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30-A MRSA c. 3, sub-c. I, art. 5-A is enacted to read:

ARTICLE 5-A. LINCOLN COUNTY BUDGET

§791. Budget; appropriations; approval

Notwithstanding sections 2, 701 and 702, in Lincoln County the county commissioners may appropriate money, according to a budget, which must be approved by a majority of the county commissioners.

§792. Interim budget

If the budget is not approved before the start of a fiscal year, until a budget is finally adopted, the county shall operate on an interim budget which may not exceed 80% of the previous year's budget.

§793. Advisory committee

There is established a Lincoln County Budget Advisory Committee as provided in this section.

1. Municipal officers; election; term. The municipal officers from each county commissioner district shall choose the budget committee members by the following procedure.

A. Before September 15th of every year, the county commissioners shall notify all municipal officers in the county to caucus by county commissioner districts at a specified date, time and place for the purpose of electing at least one municipal officer from each district as a member of the county budget committee except, in 1990, at least 3 municipal officers must be selected from each district. The county commissioner shall serve as nonvoting moderator for that district caucus. Nominations must be received from the floor. The nominee receiving the most votes is approved as a budget committee member except, in 1990, each caucus shall elect 3 members. The names of those elected by the caucus must be recorded and forwarded to the county commissioners.

B. Budget committee members serve 3-year terms except, in 1990, one member from each district must be elected for a one-year term, one for a 2-year term and one for a 3-year term. If a budget committee member ceases to be a municipal officer during the term of membership, the committee member vacates membership and the next district caucus shall elect a qualified municipal officer to serve for the remainder of the unexpired term.

2. Legislative member. The Lincoln County legislative delegation shall annually select one member of the delegation who resides in Lincoln County to serve on the budget committee.

3. Chair. The budget committee shall annually select one of its members to chair the committee.

§794. Public hearing

The Lincoln County commissioners shall hold one or more public hearings on the budget estimate before October 1st and an informational meeting, in conjunction with the advisory committee, with the Lincoln County legislative delegation before December 1st.

§795. Budget estimate; submission to advisory committee

The Lincoln County commissioners shall submit a budget estimate to the advisory committee no later than October 1st for the coming year. The advisory committee shall review the budget estimate and make recommendations to the commissioners before November 15th. The county commissioners shall act on the budget in a timely fashion and, in any event, not later than December 15th of the budget year.

§796. Final budget estimates; filing

A copy of the final budget estimates shall be filed, on forms approved by the Department of Audit, with the State Auditor, who shall retain them for 3 years.

§797. Repeal

This article is repealed on July 1, 1993.

See title page for effective date.

CHAPTER 719

H.P. 1606 - L.D. 2219

An Act Concerning the Bulk Transfer Provisions of the Uniform Commercial Code

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

11 MRSA §6-102, sub-§(3) is amended to read:

(3) The enterprises subject to this Article are all those whose principal business is the sale of merchandise from stock, including hotels, restaurants and other enterprises that serve food and those who enterprises that manufacture what they sell.

See title page for effective date.