

may incorporate as Independent School Districts in the manner hereinafter provided, but such districts shall not embrace more than two hundred fifty (250) square miles of territory.

Section 2. That Section 14 of Chapter 77 Session Laws of Alaska 1935, is hereby amended by adding thereto at the end thereof, as follows:

Refunds
applicable to
Independent
School Districts.

Further provided: That all provisions in Sections 1331 to 1336 inclusive, Compiled Laws of Alaska 1933, requiring refunds of Territorial money to cities and incorporated school districts, and establishing procedures therefor, are hereby made applicable to Independent School Districts.

Emergency
clause.

Section 3. An emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act shall be in full force and effect immediately upon its passage and approval.

Approved March 29, 1946.

CHAPTER 8

AN ACT

[H. B. 43]

To provide minimum salaries for School Teachers and salary ranges within which refunds to School Districts will be made; and establishing an effective date.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the Territory of Alaska:

Section 1. The Territorial Board of Education and school boards of school districts in the Territory of

Alaska shall pay teachers, regularly qualified in accordance with the Rules and Regulations of the Territorial Board of Education and employed by them within the following salary ranges: For the First Division, Twenty-four hundred dollars (\$2,400.00) to Three thousand dollars (\$3,000.00); Third Division, Twenty-six hundred forty dollars (\$2,640.00) to Thirty-two hundred forty dollars (\$3,240.00); Second and Fourth Divisions, Twenty-eight hundred dollars (\$2,800.00) to Thirty-four hundred dollars (\$3,400.00).

Teachers salary scale by Divisions.

Section 2. The Territorial Board of Education and school boards of school districts in the Territory of Alaska shall pay superintendents, regularly qualified in accordance with the Rules and Regulations of the Territorial Board and employed by them within the following salary ranges: For the First Division, Three thousand dollars (\$3,000.00) to Four thousand dollars (\$4,000.00); Third Division, Thirty-three hundred dollars (\$3,300.00) to Forty-three hundred dollars (\$4,300.00); Second and Fourth Divisions, Thirty-five hundred dollars (\$3,500.00) to Forty-five hundred dollars (\$4,500.00).

Superintendents salary scale by Divisions.

Section 3. The Territorial Board of Education is hereby empowered to establish a salary schedule based on the training and experience of teachers and superintendents within the respective salary ranges for each Division as given in Sections 1 and 2.

Board to establish salary schedule.

Section 4. Refunds from the Territory to school districts shall be made at the rate now prescribed by law, and be made in the same manner; provided, however, that the refund allowed on each teacher or superintendent's salary shall be determined by the teacher's or superintendent's position upon the salary schedule as established by the Territorial Board of Education; and provided further, that no refunds shall be made to

Refunds to School Districts, how determined for salaries.

any school district in Alaska on any salary paid which is less than the minimum or on any amount which is in excess of the maximum established herein. Nothing in this act shall be construed as prohibiting the employment of a teacher or superintendent at a higher rate than the maximum wage scale specified in this act.

Qualifications of Superintendents and Teachers filed with Commissioner of Education.

Section 5. A statement of the qualifications of each teacher and superintendent employed by the Territorial Board of Education or by a school district shall be filed with the Commissioner of Education; such statement shall set forth the credits earned in college, normal school or university, and the number of years of teaching experience both in Alaska and elsewhere.

Maximum of teachers set by Board of Education.

Section 6. The maximum number of teachers for which any school district shall be entitled to reimbursement shall be determined by the Territorial Board of Education.

Section 7. Chapter 57, Session Laws of Alaska, 1939, as amended by Chapter 42, Session Laws of Alaska, 1943, is hereby repealed.

Section 8. This Act will become effective as of July 1, 1946.

Approved March 29, 1946.

CHAPTER 9

AN ACT

[S. B. 11]

Relating to the measure and recovery of compensation of injured employees in all businesses, occupations, work, employments and