

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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**STATE OF MAINE**

**AS PASSED BY THE**

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**IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE MAINE REVISED STATUTES ANNOTATED,**  
**TITLE 3, SECTION 163-A, SUBSECTION 4.**

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**Augusta, Maine**  
**2014**

ing rod set into the earth on the westerly bound of Bayville Road, so-called; thence South 88° 56' 34" East a distance of 58.10 feet crossing Bayville Road to a reinforcing rod set into the earth on the westerly bound of other land of Edwin Fred Harrington and Jeannine Harrington; thence southeasterly by the southwesterly bound of last named land and also by the northeasterly sideline of Bayville Road to an iron rod set into the earth at or near the northerly sideline of Hillside Road, so-called, the straight line bearing and distance from the last mentioned reinforcing rod set to the iron rod being South 17° 09' 29" East, 301.13 feet; thence North 89° 43' 09" East a distance of 82.57 feet over last named land to a reinforcing rod set into the earth; thence North 13° 36' 09" East a distance of 110.58 feet by last named land to an iron rod set into the earth; thence South 69° 38' 13" East a distance of 141.93 feet by last named land to an iron rod set into the earth; thence South 13° 23' 43" West a distance of 88.28 feet by last named land to an iron pipe set into the earth; thence South 80° 17' 55" East a distance of 20.12 feet by last named land to an iron pipe set into the earth; thence South 79° 10' 36" East a distance of 19.88 feet by last named land to an iron pipe set into the earth; and thence South 79° 25' 09" East a distance of 59.57 feet by last named land to the point of beginning.

See title page for effective date.

## CHAPTER 20

S.P. 684 - L.D. 1725

### An Act To Provide for the 2014 and 2015 Allocations of the State Ceiling on Private Activity Bonds

**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 Maine Revised Statutes, Title 10, section 363 and Private and Special Law 2013, chapter 2 make a partial allocation of the state ceiling on private activity bonds to some issuers for calendar year 2014 but leave a portion of the state ceiling unallocated and do not provide sufficient allocations for certain types of private activity bonds that may require an allocation prior to the effective date of this Act if not enacted on an emergency basis; and

**Whereas,** if these bond issues must be delayed due to the lack of available state ceiling, the rates and terms under which these bonds may be issued may be adversely affected, resulting in increased costs to beneficiaries or even unavailability of financing for certain projects; 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. Allocation to the Treasurer of State.** The \$5,000,000 of the state ceiling on private activity bonds for calendar year 2014 previously allocated to the Treasurer of State remains allocated to the Treasurer of State to be used or reallocated in accordance with the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 10, section 363, subsection 5 for calendar year 2014. Five million dollars of the state ceiling for calendar year 2015 is allocated to the Treasurer of State to be used or reallocated in accordance with Title 10, section 363, subsection 5.

**Sec. 2. Allocation to the Finance Authority of Maine.** The \$40,000,000 of the state ceiling on private activity bonds for calendar year 2014 previously allocated to the Finance Authority of Maine remains allocated to the Finance Authority of Maine to be used or reallocated in accordance with the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 10, section 363, subsection 6 for calendar year 2014. Forty million dollars of the state ceiling for calendar year 2015 is allocated to the Finance Authority of Maine to be used or reallocated in accordance with Title 10, section 363, subsection 6.

**Sec. 3. Allocation to the Maine Municipal Bond Bank.** The \$10,000,000 of the state ceiling on private activity bonds for calendar year 2014 previously allocated to the Maine Municipal Bond Bank remains allocated to the Maine Municipal Bond Bank to be used or reallocated in accordance with the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 10, section 363, subsection 7 for calendar year 2014. Ten million dollars of the state ceiling for calendar year 2015 is allocated to the Maine Municipal Bond Bank to be used or reallocated in accordance with Title 10, section 363, subsection 7.

**Sec. 4. Allocation to the Maine Educational Loan Authority.** The \$15,000,000 of the state ceiling on private activity bonds for calendar year 2014 previously allocated to the Maine Educational Loan Authority remains allocated to the Maine Educational Loan Authority to be used or reallocated in accordance with the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 10, section 363, subsection 8 for calendar year 2014. Fifteen million dollars of the state ceiling for calendar year 2015 is allocated to the Maine Educational Loan Authority to be used or reallocated in accordance with Title 10, section 363, subsection 8.

**Sec. 5. Allocation to the Maine State Housing Authority.** The \$50,000,000 of the state ceiling on private activity bonds for calendar year

2014 previously allocated to the Maine State Housing Authority remains allocated to the Maine State Housing Authority to be used or reallocated in accordance with the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 10, section 363, subsection 4 for calendar year 2014. Fifty million dollars of the state ceiling for calendar year 2015 is allocated to the Maine State Housing Authority to be used or reallocated in accordance with Title 10, section 363, subsection 4.

**Sec. 6. Unallocated state ceiling.** One hundred seventy-six million eight hundred twenty-five thousand dollars of the state ceiling on private activity bonds for calendar year 2014 is unallocated and must be reserved for future allocation in accordance with applicable laws. One hundred seventy-six million eight hundred twenty-five thousand dollars of the state ceiling for calendar year 2015 is unallocated and must be reserved for future allocation in accordance with applicable laws.

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

Effective March 6, 2014.

## CHAPTER 21

### H.P. 1217 - L.D. 1693

#### An Act To Amend the Anson and Madison Water District Charter

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

**Sec. 1. P&SL 2011, c. 6, §4, sub-§3, 2nd blocked ¶** is amended to read:

When the term of office of a trustee expires, the trustee's successor is elected by a plurality vote of the voters of the Town of Madison or the Town of Anson, as applicable. For the purpose of election, a special election must be called and held on the date established by the trustees. The election must be called by the trustees of the district in the same manner as town meetings are called and, for this purpose, the trustees are vested with the powers of municipal officers of towns. ~~A vacancy is filled in the same manner for the unexpired term by a special election called by the trustees of the district. The trustees may call a special election to fill a vacancy for an unexpired term in the same manner as special elections are called for expired terms pursuant to this paragraph, or the trustees may appoint a person eligible to fill the vacancy. The person must be recommended by the trustees of the district from the town in which the vacancy occurs and shall fill the vacancy until the next annual meeting of that town, at which time the vacancy must be filled by special election.~~

See title page for effective date.

## CHAPTER 22

### S.P. 674 - L.D. 1708

#### An Act To Make Allocations from Maine Turnpike Authority Funds for the Maine Turnpike Authority for the Calendar Year Ending December 31, 2015

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

**Sec. 1. Allocation.** Gross revenues of the Maine Turnpike Authority for the calendar year ending December 31, 2015 must be segregated, apportioned and disbursed as designated in the following schedule.

#### MAINE TURNPIKE AUTHORITY

2015

##### Administration

Personal Services	\$1,053,581
All Other	1,488,781
TOTAL	\$2,542,362

##### Accounts and Controls

Personal Services	\$2,678,020
All Other	1,257,011
TOTAL	\$3,935,031

##### Highway Maintenance

Personal Services	\$4,173,193
All Other	2,841,637
TOTAL	\$7,014,830

##### Equipment Maintenance

Personal Services	\$1,105,243
All Other	2,122,510
TOTAL	\$3,227,753