

LAWS

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STATE OF MAINE

AS PASSED BY THE

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MAINE STATE RETIREMENT SYSTEM

General Fund	\$6,079,519
Non-General Fund	1,545,800
Participating Local District and Other	1,800,292

MAINE STATERETIREMENTSYSTEMTOTAL ATTRIBUTIONS\$9

\$9,425,611

Sec. 3. Transfers of allocations; year-end balances. Transfers of allocations and carry-forwards of unexpended balances must be carried out in accordance with the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 5, section 17103, subsection 13.

Sec. 4. Collective bargaining agreements approval. The allocations made in section 1 and the attributions made in section 2 include the amounts required to fund the collective bargaining agreements approved in Private and Special Law 1999, chapter 69.

Sec. 5. Authorization to expend retirement system reserve administrative operating funds. Of the amount authorized to be expended in section 1 for the administrative costs of the retirement system, \$400,000 must be provided from the system's reserve administrative operating funds.

Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this Act takes effect July 1, 2002.

Effective July 1, 2002.

CHAPTER 61

H.P. 1639 - L.D. 2142

An Act to Change the Governing Board of the George Stevens Academy in Blue Hill

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

Whereas, this Act is necessary to allow the George Stevens Academy in the Town of Blue Hill to make changes to the composition of its board of trustees; 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 enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows:

Sec. 1. P&SL 1891, c. 134, §6, as enacted by P&SL 1953, c. 9, §2, is amended to read:

Sec. 6. Board of trustees. Full control and management of the affairs and business of the corporation shall <u>must</u> be vested in and exercised by a board of not less than 9 nor more than $\frac{20}{21}$ trustees, the majority of the board of trustees to be legal residents of the town of Blue Hill, Maine.

Sec. 2. P&SL 1963, c. 159, as repealed and replaced by P&SL 1977, c. 85, is repealed.

Sec. 3. Filing with Secretary of State. The Board of Trustees of the George Stevens Academy shall amend its Articles of Incorporation on file with the Secretary of State within 30 days of the effective date of this Act as necessary to reflect the changes included in this Act.

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

Effective April 1, 2002.

CHAPTER 62

S.P. 499 - L.D. 1586

An Act to Separate Territory from the Town of Falmouth and Annex it to the City of Portland

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

Whereas, the City of Portland and the Town of Falmouth have jointly agreed to the annexation of the Falmouth property by the City of Portland; and

Whereas, a purchase agreement for a parcel of land along the Presumpscot River that is linked to the transfer of the Falmouth land to Portland requires that the purchase be finalized by March 23, 2002; 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,