to read as follows:

In addition to the tax authorized under section 280A.17, the voters in any merged area may at the annual school election vote a tax not exceeding twenty and one-fourth cents per thousand dollars of assessed value in any one year for a period not to exceed five ten years for the purchase of grounds, construction of buildings, payment of debts contracted for the construction of buildings, purchase of buildings and equipment for buildings, and the acquisition of libraries, and for the purpose of maintaining, remodeling, improving, or expanding the area vocational school or area community college of the merged area which tax shall be collected by the county treasurers and remitted to the treasurer of the merged area as other taxes are collected and remitted, and the proceeds of said tax shall be deposited in a separate and distinct fund to be known as the voted tax fund, to be paid out upon warrants drawn by the president and secretary of the board of directors of the merged area district for the payment of costs incurred in providing the school facilities for which the tax was voted.

Approved May 9, 1978

CHAPTER 1102

SALE OF STUDENT CONSTRUCTED BUILDINGS

H. F. 2277

AN ACT relating to the sale by area schools of student-constructed buildings and certain property.

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

Section 1. Section two hundred eighty A point twentythree (280A.23), subsection seven (7), Code 1977, is amended to read as follows:

7. Have authority to sell a student-constructed building and the property on which the student-constructed building is located or any article resulting from any vocational program or course offered at an area vocational school or area community college by any procedure which may be adopted by the board. Governmental agencies and governmental subdivisions of the state within the merged areas shall be given preference in the purchase of such articles. All revenue received from the sale of any article shall be credited to the funds of the board of the merged area.

Approved May 16, 1978