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# Superintendent or Director of Schools

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## Private Acts of 1949 Chapter 158

**SECTION 1.** That in counties of this State having a population of not less than 14,100, nor more than 14,200, by the Federal Census of 1940, or any subsequent Federal Census, beginning at the August election, 1952, County Superintendents of Education shall be elected by a popular vote of the qualified voters of said counties and such official shall take office upon September 1 next following his election. His term of office shall be four years and until his successor shall be elected and qualified. Quadrennially thereafter, elections shall be held for such position. Qualifications, duties and salary of such official shall be as now provided and fixed by general law.

**SECTION 2.** That this Act shall take effect from and after its passage, the public welfare requiring the same, but the first election to be held hereunder shall not occur until the first Thursday in August, 1952, and the first incumbent elected under this Act shall not take office until September 1, 1952.

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