STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
FORTY-NINE

AN ACT Relating to the Maine Turnpike Authority.

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

P. & S. L., 1941, c. 69, § 5, amended. Section 5 of chapter 69 of the private and special laws of 1941, as amended, is hereby further amended by adding at the end thereof the following:

"(g) When an award of damages has been made by the county commissioners and said award has become final, the county commissioners, upon petition or motion of the authority, may after such notice as they deem necessary to parties in interest, order the amount of the award to be paid over to the county treasurer, to be held by the treasurer for the person or persons legally entitled thereto. If no person or persons have established a valid claim to the award within 20 years from the time said award was first paid over to the county treasurer, the award or any part thereof unpaid shall be forfeited to the state of Maine. Upon payment by the authority of the amount of the award to the county treasurer, the county commissioners shall order the bond required to be posted by the authority under section 5 (f) to be cancelled and delivered up to the authority.

The acts of the authority, prior to the enactment hereof, in the payment of awards to the treasurers of York county and Cumberland county on orders of the county commissioners of the respective counties and such
orders of the county commissioners of York county and Cumberland county are hereby ratified, confirmed and made valid, and said awards shall be held by the treasurers of York county and Cumberland county upon the same terms and conditions as provided in this subsection.