of erecting and equipping a new school building in and for said school district; and

WHEREAS, the board of directors of said school district pursuant to said election, enacted proceedings preliminary to the issuance and sale of said bonds: and

WHEREAS, doubts have arisen concerning the validity of said election and the authority of the board of directors of said school district to issue and sell said bonds, and it is deemed advisable to put said doubts and all other doubts which may hereafter arise concerning said election and the proceedings forever at rest: now, therefore,

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

- SECTION 1. Election legalized. That said election held in said school district on March 12, 1923, and all proceedings had by the board of directors of said school district in relation and pursuant thereto be and the same are hereby declared to be legal and valid, and that the school building bonds of said school district in the aggregate amount of \$225,000, so authorized at said election when issued, sold and delivered are hereby declared to be legal and to constitute valid and binding obligations of said school district.
- 1 SEC. 2. Litigation. Nothing in this act shall affect pending litigation.
- SEC. 3. Publication. This act being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the "Des Moines Register", a newspaper published in Des Moines, Iowa, and the "Council Bluffs Nonpareil", a newspaper published in Council Bluffs, Iowa, without expense to the state.

Approved December 22, A. D. 1923.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Des Moines Register, December 27, 1923, and the Council Bluffs Nonpariel, December 26, 1923.

W. C. RAMSAY, Secretary of State.

## CHAPTER 52

## INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT OF WATERLOO

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AN ACT to legalize the acts of the board of directors of the independent school district of Waterloo, Iowa, in estimating the amount required for the general fund for the school year 1923-1924, and the certification thereof to the board of supervisors of Black Hawk county, Iowa, and the levy thereof by said board of supervisors.

Whereas, the board of directors of the independent school district of Waterloo, Iowa, did, at a lawful meeting held within the time provided by law, estimate the amount required for the general fund of the school district for the school year 1923-1924, and fix the same at the amount of three hundred forty thousand dollars (\$340,000), and did thereafter cause the same to be duly certified to the county auditor and the board of supervisors of Black Hawk county, Iowa, within the time required by law.

Whereas, included in said sum so estimated and so certified was the amount of thirty thousand dollars (\$30,000) estimated to apply on interest on lawful bonded indebtedness of said school district as provided by section 2813 of the 1913 supplement to the code of Iowa, leaving the amount of said certification applicable to other proper purposes and expenditures for the general fund of said school district, three hundred ten thousand dollars (\$310,000), said amounts not being segregated in said certificate and estimate, through oversight in the preparation of the same, although such segregation was in fact and at the time the intention of said board.

WHEREAS, the levy of the sum of three hundred ten thousand dollars (\$310,000) is less than the maximum fixed by law that may be levied for the general fund of said school district and the said amount of thirty thousand dollars (\$30,000) is less than the maximum fixed by law which may be levied by said district for the payment of interest on bonds, and in addition to such levies there is permitted by law a five per cent (5%) addition to such levies to provide for possible shrinkage in the collection of the same, or other causes.

Whereas, the board of supervisors of Black Hawk county, Iowa, have levied the said tax in the total amount of three hundred forty thousand dollars (\$340,000) and the same has been published, according to law, and it is deemed advisable to set aside all doubts concerning the validity of the said estimate and certification and the levy of the same by the board of supervisors; now therefore

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

SECTION 1. Levy legalized. That the estimate made by the board of directors of the independent school district of Waterloo, Iowa, for 3 the general fund for the school year 1923-1924 in the sum of three hundred forty thousand dollars (\$340,000) and the certification there-4 5 of to the county auditor and the board of supervisors of Black Hawk county, Iowa, and the levy of the said amount and the publication thereof by the said board of supervisors be and the same are hereby declared to be legal and valid notwithstanding the failure to separate in said estimate, certification and levy the amount estimated for interest on bonds authorized to be estimated and levied by section 10 11 2813 of the 1913 supplement to the code of Iowa, and acts amendatory 12 thereto, and that the said estimate, certification and levy be and the same hereby are declared to be of the same force and effect as though 13 14 there had been separately estimated, certified and levied thirty thou-15 sand dollars (\$30,000) thereof as and for the bond fund of said dis-16 trict, and the county auditor of said county is hereby authorized to 17 certify said taxes to the county treasurer and the county treasurer 18 authorized to collect the same as provided by law.

- 1 Sec. 2. Litigation. This act shall not affect pending litigation.
- 1 Sec. 3. Publication. This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication
- 3 in the Des Moines Register, a newspaper published in the city of Des 4 Moines, Iowa, and in the Waterloo Tribune, a newspaper published in
- 5 Waterloo, Iowa, without expense to the state.

Approved December 21, A. D. 1923.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Waterloo Times Tribune, December 27, 1923, and the Des Moines Register, December 24, 1923.

W. C. RAMSAY, Secretary of State.