

33 work and said report or in portions of sections thereof not in conflict
34 with the laws of Iowa.

1 SEC. 3. The members of the Council shall receive no compensations
2 but shall receive their actual and necessary expenses including travel
3 incurred in the performance of their duties. The Council shall be
4 empowered to choose and shall fix the salary of the Technical Secretary,
5 who shall not be a member of the Council. The Technical Secretary
6 shall attend the meetings of the Council and serve as its secretary,
7 and shall have general charge of the work of the council, subject to
8 its orders and direction, and shall serve at the pleasure of the Council.
9 The Council shall also fix and pay the salaries of such clerical assistants
10 as may be necessary. All salaries of said employees and expenses
11 incurred by the Council shall be verified and approved by the chairman
12 thereof and referred to the State Comptroller who shall issue warrants
13 for the same from funds hereinafter appropriated to the Council.

1 SEC. 4. There is hereby appropriated from the General Fund of
2 the State the sum of fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000.00) or so much
3 thereof as may be necessary for the purpose of carrying out the
4 provisions of this Joint Resolution. At the termination of the duties of
5 said Council any unexpended funds are to revert to the General Fund
6 of the State of Iowa.

1 SEC. 5. This Joint Resolution being deemed of immediate im-
2 portance shall be in full force and effect from and after publication in
3 The Red Oak Express, a newspaper published at Red Oak, Iowa, and
4 the Glenwood-Opinion Tribune, a newspaper published at Glenwood,
5 Iowa.

Approved March 20, 1947.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in The Red Oak Express,
March 27, 1947, and the Glenwood-Opinion Tribune, March 27, 1947.

ROLLO H. BERGESON, *Secretary of State.*

CHAPTER 353

MENTAL HEALTH AUTHORITY

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A JOINT RESOLUTION to designate a "Mental Health Authority" in the state of Iowa through which the U. S. public health service can deal in connection with the benefits that the state of Iowa can derive from the provisions of the national mental health act which has been enacted by the congress of the United States.

WHEREAS, the 79th Congress of the United States enacted Public Law 487 which amends the Public Health Service Act to provide for research relating to psychopathic disorders and to aid in the developing of more effective methods of prevention, diagnosis and treatment of such disorders and,

WHEREAS, said law contemplates the granting of money to the several states for such purpose, and

WHEREAS, said law will not require the appropriation of any money at this time in order for the state of Iowa to receive such benefits, and

WHEREAS, said law further provides that the several states must designate a "Mental Health Authority" through which such funds may be channelled, and

WHEREAS, there is now available from the Federal Government for the current year for such purpose approximately \$57,000 for the state of Iowa, and

WHEREAS, the Psychopathic Hospital at Iowa City, the Board of Control of State Institutions, the Department of Health, and the private hospitals in the state of Iowa, are all interested in receiving the benefits of this law, and

WHEREAS, it is desirable that a policy making committee be established to advise and direct the "Iowa Mental Health Authority" as to the manner in which such funds shall be expended.

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

1 SECTION 1. The Psychopathic Hospital at Iowa City, Iowa, through
2 its Director is hereby designated as the "Iowa Mental Health Author-
3 ity" for the purpose of directing the benefits of Public Law 487* of
4 the 79th Congress of the United States and said Iowa Mental Health
5 Authority shall direct such program and disburse any funds in
6 connection therewith by and with the consent and approval of the
7 Committee on Mental Health hereinafter named in Section 2,

1 SEC. 2. There is hereby created the Committee for Mental Health
2 Hygiene for the state of Iowa, which committee shall consist of the
3 Director of the Psychopathic Hospital at Iowa City, Iowa, the Director
4 of Mental Institutions under the Board of Control of the state of
5 Iowa, the Commissioner of Health of the state of Iowa, one member
6 of the Board of Control, designated by said Board, and one practicing
7 psychiatrist representing the private mental hospitals in this state
8 to be appointed by the governor.

1 SEC. 3. It shall be the duty of the committee for Mental Hygiene to
2 formulate the policies for the carrying out of the provisions of Public
3 Law 487* of the 79th Congress of the United States and said committee
4 shall direct the "Iowa Mental Health Authority" as to the projects
5 to be undertaken under said law and the disbursement of any funds
6 made available under said law.

1 SEC. 4. The Iowa Mental Health Authority shall disburse any
2 funds in connection with mental health hygiene as contemplated in
3 this resolution under the supervision of the comptroller of the state
4 of Iowa.

Approved April 29, 1947.

*60 Stat. L.—.