not more than \$21,000,000, the annual salary of the judge of probate shall be \$4,500 plus the fees accruing to and collected through said office.

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CHAPTER 452—H. F. No. 1534 [Not Coded]

An act to legalize proceedings in certain school districts for the issuance of bonds to construct a school building.

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

Section 1. Certain independent school districts: bond issue authorized and legalized. In all cases where an independent school district having real and personal property with an assessed value for purposes of taxation less than \$450,000, a population less than 2,500, and an area of more than 4,000 acres and which has not constructed a new school building for school purposes within the last 40 years, but which had prior to 1942 issued bonds for the construction of a school building which was not constructed due to war conditions and where, because of increased costs it has become necessary to provide additional funds in order to furnish adequate school facilities and wherein the school board has by resolution duly adopted, determined and recited the above facts and that it is necessary in order to comply with the requirements of the State Board of Education that additional adequate school facilities be constructed and that the construction of such school building will necessitate the issuance of bonds in an amount in excess of the limit of indebtedness in Minnesota Statutes 1945, Section 475.23, all such proceedings are hereby legalized and validated and the school board is authorized to issue bonds in accordance with the provisions of Minnesota Statutes 1945, Chapter 475, but in excess of the limit of indebtedness provided in Section 475.23, provided that no bonds shall be issued hereunder unless the issue shall have been approved by a majority vote of the electors of the district voting on the question.

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