

1 SEC. 6. If this Act fails to place any part of any county, town-
 2 ship, city, or town within any senatorial district or representative
 3 district established by this Act, the supreme court of the state of
 4 Iowa shall assign the omitted area of the county, township, city, or
 5 town to a contiguous senatorial or representative district, which-
 6 ever is applicable, in such manner as the supreme court shall deter-
 7 mine is necessary to guarantee the electorate within the omitted
 8 area fair and equal representation. The supreme court may also
 9 correct obvious clerical errors in this Act in such manner as is
 10 necessary to carry out clear legislative intent, if any such errors are
 11 brought to the court's attention at a time when the general assem-
 12 bly will not have the opportunity to correct such errors before the
 13 next succeeding primary or general elections.

1 SEC. 7. If it becomes necessary to elect a successor to complete
 2 the unexpired term of any senator or representative serving in the
 3 Sixty-fourth General Assembly, the successor shall be elected from
 4 the district represented by such senator or representative under
 5 chapter forty-one (41), Code 1971, but that chapter shall not apply
 6 to the regular 1972 primary and general elections for members of
 7 the general assembly. Chapter forty-one (41), Code 1971, is hereby
 8 repealed effective December 31, 1972.

Approved June 30, 1971.

CHAPTER 96

VACANCIES IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

S. F. 485

AN ACT relating to elections to fill vacancies in the General Assembly.

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

1 SECTION 1. Section forty-three point eighty-three (43.83), Code
 2 1971, is amended as follows:
 3 **43.83 Vacancies in office of congressman.** A nomination to be
 4 voted on at a special election and occasioned by a vacancy in the office
 5 of representative in Congress, shall be made by a convention duly
 6 called by the district central committee not less than twenty-five
 7 days prior to the date set for the special election. [In the event the
 8 special election is to fill a vacancy in the general assembly while
 9 it is in session or within forty-five days of the convening of any
 10 session, the time limit herein provided shall not apply.]

Approved June 10, 1971.

Italics indicate new material added to existing statutes; brackets indicate deletions from existing statutes. However, see Editor's note, page iii.