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ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

One Hundred and Fifth Legislature

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

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RESOLVES
OF THE
STATE OF MAINE
AS PASSED BY THE
One Hundred and Fourth Legislature
AT THE
SPECIAL SESSION

January 6, 1970
to
February 7, 1970

“Shall the Constitution be amended as proposed by a resolution of the Legislature Providing for Convening of the Legislature at Such Times as the Legislature Deems Necessary?”

The inhabitants of said cities, towns and plantations shall vote by ballot on said question, and shall indicate by a cross or check mark placed against the words “Yes” or “No” their opinion of the same. The ballots shall be received, sorted, counted and declared in open ward, town and plantation meetings and returns 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 the amendment, the Governor shall forthwith make known the fact by his proclamation, and the amendment shall thereupon, as of the date of said proclamation, become a part of the Constitution.

Secretary of State shall prepare ballots. Resolved: That the Secretary of State shall prepare and furnish to the several cities, towns and plantations ballots and blank returns in conformity with the foregoing resolve, accompanied by a copy thereof.

Effective October 1, 1969

Chapter 75

RESOLVE, Ratifying Certain Conveyances to the United States Government Made by the Governor and Council.

Emergency preamble. Whereas, the Governor and Council of the State of Maine, by virtue of an executive order, did authorize and order certain lots or parcels of land, totalling 19 acres, in South Portland, Maine to be conveyed to the United States of America; and

Whereas, in accordance with such executive order on December 12, 1941, the State of Maine, by Sumner Sewall, its Governor, and G. Cony Weston, Chairman of the Governor's Council, did execute a warranty deed on behalf of the State of Maine conveying said 19 acres of property in South Portland, Maine to the United States of America, which has been in possession of said property ever since that date; and

Whereas, general statutes of the State of Maine limit the authority of the Governor and the Council to convey property to the United States of America in an amount not to exceed 10 acres; and

Whereas, it is the purpose of this resolve to ratify and confirm the aforesaid prior conveyances made by the Governor and Council; 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

Ratifying certain conveyances. Resolved: That the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Council, is authorized to and directed to execute and convey by quit-claim release deed to the United States of America, any and all interest that the State of Maine has in and to certain lots or parcels of land, as follows:

Certain lots or parcels of land located in South Portland, in the County of Cumberland and State of Maine, and being the same lots or parcels of land that are described in a warranty deed from the State of Maine to the United States of America dated December 12, 1941 and recorded in the Cumberland County Registry of Deeds in Book 2209, Page 169 and the lots or parcels of land described in another warranty deed from the State of Maine to the United States of America dated December 12, 1941 and recorded in said Registry of Deeds in Book 1672, Page 179.

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

Effective January 13, 1970

Chapter 76

RESOLVE, Approving of Conveying of Anson Academy to School Administrative District No. 74.

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

Whereas, the title to the property conveyed by the trustees of Anson Academy to School Administrative District No. 74 is in doubt; and

Whereas, good title is necessary to finance any school construction; 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

Conveying of Anson Academy to School Administrative District No. 74. Resolved: That the conveyance by the trustees of Anson Academy of all its school property to School Administrative District No. 74, its successors and assigns, by quitclaim deed dated August 22, 1969, be and hereby is ratified, authorized and approved. The property described as follows, to wit:

Certain lots or parcels of land, with all buildings thereon, situated in Anson, County of Somerset and State of Maine, together with any and all personal property now in, on or about the premises, and being all and the same premises conveyed to the trustees of Anson Academy by the following deeds, to wit: Deed of Franklin Smith and Columbus Steward dated June 14, 1847 and recorded in Somerset County registry of deeds in book 66, page 362; deed of Etta L. Eames dated April 14, 1917 and recorded in Somerset County registry of deeds in book 339, page 382; deed of First North Anson