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

Validating provision. The action of the voters of the town of Fort Kent, and the action of the voters of Wallagrass Plantation, New Canada Plantation, Eagle Lake Plantation, St. John Plantation and St. Francis Plantation taken at their respective annual meetings held in March 1948 approving a joint action to pro-

Emergency preamble. Whereas, the voters of the town of Fort Kent, and the voters of Wallagrass Plantation, New Canada Plantation, Eagle Lake Plantation, St. John Plantation and St. Francis Plantation at their respective annual meetings held in March 1948 voted to join each other in forming a High School Community District providing for the construction and acquiescence of certain school building facilities; and

Whereas, the validity of said meetings and a sufficiency of the proceedings have been questioned; and

Whereas, the present high school building which serves the above-mentioned town and plantations is overcrowded and unsafe, and

Whereas, it is imperative that action be taken at the earliest possible moment to enable the above-mentioned town and plantations to contract in order that new facilities be constructed and acquired in this building season, 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
vide for a High School Community District and authorizing the construction of a community high school is hereby ratified and confirmed and made legal.

Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this act shall take effect when approved.