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Board of Education

Private Acts of 1931 Chapter 261

SECTION 1. That the County Board of Education in all counties of the State having a population of not less than 26,122 and not more than 26,142, by the Federal Census of 1930, or any subsequent Federal Census, be and the same is hereby authorized and empowered to borrow money and to issue the note or notes of the County Board of Education for a period of time not greater than one year, and at a rate of interest not greater than six per cent per annum, for the purpose of obtaining money with which to pay the salaries of teachers and the necessary operating expenses of the Elementary and High Schools until county taxes for the previous year are collected, and until the State Apportionments and Equalization Funds for schools for the current year are received. The note or notes for said loan or loans shall be repaid out of funds collected by the County Trustee for school purposes; *provided*, that no money can be borrowed for elementary school purposes and repaid out of high school funds and that no money can be borrowed for high school purposes and repaid out of elementary school funds, and *provided further* that the money borrowed for the operation of high school [sic] or elementary schools during any school year must be repaid out of funds collected for the operation of schools for that year, and it shall be unlawful for the County Board of Education to borrow any money in excess of the funds to be collected for the operation of said schools for any one year. The loan or loans obtained for the benefit of the elementary schools shall not exceed \$60,000.00 for any one year, and the loan or loans obtained for the benefit of high schools shall not exceed \$30,000.00 for any one year.

SECTION 2. That loans heretofore obtained by said County Board of Education in counties, aforesaid, and notes or warrants executed by said County Board of Education, in counties, aforesaid, are hereby validated to the extent of not exceeding \$10,000.00 for the benefit of elementary schools, and \$10,000.00 for the benefit of high schools.

SECTION 3. That all laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act be and the same are hereby repealed.

SECTION 4. That this Act take effect from and after its passage, the public welfare requiring it.

Passed: March 21, 1931.

Private Acts of 1929 (Extra Session) Chapter 14

SECTION 1. That in all Counties having a population of not less than 24,355, nor more than 24,375 of [sic] the Federal Census of 1920, and any subsequent Federal Census, all elementary schools, rural, city and special school districts shall be under the direct supervision, management and control of the County Board of Education. That said County Board of Education is hereby authorized and empowered to employ all teachers in each and all elementary schools in said counties, to which this Act applies, to fix salaries and disburse all school funds arising from both State and County school funds on the basis as now fixed by law for the pro-rata [sic] of school funds, and that said disbursement shall include all equalization funds coming from the State.

SECTION 2. That all laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act be, and the same are hereby repealed.

SECTION 3. That this Act take effect from and after its passage, the public welfare requiring it.

Passed: December 9, 1929.

COMPILER'S NOTE: This act possibly was abrogated by the provisions of Section 10 of Private Acts of 1949, Chapter 169, which vested the Board of School Commissioners with exclusive supervision and control over all public schools in the county "excluding, however, schools located within Special School Districts," although Section 10 also granted the Board of School Commissioners control over "all public school properties . . . within the control of the school authorities of such counties, or any Board of Education thereof . . ." However, the repeal of the 1949 act by Private Acts of 1951, Chapter 2, may have revived the 1929 act.

Private Acts of 1925 Chapter 776

SECTION 1. That in all counties having a population of not less than 24,355 and not more than 24,375, the County Board of Education is empowered and authorized to contract with the District Board of

Education of any Special School District in said county having a Special School District for the management and control of the school or schools in said Special School District for the benefit of said school or schools in said special school district in any matter pertaining to the management, control and employment of teachers for said Special School District.

SECTION 2. That all laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act, be, and the same are hereby repealed, and this Act take effect from and after its passage, the public welfare requiring it.

Passed: April 3, 1925.

COMPILER'S NOTE: General law provisions dealing with contracts between county boards of education and special school district boards for the operation of special district schools are found in T.C.A. Title 49, Chapter 2, Part 11.

Private Acts of 1967-68 Chapter 263

SECTION 1. The members of the Board of Education for Carroll County shall be elected at the expirations of the present terms of office and from time to time thereafter by the registered voters at the County General Election in accordance with all the terms and provisions of *Tennessee Code Annotated*, Section 49-208 and Chapter 262 of the *Public Laws of 1961*, except as to election by the County Court.

SECTION 2. The present members shall hold office in their respective terms, and after the expiration of said terms until their successors may be elected and qualified as herein provided.

SECTION 3. This Act shall have no effect unless it is approved by a majority of the voters voting in a special election to be called for the approval or non-approval of this Act, and the Board of Election Commissioners for Carroll County shall call and hold said election within six (6) months after final legislative action on this Act in accordance with the general election laws and shall certify the approval or non-approval by the voters to the Secretary of State within thirty (30) days of said election.

SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

Passed: May 18, 1967.

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