

for the payment of employees' pensions as such pensions may be authorized by law. Such independent school district, which is a successor to a special school district, shall assume all financial obligations incurred by or for the special school district, outstanding on the date such independent district comes into existence. In computing the statutory limitation upon such a city to contract public indebtedness, the obligation of a school district imposed in this subdivision shall be deducted from the obligation of the city.

[122.67] Sec. 11. **Bonding provisions.** In Class 1 special school districts converted into independent school districts, the school board, by a majority vote thereof, may issue and sell not to exceed \$1,000,000 par value bonds of such district in each calendar year. The proceeds of the sale of such bonds shall be used only for the rehabilitating, remodeling, expanding and equipping of existing school buildings or for the acquisition of sites, construction and equipping of new school buildings. The provisions of this section shall apply to the issuance and sale of such bonds and to the purposes for which the same may be issued notwithstanding any provision to the contrary in any other existing law or city charter relating thereto; and no provision of any law of Minnesota enacted in 1949 or thereafter shall be construed as inconsistent or as repealing the provisions of this section unless such subsequent law shall specifically provide that the provisions of this section shall be superseded, modified, amended or repealed.

Sec. 12. **Effective date.** This act shall take effect on July 1, 1949, except for the provisions of Subd. 2 and 3 of Section 1 as to which it shall be effective on passage.

Approved April 25, 1949.

CHAPTER 717—S. F. No. 1198

[Not Coded]

An act relating to reimbursement aid to rural school districts for the transportation of high school pupils and appropriating money therefor.

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

Section 1. Certain school districts reimbursed for transportation costs. The state board of education is hereby authorized to grant reimbursement aid for the transportation of high school pupils during the school year 1945-46 to rural school districts which failed to submit applications for transportation reimbursement aid under the provisions of Laws 1945, Chapter 610, Section 6, Subdivision 2, in sufficient time to be included with the regular distribution of such aids. Such reimbursement aid shall be prorated on the same basis as the high school transportation reimbursement aid was paid to the eligible schools for such year.

Sec. 2. Transfer from income tax funds to state board of education. The sum of \$25,000 is hereby appropriated out of the funds transferred from the income tax school fund to be distributed by the state board of education to make adjustments as provided by Section 1 of this act.

Approved April 25, 1949.

CHAPTER 718—S. F. No. 1216

[Not Coded]

An act to appropriate money for the conservation and development of the state's natural resources; for maintenance and improvement of State Soldiers' Home; for maintenance of Minnesota Department, G. A. R.; for maintenance Minnesota Historical Society; for county and district agricultural societies; for various stockbreeders', dairymen's, horticultural and poultry associations and societies; for sheriff's per diem and mileage in certain cases; for vessel tonnage tax; for maintenance of Sibley House; for maintenance of various semi-state activities; for aids to various local subdivisions of government and school districts; providing for appropriations to be made out of the game and fish department funds for wolf bounties and fox bounties; providing for transfers to the general revenue fund from other funds; and for other purposes.

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

Section 1. Semi state appropriations. The sums hereinafter named, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are