

upon compliance with the provisions of Minnesota Statutes, Section 645.021.

Approved May 16, 1967.

CHAPTER 473—H. F. No. 1299

[Not Coded]

An act relating to the Ramsey county welfare board; providing for certain payments to the city of Saint Paul for prosecuting violations of laws.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

Section 1. **Ramsey county; welfare board; costs of prosecutions.** The Ramsey county welfare board may pay from moneys available to it such sums as it deems reasonable to the corporation counsel of the city of Saint Paul to defray the expenses of prosecuting violations of the laws relating to nonsupport and welfare which are within the corporation counsel's jurisdiction.

Sec. 2. Any sums appropriated hereunder by the Ramsey county welfare board may be expended for their intended purpose by the corporation counsel notwithstanding they may exceed the limit of expenditures in Charter fund 3 fixed in the 1967 budget of the city of Saint Paul.

Sec. 3. This act shall become effective only after its approval by a majority of the governing bodies of the county of Ramsey and the city of Saint Paul and upon compliance with the provisions of Minnesota Statutes, Section 645.021.

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CHAPTER 474—H. F. No. 1428

An act relating to education; the county nonresident tuition tax, and the holding in escrow of the proceeds of the tax pending classification of a secondary school; amending Minnesota Statutes 1965, Section 124.51, Subdivision 4.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

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Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1965, Section 124.51, Subdivision 4, is amended to read:

Subd. 4. County nonresident tuition tax. The county board in the county which pays such tuition, at its July meeting *shall determine the total sum to be paid on account of such tuition* for the current school year in excess of the aid to be received from the state on account thereof, and shall levy a tax for such sum sufficient to pay such tuition, and the county auditor shall spread such tax on the property in the districts of the county which maintains no classified secondary school in the manner provided by law for spreading other taxes therein and such taxes shall be collected in the same manner as other taxes on property are collected. When collected such taxes shall be credited to the county school tax fund which is hereby created. In the event that the tax levy in any year is insufficient with state aid to reimburse the county for its expenditures for tuition in that year, the county auditor shall extend a separate tax in any subsequent year against the same area to make up the deficit. The proceeds of such tax shall be retained by the county.

Where a secondary school is created by a district and classification of the school is pending before the state board, any such taxes collected on the property in the district shall be held in escrow until such time as the state board approves or disapproves the classification. If the classification is approved the proceeds of such tax so held shall thereupon be paid to the district, and if not so approved the proceeds shall be credited to the county school tax fund.

When the tax rate required to produce the amount levied for county tuition in any county in any year exceeds by 50 percent the average rate of the tax levied for such purposes in all counties of the state, which average rate shall be determined by dividing the total amount of taxes levied for the current school year only by all counties for such purposes by the total taxable valuation of all property in all counties of the state against which taxes were imposed for such purposes by such counties in such year, then one-half of the amount of any excess over 150 percent of the amount which would be produced by a levy of such state rate upon the total taxable valuation of all property in such county against which a tax for such purposes was levied shall be paid to such county from the appropriation for this item, and if such appropriation is insufficient to pay the full amounts due all counties, entitled to such payments, then they shall be paid their pro rata share of such appropriation.

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