

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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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  
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THE KNOWLTON AND MCLEARY COMPANY  
FARMINGTON, MAINE  
1975

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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS  
OF THE  
STATE OF MAINE

AS PASSED BY THE  
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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

Whereas, this commission will not have completed its work by the end of the regular session of the 107th Legislature; and

Whereas, it is vital to the work of the commission that its membership continue as originally constituted, that its life be extended until the work be completed and that additional funds be made available; 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. P&SL 1973, c. 126, § 1, 1st sentence is amended to read:

A special commission shall be constituted and appointed to supervise the preparation, in final legislative draft form, of a proposed Probate Code for the State of Maine, such proposed code to be presented to the special session of the ~~106th~~ 107th Legislature or the regular session of the ~~107th~~ 108th Legislature.

Sec. 2. P&SL 1973, c. 126, § 2 is amended by adding a new sentence at the end to read:

All members appointed to the commission shall continue to serve as members until the work of the commission is completed, except that if a vacancy occurs through resignation or death, that vacancy shall be filled in the manner in which the original appointment was made.

Sec. 3. P&SL 1973, c. 126, § 6 is amended to read:

Sec. 6. **Appropriation.** There is appropriated from the Unappropriated Surplus of the General Fund the sum of \$20,000 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1974 to carry out the purposes of this Act. Any unexpended balance shall not lapse but shall remain a continuing carrying account until June 30, ~~1975~~ 1977.

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

Effective March 18, 1975

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## CHAPTER 15

### AN ACT to Incorporate the Town of Benedicta School District.

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

Whereas, the school facilities of the Town of Benedicta are overcrowded, inadequate and in need of repair; and

Whereas, it is imperative that action be taken at the earliest possible moment to relieve these conditions; and