LEGISLATIVE BILL 525

Approved by the Governor May 19, 1971

Introduced by Pern Hubbard Orme, 29th District; Wayne W. Ziebarth, 37th District

AN ACT to amend section 79-325, Revised Statutes Supplement, 1969, relating to schools; to remove the fixed term of the Commissioner of Education; and to repeal the original section.

Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

Section 1. That section 79-325, Revised Statutes Supplement, 1969, be amended to read as follows:

79-325. The State Board of Education shall elect from its own membership a president and a vice president, and otherwise organize itself for the conduct of business. It shall then consider the appointment of a Commissioner of Education whose appointment shall be for-a--term--terminating-on-Pebruary-4-of--the--mext calendar--year--following-a--general-election at the pleasure of the board. During such term the commissioner may be removed from office for the causes set forth in subdivision (2) of section 79-328. The commissioner shall be the secretary of the board. The board shall reorganize itself each two years at its first meeting in the next calendar year following a general election. The board shall constitute a body corporate, to be known as the State Board of Education and as such it shall adopt and make use of a common seal and may receive, hold, and use money and real and personal property for the benefit of the school system of the state.

Sec. 2. That original section 79-325, Revised Statutes Supplement, 1969, is repealed.