

7 placed under the supervision of a juvenile probation office may make
8 application for a high school equivalency diploma and upon successful
9 completion of the program receive a high school equivalency diploma.

1 SEC. 4. Section two hundred fifty-nine A point three (259A.3),
2 Code 1975, is amended to read as follows:

3 **259A.3 Notice and fee.** Any applicant who has achieved the min-
4 imum passing standards as established by the state superintendent de-
5 partment, and approved by the state board, shall be notified in
6 writing, and issued a high school equivalency diploma by the depart-
7 ment upon payment of an additional five dollars the state superinten-
8 dent shall issue a high school equivalency certificate.

1 SEC. 5. Section two hundred fifty-nine A point four (259A.4), Code
2 1975, is amended to read as follows:

3 **259A.4 Use of fees.** The fees collected by the state superinten-
4 dent from applicants under the provisions of this chapter shall be
5 used for the expenses incurred in administering, providing test materi-
6 als, scoring of examinations and issuance of certificates high school
7 equivalency diplomas, and shall be disbursed on the authorization of
8 the state superintendent of* public instruction. The treasurer of state
9 shall be custodian of the funds paid to the state superintendent de-
10 partment and shall disburse the same on vouchers audited as provided
11 by law. The unobligated balance in such funds at the close of each
12 biennium shall be placed in the general fund of the state.

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*According to enrolled Act

CHAPTER 155

SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF

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AN ACT relating to the requirement for admission to the school for the deaf.

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

1 SECTION 1. Section two hundred seventy point three (270.3), Code
2 1975, is amended to read as follows:

3 **270.3 Admission.** Every Any resident of the state who is not less
4 than five nor more than twenty-one years of age, who is deaf and
5 dumb, or so deaf as to be unable to acquire an education in the com-
6 mon schools, and every such person who is over twenty-one and under
7 thirty-five years of age who has the consent of the state board of re-
8 gents, shall be entitled to receive an education in the institution at the
9 expense of the state has a hearing loss which is too severe to acquire
10 an education in the public schools is eligible to attend the school for
11 the deaf. Nonresidents similarly situated may be entitled admitted to
12 an education therein upon such terms as may be fixed by the state
13 board of regents. Nonresidents who are both deaf and blind shall be
14 considered as nonresidents, for the purposes of this chapter, when less
15 than two years residence has been completed by the applicants for ad-
16 mission. The fee for nonresidents shall be not less than the average ex-
17 pense of resident pupils and shall be paid in advance.

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