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due, and the redemption price or purchase price of bonds retired by call or purchase.

Sec. 8. 30 MRSA § 4256, first ¶, 2nd sentence, as last amended by PL 1975, c. 770, § 173, is further amended to read:

The resolution authorizing the issuance of the bonds or such trust agreement may pledge the revenues to be received from the water system, sewer system, water and sewer system, airport or parking facility or system or telecommunications system, **or energy facility**, including the revenue producing municipal facility financed with revenue bonds issued under this chapter, but shall not convey or mortgage any revenue producing municipal facility or system including a revenue producing municipal facility.

Sec. 9. 30 MRSA § 5061, first ¶, first sentence, as repealed and replaced by PL 1975, c. 367, § 1, is amended to read:

No municipality shall incur debt which would cause its total debt outstanding at any time, exclusive of debt incurred for school purposes, for storm or sanitary sewer purposes, **for energy facility purposes** or for municipal airport purposes to exceed 7 1/2% of its last full state valuation.

Sec. 10. 30 MRSA § 5102, sub-§ 7 is amended to read:

7. Municipal services. Providing for a supply of water, gas and electricity for municipal use for a period of years **or for an energy facility**, as defined in section 4251, subsection 1.

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

Effective May 26, 1981

CHAPTER 323

S. P. 276 — L. D. 785

AN ACT to Amend the Maine Consumer Credit Code with Respect to Consumer Credit Sales.

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

9-A. MRSA § 2-202, sub-§ 6 is enacted to read:

6. For purposes of this section, the term of a sale made pursuant to an open-end agreement commences with the date credit is granted or, if goods are delivered or services performed 10 days or more after that date, with the date of commencement of performance or with the date of completion of delivery. Delivery and performance include delivery or performance by a subcontractor or agent of the seller.

Effective September 18, 1981

CHAPTER 324

S. P. 280 — L. D. 811

AN ACT to Reorganize Certain Chapters of the Maine Criminal Code.

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

Sec. 1. 17-A MRSA § 1, sub-§ 2, 3rd sentence, as repealed and replaced by PL 1977, c. 78, § 118, is amended to read:

In such cases, the sentencing authority of the court is determined by the application of ~~section 4-A, subsection 3, to the prior law~~ to the prior law of section 4-A, subsection 3, which became effective for this purpose May 1, 1976.

Sec. 2. 17-A MRSA § 2, sub-§§ 6, 7, 11, 15, 16 and 22, as enacted by PL 1975, c. 499, § 1, are amended to read:

6. "Criminal negligence" has the meaning set forth in section ~~40~~ 35.
7. "Culpable" has the meaning set forth in section ~~40~~ 35.
11. "Element of the crime" has the meaning set forth in section ~~5~~ 32.
15. "Intentionally" has the meaning set forth in section ~~40~~ 35.
16. "Knowingly" has the meaning set forth in section ~~40~~ 35.
22. "Recklessly" has the meaning set forth in section ~~40~~ 35.

Sec. 3. 17-A MRSA § 4, as amended by PL 1977, c. 510, § 14, is repealed and the following enacted in its place:

§ 4. Classification of crimes in this Code