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229 of the private and special laws of 1961, is further amended to read as follows:

To procure funds for the purposes of this Act and such other expenses as may be necessary to the carrying out of said purposes, the said district, by its trustees, is hereby authorized to issue notes and bonds, but shall not incur a total indebtedness exceeding the sum of ~~\$2,000,000~~ \$2,500,000 at any one time outstanding.

Emergency clause; effective date; referendum. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this Act shall take effect when approved, only for the purpose of permitting its submission to the legal voters of the City of Brewer at any regular election or at any special election called and held for that purpose, or at any election called for the purpose of voting upon any state referendum. Such election shall be called, advertised and conducted before December 31, 1973, according to the law relating to municipal elections; provided that the board of registration in said City of Brewer shall not be required to prepare for posting, nor the city clerk to post, a new list of voters, and for the purpose of registration of voters, said board shall be in session the 3 secular days next preceding such election, the first 2 days to be devoted to the registration of voters and the last day to enable the board to verify the corrections of said lists and to complete and close up their records of said sessions.

The city clerk shall prepare the required ballots, on which he shall reduce the subject matter of this Act to the following question: "Shall the Act Amending the Charter of the City of Brewer High School District, passed at the regular session of the 106th Legislature, be accepted?" The voters shall indicate by a cross or check mark placed against the words "Yes" or "No" their opinion of the same.

This Act shall take effect for all the purposes hereof immediately upon its acceptance by a majority vote of the legal voters voting at said election; provided the total number of votes cast for and against the acceptance of this Act at said election equals or exceeds 20% of the total vote for all candidates for Governor in said city at the next preceding gubernatorial election; but failure of approval of this Act by the necessary percentage of voters at such election or otherwise shall not prevent a 2nd election being held at any annual election of the City of Brewer held on or before December 31, 1973.

The result of such elections shall be declared by the municipal officers of the City of Brewer and due certificates thereof filed by the city clerk with the Secretary of State.

Effective March 27, 1973

CHAPTER 48

AN ACT to Validate Portland Water District's Actions.

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

Sec. 1. Elections. All of the elections held pursuant to section 17 of chapter 95 of the private and special laws of 1969 entitled "An Act to Ex-

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pand the Purposes of the Portland Water District to Authorize it to Engage in Treatment and Disposal of Sewage" in the Cities of Portland, South Portland and Westbrook and the Towns of Cape Elizabeth, Cumberland, Falmouth, Gorham, Standish and Windham for the purpose of approving said chapter 95, including, but not otherwise limiting, the elections held on June 9, 1969, in the Cities of Portland and South Portland, and the elections held on August 12, 1969, in the City of Westbrook and the Towns of Cape Elizabeth, Cumberland, Falmouth, Gorham, Standish and Windham are hereby validated, confirmed and made effective.

Sec. 2. Proceedings. All of the proceedings with respect to the option to withdraw held pursuant to section 16 of said chapter 95 of the private and special laws of Maine of 1969 in the Cities of Portland, South Portland and Westbrook and the Towns of Cape Elizabeth, Cumberland, Falmouth, Gorham, Standish and Windham are hereby validated, confirmed and made effective; including the election to withdraw held on February 3, 1972, in the City of South Portland as a participating municipality in the waste water and sewage system of the Portland Water District so that the participating municipalities for the purposes of said chapter 95 are the Cities of Portland and Westbrook and the Towns of Cape Elizabeth, Cumberland, Falmouth, Gorham, Standish and Windham.

Sec. 3. Other elections. All of the elections held pursuant to section 6 of chapter 125 of the private and special laws of 1969 entitled "An Act to Expand the Territory of the Portland Water District" for the purpose of approving said chapter 125 as are hereby validated, confirmed and made effective, including, but not otherwise limiting, the elections held on March 13, 1972, in the Cities of Portland and South Portland, the election held on March 21, 1972, in the City of Westbrook, the elections held on April 3, 1972, in the Towns of Cape Elizabeth, Falmouth and Gorham, the elections held on April 4, 1972, in the Towns of Cumberland and Windham at which elections all of said cities and towns voted to approve said chapter 125, and the action taken at the public meeting held on March 30, 1972, in the Town of Standish at which meeting the town voted not to approve said chapter 125 and voted not to have a special election on this question, so that from and after April 5, 1972, the territory and people of the Cities of Portland, South Portland and Westbrook and the Towns of Cape Elizabeth, Cumberland, Falmouth, Gorham and Windham shall constitute the public municipal corporation named Portland Water District.

Sec. 4. Trustees' actions. The action of the trustees of the Portland Water District taken on April 10, 1972, in determining the composition of areas from which trustees shall be elected is hereby validated, confirmed and made effective so that the proper areas from which the trustees are elected are the City of Portland, 4 trustees; the City of South Portland, 2 trustees; the City of Westbrook, one trustee; the Towns of Gorham and Cape Elizabeth, one trustee; and the Towns of Cumberland, Falmouth and Windham, one trustee.

Sec. 5. Election of trustees. The election of the trustees of the Portland Water District from the Cities of Portland and Westbrook and the Towns of Cape Elizabeth, Cumberland, Falmouth, Gorham, Standish and Windham pursuant to section 4 of chapter 125 of the private and special laws of 1969 said elections being held on May 23, 1972, are hereby validated, confirmed and made effective so that as of May 31, 1972, Harold E. Richardson, James

J. Conley, Vaughn Twaddell, Thomas J. Doherty, Robert G. Dillenback, W. Earle Eskilson, Edward J. Feeney, Robert L. Harnois and Dean W. Evans were the duly elected and qualified trustees of the Portland Water District.

Effective October 3, 1973

CHAPTER 49

AN ACT Enlarging the Territorial Limits of the Madawaska Water District.

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

P. & S. L., 1953 c. 17, § 1, amended. The 2nd paragraph of section 1 of chapter 17 of the private and special laws of 1953, as amended by chapter 52 of the private and special laws of 1965, is repealed and the following enacted in place thereof:

The area within the district shall be that part of the Town of Madawaska bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the south bank of the St. John River, being intersection of the common Madawaska-Frenchville boundary with that river, thence southerly along said boundary approximately 6,000 feet to a point; thence easterly 4,500 feet to a point 500 feet southerly from the east-west boundary between land now or formerly owned by L. Arsenault and P. Dionne, being also a distance of 150 feet west of the center line of 11th Avenue (Pelletier Road); thence in a southerly direction parallel to 11th Avenue (Pelletier Road) a distance of 4,000 feet; thence easterly and at right angle a distance of 300 feet; thence northerly at right angle and parallel to 11th Avenue (Pelletier Road) a distance of approximately 7,500 feet to intersect Martin Brook, being a point 150 feet easterly from the center line of 11th Avenue (Pelletier Road); thence southerly along the west bank of Martin Brook approximately 1,300 feet; thence easterly approximately 1,500 feet and at a right angle with 11th Avenue (Pelletier Road) to a point; thence northerly at a right angle a distance of approximately 3,200 feet to a point; thence easterly approximately 5,200 feet to Factory Brook, being a point 1,500 feet southerly from the center line of U. S. Route No. 1; thence easterly at a more southerly bearing a distance of approximately 8,700 feet to a point 100 feet easterly of the east boundary of Fournier Road; thence northerly and parallel to Fournier Road a distance of 1,500 feet to the center of U. S. Route No. 1 and thence continuing along this line to the south bank of the St. John River; thence following the south bank of the St. John River in a general westerly direction to the point of beginning.

Effective October 3, 1973

CHAPTER 50

AN ACT Creating the Monson Utilities District.

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