

CHAPTER 115

SCHOOLS AND SCHOOL DISTRICTS

AN ACT to provide for the payment by the state of certain sums of money for the support of rural schools in school districts wherein the state is owner of agricultural land and said districts being located outside of cities and towns.

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

1 SECTION 1. Wherever the state of Iowa is owner of agricultural
2 lands in school districts not located within the limits of any city or
3 town and in said district there are established and being conducted
4 rural schools, the state of Iowa shall contribute to the support of said
5 rural school in such districts.

1 SEC. 2. The board of supervisors of the county containing such
2 school districts after ascertaining the amount of money estimated for
3 school purposes in such school district shall cause to be certified to the
4 executive council of the state of Iowa the amount to be paid by the
5 state under the provisions of this act, which shall be computed by
6 the board of supervisors on the basis of the proportion that the aver-
7 age assessable value of the total number of acres owned by the state
8 in such school district bears to the average assessable value of the
9 total number of acres in said district. The average assessable value
10 per acre of the land owned by the state in such school district shall
11 not exceed the average assessable value per acre of all the land in
12 said district.

1 SEC. 3. The board of supervisors in determining the levy necessary
2 to raise funds for school purposes in each of the school districts re-
3 ferred to in this act, shall deduct from the total amount estimated
4 for such district the amount which the state is to contribute as herein
5 provided and shall fix a levy sufficient to raise the remaining funds
6 necessary for said district.

1 SEC. 4. The executive council of the state of Iowa shall pay to the
2 treasurer of each of said school districts the amount certified to it
3 as provided in this act, from any funds of the state not otherwise
4 appropriated; provided, however, that if the state of Iowa has paid
5 any tuition for the children of appointees or employees of the govern-
6 ing body in charge of such lands the executive council shall deduct
7 such amount from the amount certified to it as provided in this act.

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