

## CHAPTER 1136

## STUART LEGALIZING ACT

H. F. 1075

AN ACT to legalize and validate the proceedings of the town council of the town of Stuart, in the counties of Adair and Guthrie, state of Iowa, in connection with the award of a contract for the construction of a project designated as the "1971 Stuart, Iowa, sanitary sewer improvement project".

WHEREAS, it appears from the records of the Town Council of the Town of Stuart, in the Counties of Adair and Guthrie, State of Iowa, that at a meeting held in and for said Town on October 11, 1971, said Town Council received bids for the construction of the "1971 Stuart, Iowa, Sanitary Sewer Improvement Project", and after tabulation of all bids and receipt of the Consulting Engineer's recommendation awarded contract to Buchan Construction Co., Inc., of Perry, Iowa, by resolution adopted October 11, 1971; and

WHEREAS, it appears from the record that publication of the Notice of Hearing and Letting was made as required by Chapters 23 and 391A, Code of Iowa, 1971, as amended, in The Stuart Herald, except the newspaper inadvertently omitted the second publication of said notice; and

WHEREAS, it further appears that notice of the plans and specifications was directed to all firms reasonably expected to bid and bids were in fact received from four contractors; and

WHEREAS, it appears that a competitive letting was held as contemplated by law and a favorable bid received so that it is deemed advisable that all doubts with respect to the validity thereof and all others that might arise concerning the same should be put to rest; NOW, THEREFORE,

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

1 SECTION 1. That the proceedings heretofore taken by the Town  
2 Council of the Town of Stuart, Iowa, preliminary to and in connection  
3 with the aforesaid contract awarded to Buchan Construction Co., Inc.,  
4 of Perry, Iowa, by resolution adopted on October 11, 1971, are hereby  
5 legalized, validated and confirmed and the aforesaid contract shall  
6 constitute a valid and binding obligation of said Town.

1 SEC. 2. This Act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall  
2 take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Adair  
3 County Free Press, a newspaper published in Greenfield, Iowa, and  
4 in the Guthrie Center Times, a newspaper published in Guthrie Center,  
5 Iowa, without expense to the state.

Approved March 24, 1972.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Act, House File 1075, was published in the Adair County Free Press, Greenfield, Iowa, April 12, 1972, and in the Guthrie Center Times, Guthrie Center, Iowa, April 12, 1972.

MELVIN D. SYNHORST, *Secretary of State.*