

CHAPTER 6**EQUIPMENT REPLACEMENT TAX FOR CERTAIN MERGED AREAS***S.F. 16*

AN ACT authorizing certain merged areas to certify an additional equipment replacement tax levy for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1993 and providing an effective date.

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

Section 1. **ADDITIONAL ONE-YEAR EQUIPMENT REPLACEMENT TAX LEVY.** For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1993, and ending June 30, 1994, the board of directors of a merged area which did not certify and did not collect an equipment replacement tax levy under section 260C.28, subsection 1, for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1992, and ending June 30, 1993, may certify for levy, in addition to the tax authorized by section 260C.28, subsection 1, for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1993, and ending June 30, 1994, a tax on taxable property in the merged area at a rate not exceeding three cents per thousand dollars of assessed valuation for equipment replacement for the community college in the merged area.

Sec. 2. This Act, being deemed of immediate importance, takes effect upon enactment.

Approved March 8, 1993

CHAPTER 7**STATE EMPLOYEES DISABILITY INSURANCE PROGRAM***S.F. 56*

AN ACT relating to the payment of benefits pursuant to the state employees disability insurance program, and providing effective and retroactive applicability dates.

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

Section 1. Section 70A.20, unnumbered paragraph 1, Code 1993, is amended to read as follows:

A state employees disability insurance program is created, which shall be administered by the director of the department of personnel and which shall provide disability benefits in an amount and for the employees as provided in this section. The monthly disability benefits shall provide twenty percent of monthly earnings if employed less than one year, forty percent of monthly earnings if employed one year or more but less than two years, and sixty percent of monthly earnings thereafter, reduced by primary and family social security determined at the time social security disability payments commence, workers' compensation if applicable, and any other state sponsored sickness or disability benefits payable. However, the amount of benefits payable under the Iowa public employees' retirement system pursuant to chapter 97B shall not reduce the benefits payable pursuant to this section. Subsequent social security increases shall not be used to further reduce the insurance benefits payable. State employees shall receive credit for the time they were continuously employed prior to and on July 1, 1974. The following provisions apply to the employees disability insurance program:

Sec. 2. **EFFECTIVE AND RETROACTIVE APPLICABILITY DATES.** This Act, being deemed of immediate importance, takes effect upon enactment and applies retroactively to July 1, 1990.

Approved March 8, 1993

CHAPTER 8**SCHOOL FINANCE — ADDITIONAL ENRICHMENT AMOUNTS***S.F. 141*

AN ACT to permit the participation in the voter-approved enrichment levy by newly reorganized school districts.

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

Section 1. Section 257.33, Code 1993, is amended by adding the following new unnumbered paragraph:

NEW UNNUMBERED PARAGRAPH. Use of the additional enrichment amounts approved under chapter 442, Code 1991, is not affected by a change in the boundaries of the school district, except as otherwise provided in this section. If each school district involved in a school reorganization under chapter 275 has approved the use of the additional enrichment amount, and if the voters have not voted upon the question of participation in the instructional support program in the reorganized district, the use of the additional enrichment amount shall be in effect for the reorganized district that has been approved for the least amount and the shortest time in any of the districts.

Approved March 8, 1993

CHAPTER 9**COMPUTATION OF TIME FOR FILING PURPOSES***H.F. 113*

AN ACT relating to computing the time for filings with the clerk of the district court and providing a retroactive applicability date.

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

Section 1. Section 4.1, subsection 34, Code 1993, is amended to read as follows:

34. Time — legal holidays. In computing time, the first day shall be excluded and the last included, unless the last falls on Sunday, in which case the time prescribed shall be extended so as to include the whole of the following Monday. However, when by the provisions of a statute or rule prescribed under authority of a statute, the last day for the commencement of an action or proceedings, the filing of a pleading or motion in a pending action or proceedings, or the perfecting or filing of an appeal from the decision or award of a court, board, commission, or official falls on a Saturday, a Sunday, a day on which the office of the clerk of the district court is closed in whole or in part pursuant to the authority of the supreme court, the first day of January, the third Monday in January, the twelfth day of February, the third Monday in February, the last Monday in May, the fourth day of July, the first Monday in September, the eleventh day of November, the fourth Thursday in November, the twenty-fifth day of December, and the following Monday when any of the foregoing named legal holidays fall on a Sunday, and any day appointed or recommended by the governor of Iowa or the president of the United States as a day of fasting or thanksgiving, the time shall be extended to include the next day which is not a Saturday, Sunday, or legal holiday named in this subsection the office of the clerk of the court or the office of the board, commission, or official is open to receive the filing of a commencement of an action, pleading or a motion in a pending action or proceeding, or the perfecting or filing of an appeal.