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STATE OF MAINE

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TITLE 3, SECTION 163-A, SUBSECTION 4.

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2013

Upon receipt of certification, the board of trustees shall within 30 days hold an election for the purpose of submitting to a vote the question of recall.

Pending action by the voters of the Town of Veazie, a trustee against whom recall proceedings have been initiated may continue to exercise all the privileges of that trustee's office.

The ballot for recall must contain the following question: "Shall (name of trustee being subjected to recall) be recalled from the Board of Trustees of the Veazie Sewer District?" Immediately below the question must appear in the following order the words "Yes" and "No" and to the right of each a square in which the voter may place a cross or check mark to cast a vote.

A trustee is recalled when a majority of those voting thereon have voted in the affirmative. The unexpired portion of the term of a trustee who has been recalled must be filled by the municipal officers of the Town of Veazie in accordance with section 7.

Sec. 7. P&SL 1951, c. 114, §13, first sentence, as amended by P&SL 1979, c. 86, §5 and affected by §6, is further amended to read:

The registrar of voters shall prepare and submit to the trustees a correct list of persons qualified to vote in the district elections and for that purpose may use the list as compiled by the registrar of voters of the legal voters in the Town of Veazie.

Sec. 8. Election of trustees; transition. Notwithstanding the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 30-A, section 2528, subsection 4, for the first election of trustees held following the effective date of this Act, the board of trustees of the Veazie Sewer District may set the date by which nomination papers must be made available to prospective candidates and the date by which completed nomination papers must be filed.

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

Effective May 24, 2013.

CHAPTER 14

H.P. 154 - L.D. 193

**An Act To Authorize
InterCoast Career Institute To
Grant the Degree of Associate
Degree in Applied Science**

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

Sec. 1. Degree. Beginning December 1, 2013, InterCoast Colleges, also known as InterCoast Career

Institute, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of California and registered in the State of Maine, may confer on all students who successfully complete its prescribed course of study the degree of Associate Degree in Applied Science as is usually conferred by like institutions of higher education.

See title page for effective date.

CHAPTER 15

H.P. 920 - L.D. 1293

**An Act To Create the Presque
Isle Utilities District**

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

Sec. 1. Territorial limits and corporate name and purposes. The inhabitants and territory of the City of Presque Isle constitute a quasi-municipal corporation under the name of the Presque Isle Utilities District, referred to in this Act as "the utilities district," for the purpose of supplying the inhabitants of the utilities district with potable water for domestic, commercial, sanitary and municipal purposes and for the purpose of providing in the utilities district a system of public sewerage and drainage for the comfort, convenience and health of the inhabitants of the utilities district.

Sec. 2. Powers of the Presque Isle Utilities District. The utilities district is authorized to take, hold, divert, use and distribute water from any source within the territory of the utilities district, including the Presque Isle Stream in the Town of Mapleton, the Town of Chapman and Township 10, Range 3. The utilities district is also authorized, for the purposes of its incorporation, to locate, construct and maintain pipes, dams, wells, reservoirs, pumping stations, treatment plants and other necessary structures and equipment and to do all things necessary to furnish water, sewerage and drainage for those purposes and for the public health, safety, comfort and convenience of the inhabitants of the utilities district.

Sec. 3. Authorized to lay mains, pipes, conduits and other water conveyances through public ways and across private lands. The utilities district is authorized to lay, maintain, repair and replace pipes, mains and other fixtures and appurtenances in, along and through the streets, roads, ways, highways, bridges, lakes, ponds, rivers and water courses and in, along and through the private lands of any person or corporation within the utilities district. When the utilities district lays, maintains, repairs or replaces pipes, mains and any fixtures or appurtenances in any street, road, way or highway, it shall do so with as little obstruction as practicable to public