

CHAPTER 31.

[H. B. 44.]

EDUCATION—SUPPORT OF SCHOOLS.

AN ACT relating to education; relating to the distribution from the State School Equalization Fund; repealing the provisions for a county school levy; amending section 5, subchapter 9, title III, chapter 97, Laws of 1909, as last amended by section 1, chapter 235, Laws of 1947; and repealing section 15, chapter 144, Laws of 1943.

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

SECTION 1. Section 5, subchapter 9, title III, chapter 97, Laws of 1909, as last amended by section 1, chapter 235, Laws of 1947, is hereby amended to read as follows: Amendment.

Section 5. In the manner and at the times hereinafter provided there shall be distributed out of the State School Equalization Fund to the County Treasurer of each county for the use and benefit of the several school districts of each such county a sum sufficient to produce ten cents per day's attendance determined in accordance with section 4 of this act. Distribution from State School Equalization Fund.

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 school fiscal year apportion to the County Treasurer of such county one-tenth the amount due for the schools of said county from the State School Equalization Fund. Amount. 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.

Repealing clause.

SEC. 2. Section 15, chapter 144, Laws of 1943, is hereby repealed.

Passed the House January 27, 1949.

Passed the Senate February 23, 1949.

Approved by the Governor March 4, 1949.

CHAPTER 32.

[H. B. 40.]

ALIEN SCHOOL TEACHERS.

AN ACT relating to education, restricting the right to teach in the public schools, providing for the issuance of permits to teach and amending section 1, chapter 38, Laws of 1919.

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

Amendment.

SECTION 1. Section 1, chapter 38, Laws of 1919, is amended to read as follows:

Right to teach in public schools restricted to citizens.

Section 1. No person, who is not a citizen of the United States of America, shall teach or be permitted or qualified to teach in the public schools in this state: *Provided, however,* That the Superintendent of Public Instruction may grant to an alien a permit to teach in the public schools of this state; providing such teacher has all the other qualifications required by law, has declared his or her intention of becoming a citizen of the United States of America, and that five years and six months have not expired since such declaration was made: *Provided further,* That the Superintendent of Public Instruction may grant to an alien teacher whose qualifications have been approved by the State Board of Education a temporary permit to teach as an exchange teacher in the public schools of this state, irrespective of requirements respecting citizenship and oath of allegiance. Before such alien shall be granted a temporary permit he or she shall be required to subscribe to an oath or affirmation in writing that such alien applicant is not a member

Permits to aliens.

Permits to alien exchange teachers.

Oath or affirmation.