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CHAPTER 343

AN ACT to amend 39.01 (5), 39.03 (1) (h), 40.43 and 70.62 (1) of the statutes, relating to the jurisdiction of the county superintendent of schools.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. 39.01 (5) of the statutes is amended to read:

39.01 (5) Cities which have a city superintendent of schools *and the territory of any school districts that include a city or cities within their boundaries and operate both elementary and high school grades and employ a superintendent to supervise and manage its schools* shall form no part of the county superintendent's district, shall bear no part of the expense connected with the office of county superintendent of schools; and shall have no part in the determination of any question or matter connected with or arising out of said office, nor shall any elector or supervisor of such city have any voice therein. *This provision shall not apply to cities with a population of less than 700.*

SECTION 2. 39.03 (1) (h) of the statutes is amended to read:

39.03 (1) (h) Perform such services as the boards of education and superintendents of * * * *cities operating under the city school plan in ss. 40.50 to 40.60 and school districts * * * that include a city or cities within their boundaries and which employ a superintendent under the provisions of s. 40.43 may request on a contract basis.*

SECTION 3. 40.43 of the statutes is amended to read:

40.43 SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS. * * * *The board of education of a city operating its schools under the city school plan provided by ss. 40.50 to 40.60 and the school board of any school district that includes a city within its boundaries and operates both elementary and high school grades may employ for a period not longer than 3 years at a time, a superintendent to supervise and manage the schools under the direction of such employing board.*

SECTION 4. 70.62 (1) of the statutes is amended to read:

70.62 (1) The county board shall also, at such meeting, determine by resolution the amount of taxes to be levied in their county for the year, and also any taxes for post-war planning under s. 59.08 (53), and also the amount to be raised by tax in each town, village and city for the support of common schools for the ensuing year, in accordance with the provisions of s. 59.075; and by separate resolution adopted by majority of the members of the board not prohibited from voting thereon by s. 39.01, determine the amount of tax to be levied to pay the compensation and allowances of the county superintendents of schools and designate therein the * * * *territory exempt from taxation therefor.*

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