

## CHAPTER 8

## PUBLIC SCHOOLS AND JUNIOR COLLEGES APPROVED

H. F. 20

AN ACT to provide for the approval and accrediting of all public schools and public junior colleges; to authorize their participation in state distributive funds; and to qualify students and graduates.

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

1 SECTION 1. All public grade and high schools and public junior  
2 colleges presently or hereafter operating in this state and offering the  
3 courses required by statute shall be deemed to be duly and officially  
4 accredited, qualified and approved for participation in the distribution  
5 of state aid and distributive funds and the qualification of their stu-  
6 dents and graduates for the taking of examinations or admission to  
7 other schools, colleges or universities; provided, however, that to  
8 receive state aid the school district shall have levied the millage levy  
9 as required by law.

1 SEC. 2. The students and graduates of all private and parochial  
2 grade and high schools and junior colleges offering the courses re-  
3 quired by statute shall be deemed to be students and graduates of  
4 officially accredited, qualified and approved schools.

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 Times-  
3 Republican, a newspaper published at Corydon, Iowa, and in The Pella  
4 Chronicle, a newspaper published at Pella, Iowa.

1 SEC. 4. The provisions of this Act shall expire on July 4, 1965,  
2 and shall have no force or effect thereafter.

Approved April 7, 1964.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Act, House File 20, was published in The Times-Republican, Corydon, Iowa, April 16, 1964, and in The Pella Chronicle, Pella, Iowa, April 16, 1964.

MELVIN D. SYNHORST, *Secretary of State.*

## CHAPTER 9

## HIGHER EDUCATION FACILITIES COMMISSION

H. F. 10

AN ACT to establish a commission as the state agency to administer a plan for higher education facilities and to qualify for federal funds available to the state of Iowa.

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

1 SECTION 1. There is hereby created a commission to be known as  
2 the Higher Education Facilities Commission of the state of Iowa.  
3 Membership of the commission shall be as follows:

4 1. A member of the state board of regents to be named by the  
5 board, or the secretary thereof if so appointed by the board, who shall  
6 serve for a four-year term or until the expiration of his term of office.  
7 Such member shall convene the organizational meeting of the com-  
8 mission.

9 2. The superintendent of public instruction.

10 3. A member of the state advisory committee for vocational edu-  
11 cation to be named by the said committee who shall serve for a four-  
12 year term or until the expiration of his term of office.

13 4. A member of the Senate to be appointed by the lieutenant gov-  
14 ernor who shall serve for a term of two years.

15 5. A member of the House of Representatives to be appointed by  
16 the speaker of the House who shall serve for a term of two years.

17 6. Four additional members to be appointed by the governor. One  
18 of such members shall be selected to represent private colleges, pri-  
19 vate universities and private junior colleges located in the state of  
20 Iowa. When appointing such one member, the governor shall give  
21 careful consideration to any person or persons nominated or recom-  
22 mended by any organization or association of some or all private col-  
23 leges, private universities and private junior colleges located in the  
24 state of Iowa. The other three (3) such members, none of whom shall  
25 be official board members or trustees of an institution of higher learn-  
26 ing or of an association of such institutions, shall be selected to repre-  
27 sent the general public.

28 The members of the commission appointed by the governor shall  
29 serve for a term of four years, but the terms of the four initial ap-  
30 pointees shall be as follows:

31 Two (2) members shall serve from the date of appointment to June  
32 30, 1965, and two (2) members shall serve from the date of appoint-  
33 ment to June 30, 1967.

34 Vacancies on the commission shall be filled for the unexpired term  
35 of such vacancies in the same manner as the original appointment.

1 SEC. 2. The commission shall:

2 1. Prepare and administer a state plan for higher education facili-  
3 ties which shall be the state plan submitted to the Commissioner of  
4 Education, Federal Department of Health, Education, and Welfare,  
5 or any agency successor thereto, in connection with the participation  
6 of this state in programs authorized by the federal "Higher Educa-  
7 tion Facilities Act of 1963" (P.L. 88-204), together with any amend-  
8 ments thereto.

9 2. Provide for administrative hearings to every applicant for funds  
10 authorized under the "Higher Education Facilities Act of 1963" (P.L.  
11 88-204), together with any amendments thereto, in regard to the pri-  
12 ority assigned to such application for funds by said commission or to  
13 any other determination of the state commission adversely affecting  
14 the applicant.

15 3. Apply for, receive, administer, expend, and account for such fed-  
16 eral moneys necessary for its own administrative expenses as author-  
17 ized by the federal "Higher Education Facilities Act of 1963" (P.L.  
18 88-204), together with any amendments thereto.

1 SEC. 3. The commission shall determine its own organization,  
2 draw up its own by-laws, and do such other things as may be neces-  
3 sary and incidental in the administration of this Act, including the  
4 housing, employment, and fixing the compensation and bond of such  
5 persons as are required to carry out its functions and responsibilities.

6 The commission shall function at the seat of government or such  
7 other place as it might designate.

1 SEC. 4. The state comptroller shall keep an accounting of all funds  
 2 received and expended by the commission. Commission members not  
 3 regularly paid employees of the state shall be paid a per diem of  
 4 twenty (20) dollars and necessary expenses which amount is hereby  
 5 appropriated from funds available to the commission and paid upon  
 6 warrants issued by the state comptroller.

1 SEC. 5. This Act being of immediate importance shall be in full  
 2 force and effect from and after its passage and publication in The  
 3 Sigourney News-Review, a newspaper published at Sigourney, Iowa,  
 4 and The Fayette County Union, a newspaper published at West Union,  
 5 Iowa.

Approved April 3, 1964.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Act, House File 10, was published in The Sigourney News-Record, Sigourney, Iowa, April 22, 1964, and in The Fayette County Union, West Union, Iowa, April 23, 1964.

MELVIN D. SYNHORST, *Secretary of State.*

## CHAPTER 10

### JOINT CONSTRUCTION OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS

#### S. F. 15

AN ACT to allow school districts, the boundaries of which have been changed under section two hundred seventy-four point thirty-seven (274.37), Code 1962, to contract for the joint construction of buildings prior to the effective date of the change.

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

1 SECTION 1. Section two hundred seventy-four point thirty-seven  
 2 (274.37), Code 1962, is hereby amended by adding thereto the follow-  
 3 ing:

4 "The boards in the respective districts, the boundaries of which  
 5 have been changed under this section, complete in all respects, except  
 6 for the passage of time prior to the effective date of the change and  
 7 when all right of appeal of the change has expired, may enter into  
 8 joint contracts for the construction of buildings for the benefit of the  
 9 corporations whose boundaries have been changed, using funds ac-  
 10 cumulated under section two hundred seventy-eight point one (278.1),  
 11 subsection seven (7), of the Code. The district in which the building  
 12 is to be located may use any funds authorized in accordance with  
 13 chapter seventy-five (75) of the Code. Nothing in this section shall  
 14 be construed to permit the changed districts to expend any funds  
 15 jointly which they are not entitled to expend acting individually."

1 SEC. 2. This Act being of immediate importance shall be in full  
 2 force and effect from and after its passage and publication in the  
 3 Waterloo Daily Courier, newspaper published at Waterloo, Iowa, and  
 4 in the Fort Dodge Messenger, a newspaper published at Fort Dodge,  
 5 Iowa.

Approved April 7, 1964.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Act, Senate File 15, was published in the Waterloo Daily Courier, Waterloo, Iowa, April 14, 1964, and in the Fort Dodge Messenger, Fort Dodge, Iowa, April 15, 1964.

MELVIN D. SYNHORST, *Secretary of State.*