

## CHAPTER 328

## GOVERNMENTAL REORGANIZATION STUDY COMMITTEE

H. J. R. 9

A JOINT RESOLUTION creating a special research and study committee for the purpose of analyzing the report of the governmental reorganization commission of 1950 and drafting proposed legislation implementing this report, and to make an appropriation therefor.

WHEREAS, the Iowa governmental reorganization commission of 1950 has examined and recommended changes in all state agencies for the purpose of reducing expenditures and promoting economies, increasing governmental efficiency, eliminating duplication of efforts on the part of existing agencies, and

WHEREAS, such recommendations should be studied and legislation should be drafted and proposed to carry out such recommendations not in piecemeal fashion but in a manner that will give consideration to a complete revision to accomplish the purposes hereinbefore set out, now therefore,

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

1 SECTION 1. That a special committee is hereby created to study  
2 and to draft proposed legislation recommended by the Iowa govern-  
3 mental reorganization commission of 1950. Said committee shall be  
4 composed of six (6) members, three (3) of whom shall be appointed  
5 by the speaker of the house of representatives and three (3) of whom  
6 shall be appointed by the president of the senate.

1 SEC. 2. The committee shall have full power and authority to  
2 study, inquire into and examine all pertinent matters relating to the  
3 recommendations made by the Iowa governmental reorganization  
4 commission of 1950, and to draft proposed legislation that will effect  
5 the recommended changes and revisions.

1 SEC. 3. The committee shall choose a chairman from its members  
2 and shall adopt rules for conduct of its proceedings. The committee  
3 is hereby authorized to employ a secretary or such other aides and  
4 employees as are necessary in connection with the business of the  
5 committee. The committee is also authorized to employ such expert  
6 assistance as may be deemed necessary to assist the committee.

7 The committee shall have the power to fix the compensation of its  
8 secretary and other aides and employees, and shall, if necessary, be  
9 provided suitable office space for the conduct of its studies by the  
10 state executive council.

11 The committee shall have access to all public records and be given  
12 the cooperation of all public officials and shall generally have all the  
13 power of any legislative committee. The committee may be divided  
14 into sub-committees of one or more members, and any such sub-com-  
15 mittee shall have the power to hold meetings.

1 SEC. 4. Vacancies in the committee shall be filled under the same  
2 authority and restrictions as the original appointment. Members of  
3 the committee shall receive compensation for actual and necessary  
4 expenses incurred by them in the actual discharge of their duties.

1 SEC. 5. The committee shall enter into its duties as soon as the  
2 membership has been appointed and shall submit its proposed legisla-  
3 tion to any regular or special session of the general assembly of Iowa.

1 SEC. 6. There is hereby appropriated from the general fund of  
2 the state not otherwise appropriated, the sum of five thousand dollars  
3 (\$5,000.00), or so much thereof as may be necessary to carry out the  
4 purposes of this Act. The compensation of employees and expenses  
5 of said committee shall be paid out of the general fund of the state  
6 on vouchers to be approved by the chairman or secretary of the com-  
7 mittee and audited according to law.

1 SEC. 7. This Act being deemed of immediate importance shall be  
2 in full force and effect from and after its passage and publication in  
3 the What Cheer Patriot-Chronicle, a newspaper published at What  
4 Cheer, Iowa, and The Pella Chronicle, a newspaper published at  
5 Pella, Iowa.

Approved May 24, 1955.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Act, House Joint Resolution 9, was published in the What Cheer Patriot-Chronicle, What Cheer, Iowa, June 2, 1955, and in The Pella Chronicle, Pella, Iowa, June 2, 1955.

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## CHAPTER 329

### JUVENILE HOME SEWAGE DISPOSAL

H. J. R. 16

A JOINT RESOLUTION to authorize the board of control of state institutions to cooperate with the city of Toledo, Iowa, in financing the construction of and participating in the maintenance of a sewage disposal plant for the joint use of the city of Toledo and the state juvenile home located in said city and to make appropriation therefor.

WHEREAS, the board of control of state institutions has contemplated the construction of a sewage disposal plant to serve the state juvenile home at Toledo, Iowa; and

WHEREAS, the board of control of state institutions and the city council of said city of Toledo propose to institute proceedings for the construction of a sewage disposal plant, and it appears that the interests of the state juvenile home and the people of the city of Toledo would best be served by providing for the joint use by said state juvenile home and the city of Toledo of said sewage disposal plant; and

WHEREAS, an agreement has been entered into between the board of control and the city council of the city of Toledo that a fair pro rata share of the expense of the construction of said sewage disposal plant to be assumed by the board of control would be fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000) and that a fair share of the annual maintenance cost of said sewage disposal plant to be assumed by the board of control would be equal to one dollar (\$1.00) per capita of the total number of residents of said state juvenile home with a minimum share of said annual maintenance cost to be not less than two hundred dollars (\$200); now therefore,