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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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of the proposed reorganization of the trial courts and related administrative offices, under the direction and supervision of the commission. No person shall be employed as chief counsel who shall not, by virtue of prior training, experience, ability and reputation, have clearly demonstrated the ability to perform the tasks to be assigned to him by the commission.

Sec. 5. Reimbursement of expenses. The members of the commission shall serve without compensation, but may be reimbursed for their reasonable expenses in attending meetings, procuring supplies, correspondence, and other related and necessary expenditures.

Sec. 6. Federal funds. The commission shall be authorized, on behalf of the State, to accept federal funds and may seek the advice and assistance of the Law Enforcement Planning and Assistance Agency in carrying out its duties.

Sec. 7. Appropriation. There is appropriated from the Unappropriated Surplus of the General Fund the sum of \$25,000 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1974 to carry out the purposes of this Act.

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

Effective July 5, 1973

CHAPTER 140

AN ACT Providing Minimum Retirement Benefits for Certain Teachers.

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

Whereas, there are several former teachers whose service extends back beyond July 1, 1924 and as a result are receiving no pensions at the present time; and

Whereas, the following legislation is vitally necessary to alleviate an inequity which excludes this group of aged former teachers from the current retirement system provisions; 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:

Sec. 1. Retirement benefits for certain teachers. The following named former teachers shall be provided with a minimum retirement benefit of not less than \$80 per month during their lifetime, commencing July 1, 1973.

Mrs. Gilbert Wallis (Jessie W. Saddler), 55 Cottage Street, Mansfield, Massachusetts 02048

- Corinne G. Jordan, 690 Congress Street, Portland, Maine 04102
- Beatrice Eleanor Jones, Bayside Road, Ellsworth, Maine 04605
- Blanche Shain Holland Palmer, Whitneyville, Maine 04692
- Beatrice V. Hayden, 38 Gleckler Road, Portland, Maine 04103
- Mrs. Marion E. Sherry, 1451 Congress Street, Portland, Maine 04102
- Mrs. Blanche L. Ackley, Cutler Route, East Machias, Maine 04630
- Gertrude L. Hupper, Wheelbarrow Farm, Tenants Harbor, Maine 04860
- Hattie Edith (Sawyer) Jones, 995 Sawyer Street, South Portland, Maine 04106
- Harriet N. Condon, Route 1, Brooksville, Maine 04617
- Gladys Bowen Harjula, 46 Harpswell Street, Brunswick, Maine 04011
- Mrs. Marvel Dinsmore, East Machias, Maine 04630
- Vida Hasty Flick, Thorndike, Maine 04986
- Lawrence Neal, 54 Third Street, Bangor, Maine 04401
- Marion Nesbitt Neal, Third Street, Bangor, Maine 04401
- Velma K. Oliver, 3 Allen Road, Orono, Maine 04473
- Elizabeth M. (Smith) Sanborn, 4 Drisko Street, Machias, Maine 04654
- Marie Tibbetts McCollum, Jonesport, Maine 04649
- Maude Taylor Kassay, 9 Plummer Street, Gardiner, Maine 04345
- Frances H. Duffy, 29 Union Street, Ellsworth, Maine 04605
- Doris L. Crawford, Exeter, Maine 04435
- Katherine (Harvey) Huston, Simpson Road, Saco, Maine 04072
- Nellie D. Berry, 47 Gleckler Road, Portland, Maine 04103
- Grace Ricker Kennedy, 97 Main Street, Fairfield, Maine 04937
- Mena Coady Roberts, 80 Fourteenth Street, Bangor, Maine 04401
- Mildred Newhouse, 15 West Street, Pittsfield, Maine 04967
- June L. Honan, 68 Davis Street, South Portland, Maine 04106
- Mary T. Weymouth, East Newport, Maine 04933

Mildred G. Keene, Buckfield, Maine 04220

Marion C. W. Lackee, Addison, Maine 04606

Iona Landeen, 1617 27th Street, Lubbock, Texas

Elizabeth N. Jenkins, 4125 Park Street, North, St. Petersburg, Florida

Hope Adams Maxcy, Camden, Maine 04843

Marion Keyes Winslow, Nobleboro, Maine 04555

Estella Huff Sidelinger, Burnham, Maine 04922

Ethel Wyman MacKenzie, Bethel, Maine 04217

Pauline F. Pretto Hall, Bangor, Maine 04401

Lillian Buzzell McNeill, Bangor, Maine 04401

Nellie Merrill, Newport, Maine 04953

Sec. 2. Appropriation. There is appropriated from the General Fund to the Maine State Retirement System the sum of \$24,980 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1974 and \$24,960 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1975 to carry out the purposes of this Act.

Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this Act shall become effective July 1, 1973.

Effective July 1, 1973

CHAPTER 141

AN ACT Appropriating Funds for Sheltered Group Care Home for Girls.

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

Department of Health and Welfare; appropriation. There is appropriated from the Unappropriated Surplus of the General Fund to the Department of Health and Welfare the sum of \$263,574, in addition to any and all other appropriations, to enter into agreements with St. Andre's Home, Inc., for purchase of services for unmarried pregnant women, to obtain total care during pregnancies and to assist in making responsible decisions. Services shall include residential care in sheltered homes for small groups, individual and group counseling, including counseling with families and other responsible persons, continuing education and medical services, including complete obstetrical care. As an alternative, the homes can be adapted to provide services for other homeless girls. Funds under this Act may be advanced on a monthly or quarterly basis to St. Andre's Home, Inc., with a final accounting at the end of the contract year according to the number of individuals receiving services and the operating costs of the homes. The breakdown shall be as follows: