

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

The following document is provided by the
LAW AND LEGISLATIVE DIGITAL LIBRARY
at the Maine State Law and Legislative Reference Library
<http://legislature.maine.gov/lawlib>



Reproduced from scanned originals with text recognition applied
(searchable text may contain some errors and/or omissions)

LAWS
OF THE
STATE OF MAINE
AS PASSED BY THE
One Hundred and Sixth Legislature
1ST SPECIAL SESSION
JANUARY 2, 1974 TO MARCH 29, 1974
AND BY THE
One Hundred and Seventh Legislature
REGULAR SESSION
JANUARY 1, 1975 TO JULY 2, 1975

PUBLISHED BY THE DIRECTOR OF LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH IN
ACCORDANCE WITH THE REVISED STATUTES OF 1964, TITLE 3,
SECTION 164, SUBSECTION 6.

THE KNOWLTON AND MCLEARY COMPANY
FARMINGTON, MAINE
1975

PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

AS PASSED BY THE

One Hundred and Sixth Legislature

AT THE

SPECIAL SESSION

January 2, 1974

to

March 29, 1974

Whereas, 51 applications from Conservation Commissions have been received and rejected for lack of funds; 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. Intent. Each municipal conservation commission shall be restricted to one grant only during the program. A maximum grant of \$500 may be made to conservation commissions who previously received a Ford grant and a maximum grant of \$1,000 may be made to conservation commissions who did not receive a Ford grant. No grants from this Small Grants Program shall exceed 50% of the approved project cost and shall be matched by the conservation commission.

Sec. 2. Appropriation. There is appropriated from the Unappropriated Surplus of the General Fund to the Department of Conservation the sum of \$40,000 to carry out the purposes of this Act. Any unexpended balance remaining in this account shall not lapse but shall carry forward to be used for the same purposes.

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

Effective April 1, 1974

CHAPTER 224

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 \$100 per month during their lifetime, retroactive to July 1, 1973.

- Marian Waterhouse Goodwin, Beach Acres, Route 1, Wells, Maine 04090
- Mrs. Lois Hews Stinson, Bridgham Street, Box 206, Ashland, Maine 04732
- Mrs. Vivian White (nee Moholland), 1630 Bayshore Boulevard, Dunedin, Florida 33528
- Mrs. Marian G. (Morrell) Colby, 315 Lille Avenue, San Leandro, California 94577
- Lora M. Taylor, 28 River Bend Homes, Guilford, Maine 04443
- Rose Roy Daigle, Lake Tarpon Mobile Home Village, 107 Independence Avenue, Palm Harbor, Florida 33563
- Mrs. Laura Chase Whitney, Bingham, Maine 04920
- Mrs. Nellie D. Wells, Box 235, Wilton, Maine 04294
- Mrs. Bernice Poole Spooner Tozier, 15 Newhall Street, Fairfield, Maine 04937
- Mrs. Nora M. White Reed, 12 Second Street, Bangor, Maine 04401
- Mrs. Emma Coolege Anderson, Apt. 6, 78 Main Street, Pittsfield, Maine 04967
- Mrs. Elizabeth H. Caswell, North Edgecomb, Maine 04556
- Martha Palmer Page, E. Corinth, Maine
- Perley Harmon, Perham, Maine
- Helen Hutchins Bean, Mexico, Maine
- Minnie Austin Moore, Port Charlotte, Florida
- Mary Huntly Farris, Cutler, Maine
- Leona M. Cyr Schaller, Manchester, Connecticut
- Grace Adams Hatch, West Poland, Maine
- Martha Strachen Blake, Oakland, Maine
- Sarah Carr Tilley, Bucksport, Maine

Sec. 2. Appropriation. There is appropriated from the General Fund to the Maine State Retirement System the sum of \$23,520 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1974 and \$25,200 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1975 to carry out the purposes of this Act.

Sec. 3. Intent. It is the intent of the Legislature that the retirement benefits for certain teachers provided for herein be limited to \$110 per month and that the provisions of the Revised Statutes, Title 5, section 1128 not apply

to these benefits after the limit of \$110 has been reached. This limitation shall apply to those teachers named in the private and special laws of 1971, chapter 144 and the private and special laws of 1973, chapter 140.

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

Effective April 1, 1974

CHAPTER 225

AN ACT to Ratify the Actions of the Trustees of the Cumberland County Recreation Center.

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

P. & S. L., 1971, c. 86, § 2, amended. The last sentence of section 2 of chapter 86 of the private and special laws of 1971 is amended to read as follows:

The said district is further authorized and empowered to enter into, and to perform under the terms of, contracts, agreements, understandings and other commitments of every kind and description necessary or convenient in connection with the construction and operation of a multi-purpose recreation, athletic and municipal center and further to borrow, mortgage and pledge and issue bonds, notes or other obligations upon such security as the trustees deem necessary or convenient therewith.

Effective June 28, 1974