

thereof, the same to be paid as other payments of compensation are paid. In case deposit is or has been made under the provisions of clause (1) of this section, and dependency later is shown, or if deposit is or has been made pursuant to either clause (1) or (2) hereof by mistake or inadvertence, or under such circumstances that justice requires a refund thereof, the state treasurer is hereby authorized to refund such deposit upon order of the industrial commission.

Approved March 13, 1947.

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CHAPTER 91—H. F. No. 582

[Coded as sections 247.11 to 247.17]

*An act relating to the location and establishment of an institution at the City of Owatonna, Minnesota, to provide academic education and training for feeble-minded persons; and providing for the abolishment of the State Public School for Dependent and Neglected Children at Owatonna and transferring certain duties of the superintendent of said school to the director of social welfare; and repealing Minnesota Statutes 1945, Chapter 247.*

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

[247.11] **Section 1. Owatonna State School created.** There is hereby located and established at the City of Owatonna, County of Steele, State of Minnesota, the Owatonna State School.

[247.12] **Sec. 2. Successor to state public school for dependent and neglected children.** All lands, buildings, property and funds heretofore acquired and held for the State Public School for Dependent and Neglected Children at the City of Owatonna, County of Steele, State of Minnesota, shall be transferred to the Owatonna State School and shall be subject to the same control and management as the property and funds set apart for and used for the support and maintenance of the Owatonna State School, as provided in Section 1.

[247.13] **Sec. 3. Control and management; manner of commitment.** The Owatonna State School shall be under the control and management of the director of the division of public institutions, and all laws pertaining to the commitment of the feeble-minded and the School for Feeble-minded at Faribault shall apply insofar as they are applicable.

[247.14] **Sec. 4. Vocational training for feeble-minded persons.** The Owatonna State School shall be used as the state institution to provide academic education and vocational training for all those feeble-minded persons who may through such education and training be prepared for return to society as self-supporting individuals.

[247.15] **Sec. 5. Selection of trainees.** The director of the division of public institutions shall provide for admission to the Owatonna State School of all those persons committed as feeble-minded who, in his opinion, may benefit from academic education and vocational training and through such education and training be prepared for return to society as self-supporting individuals. When it has been determined by the superintendent that any individual admitted to the Owatonna State School will no longer profit by a continuation of residence there, he shall be removed by the director of the division of public institutions and placed where he may be more adequately cared and provided for.

[247.16] **Sec. 6. Superintendent, appointment of.** The director of the division of public institutions shall appoint a superintendent at the Owatonna State School and fix the compensation for his services.

[247.17] **Sec. 7. Duties imposed upon director of social welfare.** All the powers and duties of the superintendent of the State Public School for Dependent and Neglected Children at Owatonna with reference to children committed to said school prior to July 1, 1947, are hereby transferred to, vested in, and imposed upon the director of social welfare.

**Sec. 8. Repeal of sections 247.01 to 247.10.** Minnesota Statutes 1945, Chapter 247, is hereby repealed.

**Sec. 9. Effective date.** This act shall take effect and be in force from and after July 1, 1947.

Approved March 13, 1947.

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#### CHAPTER 92—H. F. 792

*An act relating to destruction of Income Tax returns; amending Minnesota Statutes 1945, Section 290.91.*

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