

1 SEC. 9. Section two hundred fifty-seven point five (257.5), Code
2 1962, is hereby amended as follows:

3 1. By striking in line one (1) the words "election of" and inserting
4 in lieu thereof the words "nomination and appointment of district".

5 2. By striking in subsection one (1), lines two (2) and three (3),
6 the words "an election is to be held" and inserting in lieu thereof the
7 words "nominations are to be made".

8 3. By striking in subsection two (2), line six (6), the words "hold-
9 ing an election" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "making
10 nominations".

11 4. By striking in subsection two (2), lines twenty-four (24) and
12 twenty-five (25), the words "election of a person" and inserting in
13 lieu thereof the words "nomination of two (2) persons".

14 5. By striking in subsection two (2), line twenty-six (26), the
15 words "as a" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "for".

16 6. By striking lines thirty-one (31) through thirty-six (36) of sub-
17 section two (2), and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

18 "The county superintendent in charge shall certify to the governor
19 and to the secretary of state the names of the two (2) persons nomi-
20 nated for membership to the state board from the district. Within
21 thirty (30) days after receiving such certification, the governor shall
22 appoint one (1) of such two (2) persons as the member of the state
23 board for the district, and such member shall take office and qualify
24 as provided in this chapter."

Approved June 4, 1965.

CHAPTER 227

BOARD FOR VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

S. F. 311

AN ACT relating to the powers and duties of the state board for vocational education,
division of vocational rehabilitation.

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

1 SECTION 1. Section two hundred fifty-nine point four (259.4),
2 Code 1962, is hereby amended as follows:

3 1. By adding a new sub-section nineteen (19).

4 "Provide financial and other necessary assistance to public, or pri-
5 vate agencies in the development, expansion, operation or maintenance
6 of sheltered workshops or other rehabilitation facilities needed for the
7 rehabilitation of the disabled when consistent with the policies of the
8 board."

9 2. By adding a new sub-section twenty (20).

10 "Provide vocational rehabilitation services to socially disadvantaged
11 persons who are substantially impaired in their ability to earn a liv-
12 ing. This may include but is not limited to recipients of public as-
13 sistance, inmates of correctional institutions or rejectees of the selec-
14 tive service system, who because of lack of training, experience, skills

15 or other factors, which if corrected would lead to self-support instead
16 of dependency."

Approved May 25, 1965.

CHAPTER 228

HIGH SCHOOL EQUIVALENCY CERTIFICATE

S. F. 173

AN ACT relating to the issuance of high school equivalency certificates by the state superintendent of public instruction.

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

1 SECTION 1. The state superintendent of public instruction shall
2 cause to be made available for qualified individuals, residents of the
3 state of Iowa, a high school equivalency certificate. The certificate
4 shall be issued on the basis of satisfactory competence as shown by
5 tests covering: the correctness and effectiveness of expression; the
6 interpretation of reading material in the social studies; interpretation
7 of reading materials in the natural sciences; interpretation of literary
8 materials; and general mathematical ability.

1 SEC. 2. Every applicant shall have attained the age which if said
2 applicant had remained in school would have graduated at least one
3 (1) year before date of application, and shall have maintained resi-
4 dence in the state of Iowa for at least one (1) year and be a non-high
5 school graduate.

6 Applicants shall make application to the state superintendent and at
7 time of making application pay a fee of five (5) dollars.

1 SEC. 3. Any applicant who has achieved the minimum passing
2 standards as established by the state superintendent, and approved by
3 the state board, shall be notified in writing, and upon payment of an
4 additional five (5) dollars the state superintendent shall issue a high
5 school equivalency certificate.

1 SEC. 4. The fees collected by the state superintendent from appli-
2 cants shall be used for the expenses incurred in administering, provid-
3 ing test materials, scoring of examinations and issuance of certificates,
4 and shall be disbursed on the authorization of the state superintendent.
5 The treasurer of state shall be custodian of the funds paid to the state
6 superintendent and shall disburse the same on vouchers audited as
7 provided by law. The balance in such funds at the close of each bien-
8 nium shall be placed in the general fund of the state.

1 SEC. 5. The superintendent of public instruction, subject to the
2 approval of the state board of public instruction, is hereby authorized
3 to adopt such rules and regulations, tests, definition of terms, and
4 forms as are necessary and proper for the administration of this
5 chapter.

Approved April 14, 1965.