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

AS PASSED BY THE  
ONE HUNDRED AND FOURTEENTH LEGISLATURE  
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**RESOLVES**  
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commissioners. The county may sell the securities at public or private sale upon such terms and conditions as the county commissioners may deem proper, but at not less than par and accrued interest; and be it further

**Sec. 2. Temporary notes. Resolved:** That the county treasurer, with the approval of the county commissioners, may issue temporary notes of the county, payable in not more than one year from their dates, in anticipation of the issue of serial bonds under this resolve and may renew the same, but the time within which such serial bonds shall become due and payable shall not, by reason of such temporary notes, be extended beyond the term fixed by this resolve. Any notes issued in anticipation of the serial bonds shall be paid from the proceeds of the bonds; and be it further

**Sec. 3. Service fees. Resolved:** That the county may negotiate with the municipality in which the Hill House county building is located for the annual payment of reasonable service fees reflecting the cost of municipal services associated with the Hill House county building; and be it further

**Sec. 4. No referendum required. Resolved:** That, notwithstanding the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 30-A, sections 122 and 934, this resolve becomes valid upon enactment without being submitted to the voters of Kennebec County.

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

Effective March 23, 1990.

## CHAPTER 72

S.P. 956 - L.D. 2420

### Resolve, to Extend the Deadline for the Report of 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,** the Commission on Maine's Future was created by Resolve 1987, chapter 60, which contains deadlines the commission is obligated to meet; and

**Whereas,** in view of the changing fiscal situation within State Government, as well as the unanticipated changes in eastern Europe, which have important implications to Maine's economic future, it is necessary to extend the deadlines to allow the Commission on Maine's Future to plan and develop further the proposals of the commission 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

**Sec. 1. Resolve 1987, c. 60, 2nd resolve clause, 2nd paragraph, 2nd sentence amended. Resolved:** That Resolve 1987, c. 60, 2nd resolve clause, 2nd paragraph, 2nd sentence, as amended by Resolve 1989, c. 3, is further amended to read:

The commission members shall serve terms to expire on ~~May 1~~ June 30, 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

**Sec. 2. Resolve 1987, c. 60, 3rd resolve clause, sub-§6, amended. Resolved:** That Resolve 1987, c. 60, 3rd resolve clause, sub-§6, as amended by Resolve 1989, c. 3, is further 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 ~~June 15, 1989~~ June 30, 1990. Any necessary legislation implementing recommendations of the final report on commission activities ~~shall~~ must 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 to the Office of the Executive Director of the Legislative Council by June 30, 1990 for consideration during the First Regular Session of the 115th Legislature.

; and be it further

**Sec. 3. Retroactivity. Resolved:** That this resolve applies retroactively to June 15, 1989.

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

Effective March 30, 1990.

## CHAPTER 73

H.P. 1738 - L.D. 2402

### Resolve, to Designate the Quoddy Loop as a Scenic Way

**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 1990 summer tourist season is approaching; and

**Whereas**, an enjoyable route of natural beauty and scenic character is located in the northeasterly portion of Washington County; and

**Whereas**, failure to designate this resolve as an emergency measure means that this beautiful area will not be promoted for the upcoming summer tourist season and will postpone for another year the availability of this scenic way to the general public; 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

**Sec. 1. Quoddy Loop Scenic Way. Resolved:**

That the area located in northeastern Washington County and described as follows: Route 1 from Princeton to Machias; Route 191 from East Machias to Cutler and Lubec; and Route 190 from Perry to Eastport, commonly known as the Maine side of the Quoddy Loop, which is a portion of the shared route comprised of roads, trails and ferry travel connecting coastal communities in the State and the Province of New Brunswick, Canada, is designated as Quoddy Loop Scenic Way and that the same designation be established on the New Brunswick side, by the Province of New Brunswick by its own action; and be it further

**Sec. 2. Reciprocity. Resolved:** That this resolve takes effect when similar legislation is enacted in the Province of New Brunswick.

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

Effective March 30, 1990.

## CHAPTER 74

H.P. 1686 - L.D. 2334

### Resolve, Authorizing the State to Release Its Interest in Certain Real Property in Richmond, Maine

**Authorized to convey. Resolved:** That the Director of the Bureau of Public Lands shall convey to Maynard D. Brown the State's interest in a certain parcel of land in Richmond. The parcel of land is described as follows:

A certain lot or parcel of land located in Richmond, County of Sagadahoc and State of Maine, at the southeasterly corner of the intersection of the Toothaker Road, so-called, and Route 201, so-called, bounded and described as follows:

Commencing at the southeast corner of said intersection; thence easterly along the southerly side of the

said Toothaker Road to land formerly of Joseph Sheldon, now of Sheldon heirs, at an iron pin; thence southerly along the westerly boundary of the land of said Sheldon heirs along a line of iron pins to the northerly boundary of land formerly of Chalmers Harlow to an iron pin; thence westerly along the northerly boundary of land formerly of Chalmers Harlow to the easterly side of said Route 201; thence northerly along the easterly side of said Route 201 to the point of beginning.

See title page for effective date.

## CHAPTER 75

S.P. 941 - L.D. 2379

### Resolve, Concerning Reauthorization of the \$15,000,000 Bond Issue for Sewage Treatment, Water Quality Improvement Facilities and Restoration and Cleanup of Oil Contaminated Ground Water and Well Water

**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 Treasurer of State will be unable to sell any bonds not yet issued from the \$15,000,000 pollution abatement bond issue authorized by the voters in 1985 unless the Legislature reauthorizes the issuance of those bonds; and

**Whereas**, the Department of Environmental Protection will not be able to meet its existing contractual obligations with municipalities and quasi-municipal corporations unless the bonds not yet issued are reauthorized; 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

**Sec. 1. Findings; expiration. Resolved:** That the Legislature finds that the authorization for the \$15,000,000 bond issue approved by the electorate in November 1985, for sewage treatment, water quality improvement facilities and restoration and cleanup of oil contaminated ground water and well water will expire in December 1990; and be it further

**Sec. 2. 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