantation meetings, and due return made to the office of the Secretary of State in the same manner as votes for Governor and members of the Legislature, and the Governor and Council shall review the same and if it shall appear that a majority of the inhabitants voting on the question are in favor of said Act, the Governor shall forthwith make known the fact by his proclamation, and the Act shall thereupon become effective as of the date of said proclamation.

Secretary of State shall prepare ballots. The Secretary of State shall prepare and furnish the several cities, towns and plantations ballots and blank returns in conformity with the foregoing Act, accompanied by a copy thereof.

Effective October 1, 1969

Chapter 182

AN ACT Appropriating Moneys for a State Vocational and Technical Institute in Waterville.

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

Sec. 1. State vocational and technical institute; appropriation for. The State Board of Education shall operate a state vocational-technical institute in Waterville, Maine to promote specialized training for those who give evidence of special aptitude or need and who desire specialized training designed specifically to train for service in trade, industry or commerce.

The institute will begin operation in the fall of 1970 and use the equipment and facilities of the Regional-Technical Vocational Center of Waterville Senior High School at times convenient to the Waterville School Board. The Waterville School Board will contract, at no additional expense to them, with the State Board of Education to operate this vocational-technical institute and will be responsible for organizing and administering the programs, employing all instructional and maintenance personnel, maintaining equipment, purchasing supplies and for providing other services and activities necessary in operating and maintaining an institute.

The Department of Education will set fees comparable to those charged at other state vocational-technical institutes, and this tuition money will be turned over to the General Fund of the State. Such an institute shall be experimental for approximately 2 to 3 years of operation. Future funding requests shall be based on a thorough evaluation of the institute.

Sec. 2. Gifts. The Department of Education is authorized and empowered to receive such gifts and donations, either from public or private sources, as may be offered unconditionally.

Sec. 3. Appropriation. There is appropriated from the Unappropriated Surplus of the General Fund the sum of \$98,000 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1971, to carry out the purposes of this Act. The appropriation shall not lapse but shall remain a continuing account until the purposes of this Act have been accomplished.

Effective October 1, 1969

Chapter 183

AN ACT to Authorize Bond Issue in the Amount of \$770,000 for the Construction and Improvement of Vocational Education Facilities at Northern, Southern, Eastern and Central Maine Vocational-Technical Institutes, and for the Construction and Improvement of Education Facilities at Maine Maritime Academy and the Unorganized Territory Schools and Indian Schools.

Preamble. Two-thirds of both Houses of Legislature deeming it necessary in accordance with Section 14 of Article IX of the Constitution to authorize the issuance of bonds on behalf of the State of Maine to provide for capital improvements, construction, renovations, equipment and furnishings for the Department of Education and the Maine Maritime Academy.

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

Sec. 1. Issue of bonds to provide for capital improvements, construction, renovations, equipment and furnishings for the Department of Education and the Maine Maritime Academy. The Treasurer of State is authorized, under the direction of the Governor and Council, to issue from time to time serial coupon bonds in the name and behalf of the State to an amount not exceeding \$770,000 for the purpose of raising funds to provide for such capital improvements, construction, renovations, equipment and furnishings as authorized by section 6. Said bonds shall be deemed a pledge of the faith and credit of the State. Said bonds shall not run for a longer period than 20 years from the date of the original issue thereof. Any issuance of bonds may contain a call feature at the discretion of the Treasurer of State with the approval of the Governor and Council.

Sec. 2. Records of bonds issued to be kept by State Auditor and Treasurer. The State Auditor shall keep an account of such bonds, showing the number and amount of each, the date when payable and the date of delivery thereof to the Treasurer of State, who shall keep an account of each bond, showing the number thereof, the name of the person to whom sold, the amount received for the same, the date of sale and the date when payable.