

shall give the same notices as are required in section two thousand seven hundred forty-six (2746) of the code, and two thousand seven hundred fifty (2750) of the supplement to the code, 1907, at which election all voters residing within the district shall be allowed to vote by ballot for or against such dissolution. If a majority of all votes cast at said election be in favor of dissolving the consolidated district, same shall be dissolved and the organization of a new district or districts be forthwith completed by the election of a board of directors as provided by statute; provided, however, that such dissolution shall become effective only when the reorganization of the territory included in the original consolidated district is completed. The assets and liabilities of any such school corporation thus dissolved shall be equitably divided as provided in section two thousand eight hundred two (2802) of the supplement to the code, 1907.

“(G) **Violation of rules and regulations—penalty.** Any person driving, managing, or in charge of any vehicle used in transporting children to and from school, in any consolidated independent school corporation, who shall be found guilty of violating any of the rules and regulations adopted by the board of said school, for the guidance of any person in charge of such conveyance, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and for the first offense shall be fined not less than five dollars (\$5.00) or more than ten dollars (\$10.00) and for a subsequent offense shall be fined not less than twenty-five (\$25.00) dollars or more than fifty dollars (\$50.00) and shall be dismissed from the service.”

(H) **In effect.** This act being deemed of immediate importance shall take effect and be in force from and after the date of its publication in the Register & Leader and Des Moines Capital, newspapers published in the city of Des Moines, Iowa.

Approved March 25, A. D. 1911.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Register and Leader and the Des Moines Capital, March 28, 1911.

W. C. HAYWARD,  
*Secretary of State.*

## CHAPTER 144.

### TITLE AND DISPOSITION OF REAL ESTATE ACQUIRED BY A SCHOOL CORPORATION.

#### H. F. 177.

AN ACT to amend section twenty-eight hundred and sixteen (2816) of the code, relative to the title and disposition of real estate acquired by a school corporation.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:*

**SECTION 1. Repeal—reversion in case of non-user.** Section twenty-eight hundred and sixteen (2816) of the code is hereby repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof:

“In any school district wholly outside any city or incorporated town, in the case of non-user for school purposes for two years continuously of any real estate acquired for a school house site it shall revert, with improvements thereon, to the owner of the tract from which it was taken, upon repayment of the purchase price without interest, together with the value of the improvements, to be determined by arbitration, and upon such payment the school corporation shall make formal conveyance to such owner. During its use the

owner of the right of reversion shall have no interest in or control over the premises.”

Approved April 17, A. D. 1911.

## CHAPTER 145.

### INDEBTEDNESS OF INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICTS.

H. F. 11.

AN ACT to amend sections one (1), and two (2), of chapter one hundred and eighty-four (184), acts of the thirty-third general assembly, relative to the limit of indebtedness of independent school districts.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:*

**SECTION 1. Indebtedness authorized.** Section one (1), of chapter one hundred and eighty-four (184) of the acts of the thirty-third general assembly is hereby so amended as to read as follows, to-wit:—

“Any independent district containing, or contained in, any city, town or village, or any consolidated independent district shall be allowed to become indebted, for the purpose of building and furnishing a school house or houses and procuring a site therefor, to an amount not to exceed in the aggregate, including all other indebtedness, four per centum of the actual value of the taxable property within such independent school district, such value to be ascertained by the last county tax list previous to the incurring of such indebtedness, anything contained in section one thousand three hundred and six-b (1306-b) of the supplement to the code, 1907, to the contrary notwithstanding.”

**SEC. 2. Petition for election.** Section two (2) of chapter one hundred and eighty-four (184) of the acts of the thirty-third general assembly is hereby so amended as to read as follows, to-wit:—

“Provided, that before such indebtedness can be contracted in excess of one and one-quarter per centum of the actual value of the taxable property ascertained as provided in this act, a petition signed by a number equal to twenty-five (25%) per cent of those voting at the last school election shall be filed with the president of the board of directors, asking that an election shall be called, stating the purpose for which the money is to be used, and that the necessary school house or houses cannot be built and furnished within the limit of one and one-quarter per centum of the valuation.”

**SEC. 3. In effect.** This act being deemed of immediate importance shall be in full force and effect on and after its publication in the Des Moines Capital and the Register and Leader, newspapers published in Des Moines, Iowa.

Approved March 21, A. D. 1911.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Des Moines Capital and the Register and Leader March 22, 1911.

W. C. HAYWARD,  
Secretary of State.