

1 SEC. 7. Section four hundred sixty-four point four (464.4), Code
 2 1954, is hereby amended by striking all after the word "petition" in
 3 line twenty-five (25) and adding in lieu thereof the following:
 4 "and a copy of such notice shall also be sent by ordinary mail to
 5 his last known address unless there is on file an affidavit of one of
 6 the petitioners or his attorney stating that no mailing address is
 7 known and that diligent inquiry has been made to ascertain it. Such
 8 copy of notice shall be mailed not less than twenty (20) days prior
 9 to the date set for hearing. Proof of publication and mailing shall
 10 be by affidavit and shall be included in the records of the proceedings."

Approved April 26, 1957.

CHAPTER 220

DRAINAGE DISTRICT IMPROVEMENTS

H. F. 476

AN ACT to amend section four hundred fifty-five point forty-five (455.45), Code 1954, relating to time for appointment of commissioners to assess benefits and classify the lands affected by a drainage district improvement.

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

1 SECTION 1. Section four hundred fifty-five point forty-five
 2 (455.45), Code 1954, is hereby amended by inserting after the comma
 3 (,) following the word, "district" in line nine (9) the following: "or
 4 a plan of the United States Government for original construction of
 5 the improvements in such district has been heretofore or hereafter
 6 adopted by such district under the provisions of sections four hun-
 7 dred fifty-five point two hundred one (455.201) to four hundred fifty-
 8 five point two hundred sixteen (455.216), inclusive, of the Code,".

1 SEC. 2. This Act being deemed of immediate importance shall take
 2 effect and be in force and effect from and after its publication in the
 3 Onawa Sentinel, a newspaper published at Onawa, Iowa, and the Dun-
 4 lap Reporter, a newspaper published at Dunlap, Iowa.

Approved April 26, 1957.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Act, House File 476, was published in the Onawa Sentinel, Onawa, Iowa, May 9, 1957, and in the Dunlap Reporter, Dunlap, Iowa, May 2, 1957.

MELVIN D. SYNHORST, *Secretary of State.*

CHAPTER 221

DRAINAGE AND LEVEE ASSESSMENTS

H. F. 117

AN ACT to provide for the payment of drainage and levee assessments on certain state-owned lands.

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

1 SECTION 1. Chapter four hundred fifty-five (455), Code 1954, is
 2 amended by adding the following new section: