

CHAPTER 260

NEW HAMPTON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

S. F. 63

AN ACT to legalize the election and proceedings relating to the sale and authorizing the issuance of bonds by the Independent School District of New Hampton, in the county of Chickasaw, state of Iowa, and the proceedings providing for the levying of an annual tax for the payment of bonds, and declaring said bonds issued pursuant to said proceedings to be enforceable obligations of said school district.

WHEREAS, at an election on the 28th day of September, 1938, there was submitted to the qualified electors of The Independent School District of New Hampton, in the County of Chickasaw, State of Iowa, the following proposition:

"Shall the Independent School District of New Hampton, in Chickasaw County, State of Iowa, issue bonds of said District in an amount not exceeding Eighty-two Thousand Dollars (\$82,000.00) and levy a tax annually upon the taxable property in said District, for the payment of such bonds and interest thereon? The bonds when issued, or the proceeds thereof, to be used for the purpose of paying for the purchase price of part or all of the ground necessary for a school house site in said District and the purpose of paying part of the cost of erecting and equipping a public school house in said District and also for the remodeling of the present school building." and

WHEREAS, it appears that as a result of said election, the qualified voters of said Independent School District cast nine hundred ninety-three (993) votes in favor of said proposition, and two hundred fifty-eight (258) votes against the same and that said proposition was declared duly carried by more than 60% of all votes cast at said election; and

WHEREAS, it appears that pursuant to the authority granted by said election the Board of Directors of said Independent School District directed that there be issued school building bonds of The Independent School District of New Hampton, in the County of Chickasaw, State of Iowa, in the amount of Eighty-two Thousand Dollars (\$82,000.00) for school building purposes in and for said School District, and that bonds in said amount and for said purposes have been sold; and

WHEREAS, it appears that the Board of Directors of said Independent School District have entered into a written contract as by law provided for the construction of the proposed improvements; and

WHEREAS, doubts have arisen as to the legal sufficiency of said election and proceedings and as to the authority to issue and sell bonds and to levy and collect taxes to pay the principal and interest of said bonds as the same will become due; and it is deemed advisable to put said doubts, and all others that may arise, forever at rest; Now, therefore:

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

- 1 SECTION 1. That the election and all proceedings taken by the
- 2 Board of Directors of The Independent School District of New Hamp-
- 3 ton, in the County of Chickasaw, State of Iowa, relating to the issuance
- 4 of school building bonds of said school district, in the sum of Eighty-
- 5 two Thousand Dollars (\$82,000.00) and all proceedings providing for
- 6 the levy of taxes to pay the principal and interest of said bonds as the
- 7 same will become due, be, and the same are hereby declared to be legal

8 and valid notwithstanding any irregularity, omission or defect in con-
 9 nection therewith, and that bonds issued pursuant to said proceedings
 10 in the amount aforesaid are hereby declared to be valid and binding
 11 obligations of said Independent School District.

1 SEC. 2. This Act being deemed of immediate importance shall be-
 2 come effective upon publication in the New Hampton Tribune, a news-
 3 paper published at New Hampton, Iowa, and the Nashua Reporter, a
 4 newspaper published at Nashua, Iowa, both of said publications to be
 5 without expense to the State.

Approved February 21, 1939.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the New Hampton Tribune,
 March 2, 1939, and the Nashua Reporter, March 1, 1939.

EARL G. MILLER, *Secretary of State.*

CHAPTER 261

INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT OF NEW HAMPTON

H. F. 457

AN ACT to legalize warrants issued by the Independent School District of New Hampton in the county of Chickasaw, state of Iowa, for the construction of a new school building and remodeling the present building and to legalize the expenditure of certain funds for the payment of the school building and remodeling of the present building in excess of the amount stated in the ballot used at the special election and to authorize the school district to levy taxes for the payment of said warrants.

WHEREAS, at a special election held on the 28th day of September, 1938, the electors of the Independent School District of New Hampton in the County of Chickasaw, State of Iowa, authorized the issuance of bonds of such school district in the sum of eighty-two thousand dollars (\$82,000.00) to be used with other funds for the purchasing of the necessary ground for school house site, for the building and equipping of a new school building and for remodeling the present school building: and,

WHEREAS, plans and specifications were prepared by the architect employed by the said school district and the plans and specifications were adopted and a public letting was advertised and had for the letting of contracts for the building of a new school house and remodeling the present school house and at the said letting the lowest bids received would necessitate an expenditure of twenty-six thousand eight hundred eighty-eight dollars and eighty-eight cents (\$26,888.88) in excess of the sums derived from the sale of bonds and the amount available from a grant from the federal government; and,

WHEREAS, at the time of the letting it was necessary for the said school district to withdraw from the plans and specifications a sufficient number of alternates in order to let the contracts to the lowest bidders without such alternates in order that the district have sufficient funds to pay for the said work; and,

WHEREAS, subsequent to the letting of said contract, the board of directors of said school district considered it inadvisable to complete said school with the alternate eliminated and considered that the best interests of the district would be served by following the original plans and specifications adopted by the district; and,