

drawn from the state treasury on vouchers and abstracts executed and approved as provided by the law as it appears in sections twenty-seven hundred twenty-seven-a41, twenty-seven hundred twenty-seven-a42 and twenty-seven hundred twenty-seven-a43 of the supplement to the code, 1907, so far as applicable, and when not applicable upon vouchers and abstracts approved by the board of control of state institutions.

SEC. 2. **Funds—how expended—procedure in case of fire.** No part of the levies herein provided for shall be expended for new buildings the probable cost of which shall exceed five thousand dollars, without first submitting to the general assembly for its approval plans and specifications prepared by an architect, together with estimates of the cost of such buildings, provided, that if the board of control of state institutions deem it advisable to make any deviation from or addition to the plans, specifications and estimated cost so submitted to the general assembly, the board shall first secure the approval thereof by a majority vote of the executive council but the executive council shall not approve any deviation from such plans and specifications during any session of the general assembly nor which will probably cost more than twenty-five thousand dollars as to any one building. The executive council may, however, during the interim between sessions of the general assembly on application of said board, approve plans, specifications and expenditures for buildings the necessity for which is created by fire or other casualty.

SEC. 3. **Acts in conflict repealed.** All acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act are hereby repealed.

SEC. 4. **In effect.** This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Register and Leader and the Des Moines Capital, newspapers published in Des Moines, Iowa.

Approved April 18 A. D. 1913.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Register and Leader and the Des Moines Capital April 25, 1913.

W. S. ALLEN,  
Secretary of State.

## CHAPTER 18.

### DAILY ACCOUNTING TO STATE TREASURER OF ALL FEES.

H. F. 407.

AN ACT repealing section one hundred and seventy-d (170-d) of the supplement to the code, 1907, and to enact a substitute in lieu thereof requiring all boards, commissions, departments, and officers of state to turn into the state treasury all fees collected.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:*

SECTION 1. **Repeal—fees.** That section one hundred and seventy-d (170-d) of the supplement to the code, 1907, be and the same is hereby repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

“That all officers of state, elective or appointive, all boards, commissions and departments, except the department of agriculture, shall turn into the state treasury or bank or depository to the credit of the state treasury, as designated by the state treasurer, not later than the third day succeeding the

collection thereof, ninety per cent of all fees commissions and moneys collected or received with an itemized statement of sources from which received and the fund to be credited; and shall also file with the auditor of state a duplicate of such statement. The balance actually collected in cash remaining in the hands of any officer, board, or department, shall not exceed the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00) and no money collected shall be held more than thirty days."

**SEC. 2. Acts in conflict repealed.** All acts or parts of acts in conflict with this act are hereby repealed.

**SEC. 3. In effect.** This act being deemed of immediate importance shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Register and Leader and the Des Moines Capital, newspapers published in the city of Des Moines, Iowa.

Approved April 19 A. D. 1913.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Register and Leader and Des Moines Capital May 6, 1913.

W. S. ALLEN,  
*Secretary of State.*

#### CHAPTER 19.

#### COMMITTEE ON RETRENCHMENT AND REFORM. EMPOWERED TO EMPLOY EXPERT ACCOUNTANTS AND EFFICIENCY ENGINEERS.

H. F. 552.

AN ACT authorizing and empowering the joint committee on retrenchment and reform to employ expert accountants and efficiency engineers, to institute reform, and making an appropriation therefor. [Additional to chapter nine (9) of title two (II) of the code relating to the executive department.]

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:*

**SECTION 1. Committee assistants.** That the joint committee on retrenchment and reform is hereby authorized and empowered to employ expert accountants and efficiency engineers to assist said committee in the performance of its duty as prescribed by law.

**SEC. 2. Powers.** Said joint committee on retrenchment and reform is hereby authorized and empowered to institute such changes in the administration of public affairs as will promote the efficiency and economical administration of the affairs of the state in its various departments.

**SEC. 3. Appropriation.** There is hereby appropriated the sum of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00), or so much thereof as may be necessary, out of the general funds of the state not otherwise appropriated, with which to meet the expenses contemplated by this act.

**SEC. 4. In effect.** This act being deemed of immediate importance shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Register and Leader and Des Moines Capital, newspapers published in the city of Des Moines, Iowa.

Approved March 17 1913.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Register and Leader and the Des Moines Capital March 19, 1913.

W. S. ALLEN,  
*Secretary of State.*