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LAWS  
OF THE  
STATE OF MAINE  
AS PASSED BY THE  
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PRIVATE AND SPECIAL LAWS  
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tion, but shall be reimbursed for their actual expenses incurred in the performance of their duties, on approval of the board.

Sec. 3. P&SL 1969, c. 113, § 9 is amended to read:

**Sec. 9. Authority's charter ratified.** The charter of the Lewiston-Auburn Water Pollution Control Authority is hereby ratified and the appointment of the ~~5th~~ 7th member of the board of the authority is confirmed and the acts of the members of the board in their capacity as members during their terms of office are hereby ratified and confirmed as official acts of the authority.

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

Effective May 16, 1975

## CHAPTER 51

### AN ACT Extending Eagle Lake Water and Sewer District to the Plantation of Wallagrass.

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

Sec. 1. P & SL 1955, c. 162, §§ 1, 2 and 4, as last amended by P & SL 1969, c. 206, §§ 1 to 3, are further amended to read:

**Sec. 1. Territorial limits and corporate name and purposes.** The inhabitants and territory within the Town of Eagle Lake in the County of Aroostook shall be, and hereby are, constituted a body politic and corporate under the name of the Eagle Lake Water and Sewer District for the purpose of supplying the Town of Eagle Lake, the Plantation of Wallagrass and the Plantation of Winterville and the inhabitants of said town and ~~plantation plantations~~ or any part of said town and ~~plantation plantations~~ with pure water for domestic, commercial, sanitary and municipal purposes, including the extinguishment of fires, and of supplying the Town of Eagle Lake, the Plantation of Wallagrass and the Plantation of Winterville and the inhabitants of said town and ~~plantation plantations~~ or any part of said town and ~~plantation plantations~~ with suitable and adequate sewerage facilities.

**Sec. 2. Powers of said Eagle Lake Water and Sewer District.** Said Eagle Lake Water and Sewer District is hereby authorized for the purposes aforesaid to take, collect, store, flow, use, detain, distribute and convey to the Town of Eagle Lake or any part thereof, the Plantation of Wallagrass or any part thereof or the Plantation of Winterville or any part thereof water from any lake, pond or stream and from any surface or underground brook, spring or vein of water in said Town of Eagle Lake, and is also authorized to locate, construct and maintain dams, cribs, reservoirs, locks, gates, sluices, aqueducts, pipes, conduits, standpipes, hydrants, pumping stations and other necessary structures and equipment therefor, and to do any and all things necessary in providing a system of sewerage and drainage for public purposes and for the health, comfort and convenience of the inhabitants of said district.

**Sec. 4. Authorized to lay mains, pipes, conduits, etc., through public ways and across private lands.** The said district is hereby authorized to lay in and

through the streets, roads, ways and highways of the Town of Eagle Lake, the Plantation of Wallagrass and the Plantation of Winterville and across private lands therein, and to maintain, repair and replace all such pipes, mains, conduits, aqueducts and fixtures as may be necessary and convenient for its corporate purposes, and whenever said district shall lay any pipes or aqueducts in any street, road, way or highway it shall cause the same to be done with as little obstruction as practicable to the public travel, and shall at its own expense without unnecessary delay cause the earth and pavement removed by it to be replaced in proper condition.

Sec. 2. P & SL 1955, c. 162, § 10, as last amended by P & SL 1969, c. 206, § 5, is further amended to read:

Sec. 10. **Property, tax exempt.** The property of said district shall be exempt from all taxation in the Town of Eagle Lake, in the Plantation of Wallagrass and in the Plantation of Winterville.

Effective October 1, 1975

## CHAPTER 52

**AN ACT to Extend the Territorial Limits of the Hallowell Water District.**

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

P & SL 1921, c. 75, § 1, as repealed and replaced by P & SL 1971, c. 83, § 16, is amended by adding at the end a new paragraph to read:

The Hallowell Water District may supply water to that area of the City of Augusta lying on the west side of the easterly right-of-way line of Interstate 95 or the Maine Turnpike Authority and southerly of an extension in a straight line of Hallowell's northerly city line where it intersects the right-of-way of the Whitten Road north of the toll gate.

Effective October 1, 1975

## CHAPTER 53

**AN ACT to Establish the Department of Electric Works Within the Town of Madison.**

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

Whereas, reorganization of the Madison Electric Works is urgently needed to assure a continuous supply of electricity to consumers within the Town of Madison and in nearby communities; and

Whereas, said Town of Madison has heretofore approved establishment of a board of directors to administer said electric works; and

Whereas, funds are urgently needed to finance capital improvements to said