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## CHAPTER 570.

AN ACT to create 14.57 (23) and 20.21 (12) of the statutes, relating to state superintendent's power with reference to school lunch programs and to transportation, processing, warehousing and insuring of food products provided by the federal government and making an appropriation.

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

Section 1. 14.57 (23) of the statutes is created to read:

14.57 (23) School lunch program. The state superintendent is authorized to enter into contracts with school districts, municipalities, persons, companies or corporations providing for the operation and maintenance of school lunch programs, and for the distribution, transportation, warehousing, processing and insuring of food products provided by the federal government. The form and specifications of such contracts shall be determined by the state superintendent, and the funds received under the terms and conditions of such contracts shall be deposited within one week of receipt thereof in the state general fund. Amounts remaining unpaid for 60 days or more after they become payable under the terms of such contracts shall be deemed past due and shall be certified to the director of budget and accounts on October 1 of each year and included in the next apportionment of state special charges to local units of government as special charges against the school districts and municipalities charged therewith.

Section 2. 20.21 (12) of the statutes is created to read:

20.21 (12) All moneys deposited by the state superintendent as receipts from contracts made pursuant to section 14.57 (23) under which food products donated to the state of Wisconsin by the federal government are utilized, constitutes a revolving fund for the transportation, warehousing, processing and insuring of such food products. The director of budget and accounts is authorized to incumber this fund in excess of the fund balance at any time, the provisions of section 20.75 to the contrary notwithstanding, pending repayment to the state of Wisconsin by school districts and municipalities.

Approved July 6, 1951.