

Chap. 583. AN ACT VALIDATING THE ACTION TAKEN BY THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF THE COUNTY OF ESSEX IN VOTING TO ACCEPT AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CONSTRUCTION OF A SCIENCE AND CLASSROOM BUILDING AT THE ESSEX AGRICULTURAL AND TECHNICAL INSTITUTE.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

SECTION 1. The proceedings taken on October fifteenth, nineteen hundred and sixty-three by the county commissioners of the county of Essex in voting to accept the provisions of chapter five hundred and sixteen of the acts of nineteen hundred and sixty-three and all action otherwise legally taken subsequently pursuant to the provisions of said chapter five hundred and sixteen are in all respects validated and confirmed, notwithstanding the inability of one of said county commissioners to attend the meeting at which the proceedings to accept said chapter five hundred and sixteen were taken and the failure of the other two county commissioners and the clerk of the courts for said county to appoint a person to act as commissioner at said meeting.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

Approved June 23, 1964.

Chap. 584. AN ACT VALIDATING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT FOR VOCATIONAL EDUCATION CONSISTING OF THE CITY OF BROCKTON AND THE TOWNS OF EAST BRIDGEWATER, EASTON, FOXBOROUGH, MANSFIELD, NORTON, SHARON, STOUGHTON AND WEST BRIDGEWATER.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

SECTION 1. The proceedings, heretofore taken by the city of Brockton and by the towns of East Bridgewater, Easton, Foxborough, Mansfield, Norton, Sharon, Stoughton and West Bridgewater, relating to the establishment under chapter four hundred and eighty-nine of the acts of nineteen hundred and sixty-three of the regional school district for vocational education consisting of said city and said towns are hereby validated, and said district is hereby declared to be, and at all times since its establishment to have been, a duly constituted and established district with all the rights, powers and duties prescribed by said chapter four hundred and eighty-nine, and by the regional vocational school district agreement approved by said city and said towns in said proceedings.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

Approved June 23, 1964.

Chap. 585. AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF SPRINGFIELD TO APPROPRIATE CERTAIN FUNDS PREVIOUSLY RAISED BY BOND ISSUE, FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF FILTER BEDS.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

SECTION 1. Notwithstanding the provisions of section twenty of chapter forty-four of the General Laws, the city of Springfield may, for the purpose of the construction of filter beds, by a two-thirds vote of all the members of the city council, appropriate sums, not exceeding two

hundred and ninety-seven thousand eight hundred eighty-nine dollars and sixty-six cents, in the aggregate, from the proceeds of a loan issued July first, nineteen hundred and sixty, under authority of chapter three hundred and twenty of the acts of nineteen hundred and sixty, which proceeds are not presently necessary for the purposes specified in the authorization of said loan.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

Approved June 23, 1964.

Chap. 586. AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES TO SELL OR EXCHANGE CERTAIN LAND ACQUIRED FOR THE PURPOSE OF ENLARGING WALDEN POND STATE RESERVATION.

Whereas, The deferred operation of this act would tend to defeat its purpose, which is to authorize the department of natural resources to sell or exchange forthwith certain land acquired for the purpose of enlarging Walden Pond State Reservation, therefore it is hereby declared to be an emergency law, necessary for the immediate preservation of the public convenience.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

Chapter 726 of the acts of 1960 is hereby amended by adding at the end the following sentence: — Said department may, with the approval of the governor and council, sell or exchange any land acquired under this act which in the judgment of the commissioner of natural resources can no longer be advantageously used for the purpose of enlarging Walden Pond State Reservation.

Approved June 23, 1964.

Chap. 587. AN ACT TO INCORPORATE THE GREATER HAVERHILL FOUNDATION, INCORPORATED.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

SECTION 1. In this act, unless the context otherwise requires, the following words shall have the following meanings: —

“Corporation”, the Greater Haverhill Foundation, Incorporated, created by section two.

“Financial institution”, any banking corporation or institution, trust company, savings bank, co-operative bank, savings and loan association, insurance company, or related corporation, partnership, foundation or other institution engaged primarily in lending or investing funds.

“Executive committee”, the executive committee established under section nine.

SECTION 2. John J. Fahey, George E. McGregor, Kenneth G. Fowle, Lawrence J. Ewing, George Karelitz, Albert D. Marble, Frank Regan, Charlton F. Johnson, George W. Foss, Joseph S. Durso, G. Henry Bixby, W. Clifford McDonald, Ray Pike, Jr., Frederick E. Malcolm, Robert Brest, Wallace F. Hubley, Jason S. Cohen, Harold B. Rogers, Max Wolf, Theodore L. Schiavoni, Anthony J. Durso, Lawrence J. Durso, Robert W. Costello, William P. Boland, Leslie F. George,