

CHAP. 30. AN ACT PERMITTING THE TOWN OF ORLEANS TO APPROPRIATE, RAISE AND EXPEND CERTAIN SUMS OF MONEY FOR MUNICIPAL ADVERTISING.

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

SECTION 1. The town of Orleans may appropriate annually a sum not exceeding three thousand dollars for the purpose of advertising and promoting the advantages of said town, and for the erection and maintenance of information booths therein; provided, however, that a sum at least equal to the amount of such appropriation shall be contributed by public subscription or by donation or legacy, and paid into the town treasury to be expended, in addition to the sums appropriated, for the aforesaid purposes. The money so appropriated and so contributed shall be expended under the direction of the selectmen.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its acceptance by a majority vote of the town meeting members voting thereon at an annual or special town meeting called for the purpose.

*Approved February 3, 1958.*

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CHAP. 31. AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE CREATION OF A BOARD OF LICENSE COMMISSIONERS IN THE TOWN OF SALISBURY.

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

SECTION 1. The selectmen of the town of Salisbury shall, upon acceptance of this act as provided in section five, appoint a board of license commissioners consisting of seven members, each of whom shall have been a resident of said town for at least two years immediately preceding his appointment, to serve for the following terms:— two members for one year, two members for two years and three members for three years. They shall hold office until their respective successors are appointed and qualified, and thereafter at the expiration of the term of each member, his successor shall be appointed for a term of three years. Any vacancy in said board shall be filled by the selectmen, on the recommendations of the remaining members of the board, and the person or persons so appointed to fill such vacancy shall serve for the remainder of the unexpired term.

SECTION 2. No member of the board shall be engaged directly or indirectly in the manufacture or sale of intoxicating liquors, or hold any other town office. If any member of the board shall engage directly or indirectly in the manufacture or sale of intoxicating liquors, his office shall thereupon become vacant. Five members of the board shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

SECTION 3. All licenses issued in the said town for the sale of intoxicating liquors shall be issued and signed only by the said board of license commissioners, and shall be recorded in their office; and all the powers and duties relating to said licenses, or to the sale of intoxicating liquors, now or hereafter vested in the selectmen of towns shall be exercised and performed by the said board.

SECTION 4. The town may appropriate a reasonable sum of money for the compensation of its license commissioners, and shall pay reasonable expenses incurred by the board for blank books, printing and other necessary expenses, approved by the board.

SECTION 5. This act shall be submitted to the voters of the town of Salisbury at the annual town meeting in the current year in the form of the following question, which shall be printed on the official ballot to be used at said meeting for the election of town officers: — “Shall an act passed by the general court in the year nineteen hundred and fifty-eight, entitled ‘An Act to provide for the creation of a board of license commissioners in the town of Salisbury’, be accepted?” If a majority of the votes in answer to said question is in the affirmative, this act shall thereupon take full effect. *Approved February 3, 1958.*

CHAP. 32. AN ACT RELATING TO THE ACCELERATED HIGHWAY PROGRAM.

*Whereas*, The deferred operation of this act would tend to defeat its purpose, which is to make available without delay certain unexpended balances of existing bond issues and certain federal funds for highway construction, therefore it is hereby declared to be an emergency law, necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health, safety and convenience.

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

SECTION 1. Section 1 of chapter 718 of the acts of 1956 is hereby amended by striking out the second paragraph and inserting in place thereof the following paragraph: —

The department and the commission shall accept any federal funds for such projects, and such funds, when received, shall be credited to the Highway Fund, provided, however, that federal funds received on account of allocations as provided in section one of chapter four hundred and three of the acts of nineteen hundred and fifty-four to the amount of sixty-seven million dollars shall be used as provided in said section one of said chapter four hundred and three. Prior to the anticipated receipt of federal funds in excess of said sixty-seven million dollars there is hereby authorized to be expended by the department, without further appropriation, an amount not to exceed two hundred million dollars for projects described in the first paragraph of this section. Funds authorized to be expended in this paragraph are to be in addition to funds authorized in the first paragraph of this section, and to funds authorized by the provisions of chapters three hundred and six of the acts of nineteen hundred and forty-nine, six hundred and eighty-five of the acts of nineteen hundred and fifty, five hundred and fifty-six of the acts of nineteen hundred and fifty-two and four hundred and three of the acts of nineteen hundred and fifty-four, and all of said acts and this act shall be construed so as to supplement one another.

SECTION 2. Section 13 of chapter 306 of the acts of 1949 is hereby amended by striking out, in lines 3 and 4, the words “June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and fifty-one” and inserting in place thereof the words: — December first, nineteen hundred and sixty-one.

SECTION 3. Section 12 of chapter 685 of the acts of 1950 is hereby amended by striking out, in lines 3 and 4, the words “June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and fifty-two” and inserting in place thereof the words: — December first, nineteen hundred and sixty-one.

SECTION 4. Section 11 of chapter 556 of the acts of 1952 is hereby