

1 SEC. 3. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall be  
 2 in full force and effect from and after its publication in the Ottumwa  
 3 Daily Courier, a newspaper published at Ottumwa, Iowa, and in the  
 4 Perry Daily Chief, a newspaper published at Perry, Iowa.

Approved April 14, 1947.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Ottumwa Daily Courier,  
 April 17, 1947, and the Perry Daily Chief, April 18, 1947.

ROLLO H. BERGESON, *Secretary of State.*

## CHAPTER 149

### ORDNANCE PLANT AREA TO SCHOOL DISTRICT

#### S. F. 118

AN ACT to amend section two hundred seventy-four point forty (274.40), code 1946,  
 relating to the reorganization of school districts and the adjustment of boundary  
 lines of school districts when lands are returned to private ownership after having  
 been acquired by the federal government.

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

1 SECTION 1. Section two hundred seventy-four point forty (274.40),  
 2 Code 1946, is hereby amended by adding thereto the following: "When-  
 3 ever real estate acquired by the United States government as provided  
 4 in section two hundred seventy-four point thirty-nine (274.39), Code  
 5 1946, is returned to private ownership through sale or otherwise the  
 6 County Board of Education of such county in which such land is located  
 7 shall have authority to adjust the boundary lines of contiguous school  
 8 districts in such manner as they may deem just and equitable so as  
 9 to include and make said real estate a part of the school districts to  
 10 which the land is contiguous, or to reorganize said real estate into a  
 11 separate school district as provided by law; provided, however, that  
 12 said real estate shall revert to and again become a part of the school  
 13 district from which it was taken if such district still exists as a school  
 14 district."

1 SEC. 2. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall be  
 2 in full force and effect from and after its passage and publication in  
 3 the Plain Talk, a newspaper published at Des Moines, Iowa, and  
 4 the Burlington Hawk-Eye Gazette, a newspaper published at Burling-  
 5 ton, Iowa.

Approved April 3, 1947.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Plain Talk, April 10, 1947,  
 and the Burlington Hawk-Eye Gazette, April 7, 1947.

ROLLO H. BERGESON, *Secretary of State.*