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LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

AS PASSED BY THE

One Hundred and Sixth Legislature

1ST SPECIAL SESSION

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS

OF THE

STATE OF MAINE

AS PASSED BY THE

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1975

Whereas, the necessity of prorated payments by the State has caused a financial hardship to many municipalities; and

Whereas, it is highly necessary that the balance due to the municipalities be paid as soon as possible; 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:

Appropriation. There is appropriated from the General Fund to the Treasurer of State the sum of \$1,493,677 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1975 to reimburse municipalities in accordance with the Revised Statutes, Title 30, section 5056.

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

Effective March 5, 1975

CHAPTER 12

AN ACT Authorizing the Theater at Monmouth to be Named the Shakespearean Theater of Maine.

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

Theater at Monmouth; authority to use name. The Theater at Monmouth is granted the authority to use the name "The Shakespearean Theater of Maine."

Effective October 1, 1975

CHAPTER 13

AN ACT to Clarify the Powers of Kittery Water District.

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

Whereas, Kittery Water District intends to issue bonds prior to the likely termination of said 90-day period in order to secure funds necessary to continue to provide adequate service to the inhabitants of the district; and

Whereas, it is necessary that the following legislation become effective in order that a favorable opinion of bond counsel may be obtained with respect to such bond issue; 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 public peace, health and safety; now, therefore,

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

- Sec. 1. P&SL 1907, c. 424, § 1 is amended to read:
- Sec. 1. Corporate limits; purpose. The following described territory, and the people within the same, namely: so much of the town of Kittery in the county of York, beginning: At a point on Chauncey's creek directly south to the base of Tenney's hill, so called, and extending northerly to the tracks of the York Harbor and Beach Railroad; thence westerly by said railroad tracks to the west bank of Spruce creek; thence northerly by said Spruce creek to the post road; thence westerly by the post road to James' corner; thence northwesterly by the Spinney road to Spinney's creek; thence southerly and easterly by Spinney's creek, the Piscataqua river, Pepperell cove and Chauncey's creek to the point of beginning, shall constitute a body politic and corporate under the name of the Kittery Water District, for the purpose of supplying the inhabitants of said district, and likewise of the remaining portion of said town of Kittery, with pure water for domestic and municipal purposes, commercial, industrial and governmental purposes.
 - Sec. 2. P&SL 1909, c. 109, § 1, is amended to read:
- Sec. 1. District may extend business. The Kittery Water District is hereby authorized and empowered to extend its business into the town of Eliot for the purpose of supplying the said town of Eliot and the inhabitants thereof with water for domestic and municipal purposes, commercial, industrial and governmental purposes.
 - Sec. 3. P&SL 1911, c. 2, § 1, is amended to read:
- Sec. 1. Kittery Water District authorized to extend its business. The Kittery Water District is hereby authorized and empowered to extend its business into the town of York, from its present water main, over Cider Hill, so called, to Great Bridge, so called, and over Beach Ridge, so called, for the purpose of supplying the said town of York, within this territory and the inhabitants thereof, with water for domestic and municipal purposes, commercial, industrial and governmental purposes.

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

Effective March 10, 1975

CHAPTER 14

AN ACT to Extend the Life of the Commission Preparing a Revision of the Probate Laws.

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

Whereas, in 1973, the Legislature passed a law providing for a commission to supervise the drafting of a proposed Probate Code for the State of Maine, to be presented either to a special session of the 106th Legislature or the regular session of the 107th Legislature; and