the deficit shall be certified by the County Commissioners to the Superintendent of Public Instruction as a charge against the State School Equalization Fund, for the schools of such county. The apportionments from the State School Equalization Fund provided for in this section shall be made as follows: The Superintendent of Public Instruction shall at the time of making regular apportionments of the Current State School Fund during the following calendar year apportion to the County Treasurer of such county one-twelfth (1/12) the amount due for the schools of said county from the State School Equalization Fund. The County Treasurer shall immediately notify the County Superintendent of Schools of the amount received, and the County Superintendent shall apportion the special allotment to the school districts of his county at the same time and upon the same basis as is used to distribute the County School Funds.

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SEWER DISTRICTS—TAXES.
An Act relating to sewer districts; authorizing Boards of Sewer Commissioners to levy a tax on property; and amending section 41, chapter 210, Laws of 1941, as amended by section 14, chapter 140, Laws of 1945 (sec. 9425-50, Rem. Rev. Stat.; sec. 913-79, PPC).

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

SECTION 1. Section 41, chapter 210, Laws of 1941, as amended by section 14, chapter 140, Laws of 1945 (sec. 9425-50, Rem. Rev. Stat.; sec. 913-79, PPC) is amended to read as follows:

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Section 41. On or before the first day of October each year, the Board of Sewer Commissioners of each sewer district shall make and file with the Board of County Commissioners of the county containing such district, a statement and estimate in writing of the amount required for maintenance of the sewer system of said district for the ensuing fiscal year, and the Board of County Commissioners, shall on or before the first day of November next ensuing, levy an assessment for the amount of said estimate, or such amount as it shall deem advisable, upon the property within the district, chargeable therewith in the same proportion as the assessment to pay the original cost of construction of said sewerage system was levied. Or the Board of Sewer Commissioners are hereby authorized to levy, or cause to be levied, to carry out the purposes of this act, in addition to the levy mentioned in section 18 of this act, a general tax on all property located in said sewer district each year not to exceed three (3) mills on the assessed valuation of the property in such sewer district. Said taxes when so levied shall be certified to the proper county official for the collection of the same as other general taxes. When such money is collected it shall be placed in a separate fund and paid out on warrants of the County Auditor of the county in which the sewer district is situated and authorized by the Board of Sewer Commissioners for the purposes specified in this act.

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