SEC. 2. 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 in the Des Moines Capital, newspapers printed in the city of Des Moines, Iowa, such publication to be without expense to the state.

Approved February 19th A. D. 1913.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Register and Leader February 21, 1913, and in the Des Moines Capital February 20, 1913. W. S. ALLEN.

Secretary of state.

CHAPTER 95.

IMPROVEMENT OF WATER FRONTS IN SPECIAL CHARTER CITIES.

H. F. 509.

AN ACT to repeal section one (1) of chapter forty-nine (49) of the acts of the thirty-fourth general assembly relating to the improvement of water fronts in cities acting under special charter and enacting a substitute therefor and to amend section two (2) of chapter forty-nine (49) of the acts of the thirty-fourth general assembly relating to the levee improvement commission in such cities.

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

Section 1. Repeal—levee improvement commission—term of office—bond. That section one (1) of chapter forty-nine (49) of the acts of the thirty-fourth general assembly be and the same is hereby repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof:—Any city acting under special charter may establish a levee improvement commission to consist of the mayor, who shall be its chairman, and not more than four other persons to be appointed by the mayor with the approval of the city council. The appointive members shall be residents and qualified electors of the city, and shall hold no other official position in the city, and no member shall receive any salary for his services as a member of such commission. Their term of office shall be fixed by ordinance and shall not exceed six years. Before entering upon their office the appointive members shall each execute a bond in favor of the city in the penal sum of two thousand (\$2,000.00) dollars, with approved fidelity company, surety for the faithful performance of their duties. The expense of this bond shall be paid out of the levee improvement fund.

SEC. 2. Powers and duties of commission—treasurer. That section two (2) of chapter forty-nine (49) of the acts of the thirty-fourth general assembly be and the same is hereby amended by striking therefrom the following words in the last paragraph of said section: 'the commissioner of the board of public works' and insert in lieu thereof the following: 'at least one other member of said levee improvement commission'.

Approved April 8 A. D. 1913.