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STATE OF MAINE

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vation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore,

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

P&SL 1973, c. 86, is amended to read:

Degrees. The Portland School of Art, located in Portland, shall have the power to confer the degree of Bachelor of Fine Art as is usually conferred by like institutions of higher learning; the degree to be offered commencing in June, 1975. The Portland School of Art may also confer the degree of Associate of Arts as is usually conferred by like institutions of higher learning.

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

Effective March 10, 1986.

CHAPTER 88

H.P. 1465 - L.D. 2067

AN ACT Requiring Study of the Leasing of Submerged Public Lands for Aquaculture Operations.

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

Study of aquaculture leasing. The Department of Marine Resources, in cooperation with the Bureau of Public Lands, shall conduct a study of the aquaculture leasing program with specific attention to lease fees and administrative leasing procedures. The department and the bureau shall jointly submit recommendations on these subjects to the joint standing committee of the Legislature having jurisdiction over marine resources by January 1, 1987. These recommendations shall be consistent with existing lease procedures and fees adopted by the Bureau of Public Lands pursuant to the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 12, section 558-A. It is the intent of the Legislature that the Department of Marine Resources not adopt a new fee structure or leasing procedure for aquaculture leases until after the joint standing

committee of the Legislature having jurisdiction over marine resources has reviewed these recommendations.

Effective July 16, 1986.

CHAPTER 89

H.P. 1461 - L.D. 2058

AN ACT to Validate Proceedings Authorizing the Issuance of Bonds to Remodel the Waldo County Court Building.

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

Whereas, House Paper 282, Legislative Document 352, presented to the 112th Legislature was submitted for the purpose of obtaining authority for Waldo County to issue bonds for the renovation of and addition to the Waldo County court building; and

Whereas, section 1 of Legislative Document 352 authorized the County Commissioners of Waldo County to raise and expend a sum not exceeding \$485,000 for such a purpose and section 3 of Legislative Document 352 authorized the Treasurer of Waldo County, with the approval of the county commissioners, to borrow such a sum and to issue self-liquidating bonds for that sum; and

Whereas, section 5 of Legislative Document 352 stated that the Act should take effect when approved only for the purpose of submission to the legal voters of Waldo County and further provided that the ballots for use in the referendum should carry the following language:

"Shall the County Commissioners of Waldo County be authorized to issue bonds in the amount of \$485,000 to remodel the Waldo County Court Building, these bonds to be retired in 16 years through long-term leases with the court and other state and federal agencies?"; and

Whereas, Legislative Document 352, finally enacted as Private and Special Law 1985, chapter 14, conferred identical authority to issue bonds, but section 5 of chapter 14 made changes in the language to be used on the ballots and further required the