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LAWS
OF THE
STATE OF MAINE
AS PASSED BY THE
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to the laws relating to municipal elections to the extent applicable hereto. The registrar of voters of New Portland shall prepare a list of the eligible voters of the Town of New Portland who live within the area of the district. This list shall become the legal list to be used at said special election. Persons claiming to be eligible voters in this special election whose names do not appear on the list so prepared shall present their claims to be listed as eligible voters to the registrar of voters of the Town of New Portland, who shall be in session on the day preceding said special election to hear and determine such claims. After the list is complete, the registrar of voters of New Portland shall compute the total number of eligible voters on said list and certify the list and the total to the municipal officers of New Portland so that it will be available on the date of said special election.

The town clerk of New Portland shall prepare the required ballots. He shall reduce the subject matter of this Act to the following question: "Shall the Act creating the New Portland Water District, passed by the 107th Legislature, be accepted?" The voters shall indicate by a cross or check mark placed against the words "Yes" and "No" their opinion of the same.

The result of the vote in said district shall be declared by the municipal officers of the Town of New Portland and due certificate thereof filed by the town clerk of New Portland with the Secretary of State and if said result so filed shows that a majority of the vote is for approval of this Act, it shall take complete effect; provided, that the total number of votes cast for or against the acceptance of this Act equals or exceeds 20% of the total eligible voters which had been previously determined by the certificate and list filed by the registrar of voters of New Portland.

Failure of approval of this Act at such first meeting shall not be construed to prevent its resubmission for acceptance at any subsequent meeting, called for the purpose in accordance with the terms hereof, held within 2 years from the effective date of this Act. The municipal officers of the Town of New Portland are vested with authority as hereinbefore provided.

Effective March 20, 1975

CHAPTER 19

AN ACT Establishing a Symbol to Indicate Buildings and Facilities Accessible to Handicapped and Elderly Persons.

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

Sec. 1. Identifying buildings accessible to handicapped and elderly persons. A wheelchair symbol shall be appropriately displayed to identify buildings with facilities which are accessible to handicapped and elderly persons, said accessibility to be determined by the Governor's Committee on Employment of the Handicapped.

Sec. 2. Symbol. The symbol shall be that adopted by the Rehabilitation International's World Congress in 1969.

Sec. 3. Application. Application for display of the wheelchair symbol shall be made to the Secretary of State, who shall obtain and keep on file a supply of symbols.

Effective October 1, 1975