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**ACTS, RESOLVES AND CONSTITUTIONAL RESOLUTIONS**

**AS PASSED BY THE**

**One Hundred and Sixth Legislature**

**OF THE**

**STATE OF MAINE**

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**PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS**  
OF THE  
**STATE OF MAINE**  
AS PASSED BY THE  
**One Hundred and Fifth Legislature**  
AT THE  
**SPECIAL SESSION**

January 24, 1972

to

March 10, 1972

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and hold property and to fix the dollar amount and to authorize borrowing for the construction of a school facility. The articles shall be in the same form as the 2nd and 3rd articles of the Revised Statutes, Title 20, section 351. The trustees shall specify the date when such a special meeting shall be held. The trustees shall report the results of such a vote to the Secretary of State and his records shall clearly indicate the result of the required vote.

**Sec. 4. Certificate.** When the Secretary of State receives the results of the vote as specified in section 3, he shall issue a new certificate of organization for the Four Corners Elementary Community School District consisting of the Towns of Dyer Brook, Merrill and Smyrna. If any one town votes in the negative, the district shall be dissolved and the Secretary of State shall so certify to each of the towns and the State Board of Education.

**Sec. 5. Article in warrant.** The board of trustees of the Four Corners Elementary Community School District may, as an alternative to the provisions of section 3, instruct the selectmen to place an article in a warrant at a special town meeting to vote on the following question: Shall the Four Corners Elementary Community School District be dissolved? Yes... No...

The trustees shall specify the date when such a special meeting shall be held. The results of that vote shall be filed with the Secretary of State, and if he finds that a majority of the voters present and voting in any one of the municipalities has voted in the affirmative on the question of dissolution, he shall issue a certificate of dissolution for the Four Corners Elementary Community School District and shall set the effective date of such a dissolution.

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

Effective February 18, 1972

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## CHAPTER 166

### AN ACT Providing Funds to Carry out Duties of the Criminal Division of the Department of the Attorney General.

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

Whereas, the State of Maine has an obligation to provide a speedy trial to those accused of crime; and

Whereas, the volume of serious criminal cases coming under the jurisdiction of the Attorney General has increased beyond budgeted ability to handle them; and

Whereas, the responsibility of the Attorney General cannot be delegated to any other agency; 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:*

**Department of the Attorney General, Criminal Division; appropriation.**  
There is appropriated from the General Fund to the Department of the Attorney General the sum of \$70,971.10 to carry out the duties and functions of the Criminal Division of the Department of the Attorney General. The breakdown shall be as follows:

1971-72

1972-73

ATTORNEY GENERAL, DEPARTMENT OF

Criminal Division			
Personal Services	(5)	\$15,795.38	(5) \$48,721.60
All Other		980.62	3,000.00
Capital Expenditures		2,473.50	—
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		\$19,249.50	\$51,721.60

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

Effective February 25, 1972

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## CHAPTER 167

### AN ACT to Authorize Bond Issue in the Amount of \$8,360,000 for the Construction and Renovation of Higher Education Facilities at the University of Maine.

**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 University of Maine.

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

**Sec. 1.** Issue of bonds to provide for capital improvements, construction, renovation, equipment and furnishings for the University of Maine. 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 \$8,360,000 for the purpose of raising funds to provide for such capital improvements, construction, renovations, equipment and furnishings as authorized by section 8. 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