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ACTS AND RESOLVES

AS PASSED BY THE

One Hundred and Fifth Legislature

OF THE

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and in addition, original jurisdiction, concurrent with that of the Superior Court of all civil actions in which neither damages in excess of ~~\$10,000~~ \$20,000 nor equitable relief is demanded, of actions for divorce or annulment of marriage and of proceedings under Title 19 and original jurisdiction, concurrent with that of the probate court, of actions for separation.

Effective September 23, 1971

Chapter 39

AN ACT Relating to Rate of Contributions of Employees Under State Retirement System.

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

R. S., T. 5, § 1095, amended. The first sentence of section 1095 of Title 5 of the Revised Statutes and the 2nd and 3rd sentences of section 1095 of Title 5 of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by section 4 of chapter 415 of the public laws of 1969, are repealed and the following enacted in place thereof:

Each member shall make a contribution in such an amount as the board of trustees, upon recommendation by the actuary, shall determine, provided said amount is not less than 5% of earnable compensation.

Effective September 23, 1971

Chapter 40

AN ACT Relating to Creditable Service Under State Retirement Law for Certain Teachers.

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

R. S., T. 5, § 1094, sub-§ 14, additional. Section 1094 of Title 5 of the Revised Statutes, as amended, is further amended by adding a new subsection 14 to read as follows:

14. Private and parochial school credit. Any public school teacher who rendered teaching service in any parochial school or public or private academy may purchase up to 10 years creditable service. Such service credit to be creditable must have been performed in a school approved by the State Department of Education while holding the appropriate teaching certificate during the time of said nonpublic school service, and such prior service credit can only be secured after 10 years of service in the public schools.

Any public school teacher who leaves service in Maine and who serves as a teacher in Volunteers in Service to America, in the Peace Corps, foreign or domestic, or who teaches children of United States Foreign Service Corps outside the continental limits of the said United States, shall be allowed