

**Chap. 846.** AN ACT RELATIVE TO RIGHTS ACQUIRED BY PRESIDENTS OF STATE COLLEGES.

*Be it enacted, etc., as follows:*

The last paragraph of section 16 of chapter 73 of the General Laws, as appearing in section 15 of chapter 642 of the acts of 1963, is hereby amended by adding the following sentence: — Nothing in this section shall be so construed as to deny the president of a state college of any retirement, seniority or tenure rights acquired by him as a result of his prior employment in the University of Massachusetts or any of the state colleges, or in The Teachers College of the City of Boston prior to its acquisition by the commonwealth. *Approved January 2, 1968.*

**Chap. 847.** AN ACT CHANGING THE NAME OF THE BOSTON SOCIETY OF NATURAL HISTORY TO THE MUSEUM OF SCIENCE, AND INCREASING THE AMOUNT OF REAL AND PERSONAL PROPERTY WHICH MAY BE HELD BY THE CORPORATION.

*Be it enacted, etc., as follows:*

SECTION 1. The name of the Boston Society of Natural History, incorporated by chapter fifty-six of the acts of eighteen hundred and thirty, is hereby changed to the Museum of Science.

SECTION 2. Notwithstanding any general or special law to the contrary, the Museum of Science may hold real and personal property to an amount not exceeding twenty-five million dollars, without limitation as to the amount of income from such property and may sell, convey, pledge, encumber or otherwise dispose of the whole or any part thereof, for the purpose of promoting and encouraging a public understanding of, education and interest in, natural history and the natural, physical and applied sciences, and for purposes incidental thereto.

SECTION 3. Chapter six hundred and thirty-six of the acts of nineteen hundred and fifty-eight is hereby repealed.

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect upon its acceptance by the board of trustees of the Boston Society of Natural History at a meeting called for the purpose and the filing of a copy of the vote of such acceptance in the office of the state secretary certified by the clerk or other officer of said board. *Approved January 2, 1968.*

**Chap. 848.** AN ACT PROVIDING THAT CERTAIN LICENSES GRANTED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS FOR THE PURPOSE OF MAINTAINING FILL AND ERECTING STRUCTURES IN CERTAIN TIDEWATERS IN LYNN HARBOR BE IRREVOCABLE.

*Be it enacted, etc., as follows:*

License No. 3246, dated June sixth, nineteen hundred and fifty, granted by the department of public works to Volunteer Yacht Club, to maintain existing structures and erect an addition thereto; license No. 3534, dated March thirty-first, nineteen hundred and fifty-three, granted by said department to Volunteer Yacht Club, to maintain existing bulkhead and place rafts held by piles; license No. 3965, dated May twentieth, nineteen hundred and fifty-seven, granted by said department to Volunteer Yacht Club, to place solid fill (including riprap); license No. 4091, dated May fifth, nineteen hundred and fifty-eight, granted by said department to Volunteer Yacht Club, to extend the timber plat-