

CHAPTER 1058
PAYMENT OF EXPENSES OF MERGED AREAS
S.F. 2068

AN ACT relating to payment of expenses by boards of directors of merged areas.

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

Section 1. Chapter 280A, Code 1981, is amended by adding the following new section:

NEW SECTION. PAYMENT OF EXPENSES. The board of directors of a merged area shall audit and allow all just claims against the area school and an order shall not be drawn upon the treasury until the claim has been audited and allowed. However, the board of directors, by resolution, may authorize the secretary of the board, when the board is not in session, to issue payments for salaries pursuant to the terms of a written contract and to issue payments upon the receipt of verification filed with the secretary for expenses for freight; drayage; express; postage; printing; utilities including electricity, water, waste collection, heating, air conditioning, telephone, and telegraph charges; expenses involving auxiliary, agency, and scholarship and loan accounts; and refunds to students for tuition and fees. The secretary shall either deliver in person or mail the payments to the payees. A payment shall be made payable only to the person performing the service or furnishing the supplies for which the payment is issued. Payments issued prior to audit and allowance by the board shall be allowed by the board at the first meeting held after the issuance and shall be entered in the minutes of the meeting.

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