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RESOLVES
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CHAPTER 1**H.P. 45 - L.D. 58****Resolve, to Extend the Reporting Deadline of the Commission to Study the Status of Nursing Professions in Maine**

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

Whereas, the report of the Commission to Study the Status of Nursing Professions in Maine is due to be submitted to the joint standing committee of the Legislature having jurisdiction over human resources by January 29, 1989; and

Whereas, additional hearings are necessary to accomplish the purposes of the study; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts create an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution of Maine and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore, be it

Resolve 1987, c. 106, amended. Resolved: That Resolve 1987, c. 106, in the 3rd resolve clause, be amended to read:

Reports. Resolved: That the commission shall present its findings, together with any recommended legislation, to the joint standing committee of the Legislature having jurisdiction over human resources to the First Regular Session of the 114th Legislature by ~~January 29~~ February 25, 1989; and be it further

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

Effective February 10, 1989.

CHAPTER 2**H.P. 14 - L.D. 6****Resolve, to Provide for a Commemorative Motor Vehicle License Plate to Celebrate the Sesquicentennial of Aroostook County**

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

Whereas, 1989 is the sesquicentennial of the establishment of Aroostook County; and

Whereas, the people of Aroostook County wish to have and display commemorative license plates to celebrate that sesquicentennial; and

Whereas, unless this legislation is enacted as emergency legislation, the sesquicentennial year will be nearly finished before those license plates can be issued; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts create an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution of Maine and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore, be it

Aroostook County sesquicentennial plates authorized. Resolved: That a reflectorized, commemorative, simulated motor vehicle registration plate in celebration of the sesquicentennial of Aroostook County, designed, distributed and sold by the Aroostook County Sesquicentennial Committee, may be displayed to replace the front registration plate on any motor vehicle registered in this State, except truck tractors, from January 1, 1989 to December 31, 1989. The commemorative sesquicentennial plate may be displayed on motor vehicles, except truck tractors, registered outside this State, but operated within this State, in the same manner as provided for vehicles registered in this State. No such commemorative plates may be sold, distributed or displayed which are not approved by the Aroostook County Sesquicentennial Committee.

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

Effective March 23, 1989.

CHAPTER 3**S.P. 40 - L.D. 9****Resolve, to Extend the Reporting Deadline for the Commission on Maine's Future**

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

Whereas, it is necessary that this legislation be enacted as an emergency measure so that the Commission on Maine's Future may make its final report in a comprehensive and timely manner; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts create an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution of Maine and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore, be it

Resolve 1987, c. 60, amended. Resolved: That Resolve 1987, c. 60, the 2nd resolve clause, 2nd paragraph, 2nd sentence, is amended to read:

The commission members shall serve terms to expire on ~~July 4, 1989~~ May 1, 1990, to enable the commission to advise the

Legislature with respect to the proposals and to follow the implementation of the proposals of the commission.

; and be it further

Resolve 1987, c. 60, amended. Resolved: That Resolve 1987, c. 60, the 3rd resolve clause, sub-§6, is amended to read:

6. A formal final report on commission activities to be submitted to the Governor and to the joint standing committee of the Legislature having jurisdiction over state and local government not later than ~~January 1, 1989~~ June 15, 1989. ~~The final report shall contain any necessary implementing legislation.~~ Any necessary legislation implementing recommendations of the final report on commission activities shall be submitted to the Governor and to the joint standing committee of the Legislature having jurisdiction over state and local government not later than January 15, 1990.

; and be it further

Resolve 1987, c. 60, amended. Resolved: That Resolve 1987, c. 60, the last resolve clause, is amended by adding at the end a new sentence to read:

Funds appropriated by the Legislature to the commission for fiscal year 1987-1988 or fiscal year 1988-89 shall not lapse, but shall be carried forward to fiscal year 1989-90 to enable the commission to complete its obligations.

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

Effective March 23, 1989.

CHAPTER 4

H.P. 80 - L.D. 111

Resolve, to Name the Bridge over the Carrabassett River in North Anson the "Robert Garland Bridge"

Robert Garland Bridge. Resolved: That the bridge spanning the Carrabassett River in North Anson be named the "Robert Garland Bridge" and that a plaque be erected by the Department of Transportation near that bridge in commemoration of Robert Garland's many years of dedicated service as a selectman to the community.

See title page for effective date.

CHAPTER 5

H.P. 195 - L.D. 258

Resolve, to Extend the Reporting Deadline for the Study of Low-level Radioactive Waste in the Town of Greenbush

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

Whereas, this legislation is necessary so that the State Geologist may report findings in a timely manner; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts create an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution of Maine and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore, be it

Resolve 1987, c. 113, amended. Resolved: That Resolve 1987, c. 113, the 2nd resolve paragraph, is amended to read:

Report. Resolved: That the University and the Town shall issue a report on the findings to the Joint Standing Committee of the Legislature on Energy and Natural Resources by January 15, ~~1989~~ 1990; and be it further

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

Effective March 24, 1989.

CHAPTER 6

S.P. 77 - L.D. 67

Resolve, Authorizing the Director of Parks and Recreation to Convey by Deed the Interests of the State in Certain Unlocated Rights-of-way

Director of Parks and Recreation; property rights conveyed by quitclaim deed. Resolved: That the Director of Parks and Recreation is authorized to convey to the Patten Corporation of Maine, by quitclaim deed, certain unlocated rights-of-way to the shores of Basin Pond and David Pond, in the Town of Fayette, and any material rights for constructing and maintaining these rights-of-way as acquired by the bureau from Clifton L. Merrill and L. Irving Stevens, by deed dated September 22, 1970, and recorded at the Kennebec County Registry of Deeds in Book 1531, Page 626.

This conveyance shall be made in exchange for the Patten Corporation of Maine providing public parking for and access to Basin Pond and David Pond, the donation of a 55-acre conservation easement to the Town of Fayette and an easement to the State for public use of a 50-foot wide strip, which lies within the conservation easement area deeded to the Town of Fayette and borders portions of Basin Pond and David Pond.

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