

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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**LAWS**  
OF THE  
**STATE OF MAINE**

AS PASSED BY THE

ONE HUNDRED AND TWELFTH LEGISLATURE

**FIRST REGULAR SESSION**

December 5, 1984 to June 20, 1985  
Chapters 384-End

AND AT THE

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J.S. McCarthy Co., Inc.  
Augusta, Maine  
1985

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**RESOLVES**  
OF THE  
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November 1976, for the planning, construction and equipment of pollution abatement facilities has expired; and be it further

Findings; reauthorization necessary. Resolved: That the Legislature further finds that unless the bond issue is reauthorized the progress in cleaning up the State's waters by municipal dischargers will be seriously hindered and the State will not be able to meet its existing contract obligations with municipalities and quasi-municipal corporations; and be it further

Reauthorization authorized. Resolved: That it is the intent of the Legislature to reauthorize bonds not yet issued from the \$30,000,000 bond issue for the planning, construction and equipment of pollution abatement facilities for an additional 5-year period from the effective date of this resolve.

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

Effective June 6, 1985.

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## CHAPTER 31

H.P. 1017 - L.D. 1468

Resolve, to Create a Greenbelt on the East Bank of the Kennebec in Augusta.

Kennebec River Greenbelt; development plan. Resolved: That the City of Augusta and surrounding towns are authorized to develop a plan for the establishment of a public greenbelt area on the state-owned land on the east bank of the Kennebec River in Augusta; and be it further

Resolved: That the purpose of the greenbelt plan shall be:

1. To preserve the existing open space and natural features of the area consistent with increased public access for outdoor recreation use;
2. To preserve existing significant historic and architectural features;

3. To limit future development in the greenbelt area without restricting access, use or maintenance of existing facilities within the area; and
4. To insure public access to the greenbelt area.

During development of a plan, the parties shall consult with appropriate officials in the Department of Conservation, the Department of Mental Health and Mental Retardation and the Department of Finance and Administration; and be it further

**Resolved:** That the various state agencies may provide technical assistance, but the cost of the preparation of any plans, studies or surveys incurred in developing the plan shall be borne by the City of Augusta. Surrounding communities may contribute to those costs; and be it further

**Resolved:** That upon submission to and approval by the Second Regular Session of the 112th Legislature of a plan providing for the establishment of the greenbelt, the land in question shall be leased to the City of Augusta for a term of years and at a price provided in the plan.

Effective September 19, 1985.

## CHAPTER 32

H.P. 948 - L.D. 1357

**Resolve, to Authorize Granting a Sewer Line Easement on State Land to the Town of Thomaston.**

**Thomaston sewer line; easement. Resolved:** That the Commissioner of Corrections with the approval of the Attorney General is authorized, in exchange for nominal consideration, to sign on behalf of the State of Maine a deed granting a sewer line easement to the Town of Thomaston to lay and maintain a sewer line as now located as part of its new interceptor system across land of the State of Maine situated in the county of Knox, to wit:

COMMENCING at the land of Elwin Henderson, in the Town of Thomaston; thence north 72° 58' west 170 feet to a proposed water main; thence north 75° 18' west 450 feet to a proposed pumping station; thence north-