# CHAPTER 125

# TAXATION. SCHOOL TAXES PAYABLE BY STATE

H. F. 50

ACT to repeal chapters two hundred fifteen-C one (215-C1) and two hundred fifteen-C two (215-C2), code, 1931, relating to tax-free lands and to enact a substitute therefor.

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

SECTION 1. Chapters two hundred fifteen-C one (215-C1) and two hundred fifteen-C two (215-C2), code, 1931, are hereby repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof: 3

When unplatted lands within the boundaries of a school district are owned by the government of the United States, by the state of Iowa, by a county, or by a municipal corporation located wholly outside said school district, and such lands have been removed from taxation for school purposes, said school district shall be reimbursed, as hereinafter provided, in an amount which shall be computed by the county board of supervisors in the county in which such lands are located.

The computation provided for in the preceding section shall be made on the basis of the proportion that the assessable value of the total number of acres owned by the government of the United States, by the state, by the county, or by the municipal corporation, as the case may be, in such school district bears to the assessable value of the total number of acres in said school district. The average assessable value per acre of the lands so owned within the school district shall, for the purposes of the computation provided for in this act, not exceed the average assessable value per acre of the taxable lands in said district.

When the county board of supervisors shall have computed the amount due a school district, as provided in the two preceding sections, it shall forthwith certify the same to the county auditor of the proper county or to the secretary of the executive council of the state of Iowa, if the lands upon which computed belong to the government of the United States or to the state of Iowa, or to the council of the proper municipal corporation, if they belong to a municipal corporation.

Upon receipt of the certificate provided for in the preceding section, it shall become the duty of the council of such municipal corporation or the county auditor of such county, as the case may be, to cause a warrant in said amount to be drawn on the general fund of such county or such municipal corporation and delivered to the secretary of said school district.

When the computed amount is based upon lands belonging to the state of Iowa or to the government of the United States, as provided herein, it shall then become the duty of the secretary of the executive council of the state to certify the amount to the auditor of state, who shall draw his warrant to the secretary of said school district and the treasurer of state shall pay the same from any funds of the state not otherwise appropriated.

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- "5. It shall be the duty of the secretary of said school district when certifying the taxes to file a certified statement with the county auditor of the proper county showing the amount of such tax-free land, its description, and the branch of government by which owned.
- "6. When levying the school tax certified by the secretary of the school board against the taxable property of such school district, the county auditor shall deduct therefrom the amount computed by the county board of supervisors and levy the remainder against the taxable property of said district.
- 52 "7. The forms necessary for carrying out the purposes of this 53 act shall be prepared by the state board of assessment and review."

House File No. 50. Approved March 16, 1933.

Note: The references to "preceding section" in the above act, evidently, were intended to refer to the preceding subsection.

#### CHAPTER 126

# TAXATION. TAX ON INSURANCE PREMIUMS

# H. F. 241

AN ACT to amend section seven thousand twenty-five (7025) of the 1931 code of Iowa, relating to domestic insurance companies' tax on gross premiums, and providing for a definition of the words "business written within the state", as contained therein.

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

- SECTION 1. That section seven thousand twenty-five (7025) of the 1931 code of Iowa, be and the same is hereby amended by adding immediately following said section the following sentence:
- "Business written in this state shall include policies upon which no premium tax shall have been paid in any other state, issued to non-residents of this state by companies organized under the laws of this state, which companies are not subject to the jurisdiction of the courts of the state of the policyholder's residence."
- SEC. 2. This act being deemed of immediate importance, it shall take effect and be in full force from and after its publication in Cedar Falls Daily Record, a newspaper published at Cedar Falls, Iowa, and in the Journal-Tribune, a newspaper published at Williamsburg, Iowa.

House File No. 241. Approved March 14, 1933.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Cedar Falls Daily Record March 17, 1933, and the Williamsburg Journal-Tribune March 23, 1933. Mrs. Alex Miller, Secretary of State.