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May 14, 1945

To J. A. Mossman, Finance Commisiener

Your memo of May 4th received, relating to the last sentence of paragraph 3 in Section 64 of Chapter 5 of the Revised Statutes. You also call my attention to Chapter 350 of the Public Laws of 1945, which repeals Section 196 of Chapter 37, which sets up the State School Fund.

I will say that Chapter 350 is not effective until July 21st. It is my opinion that it was the intent of the legislature that there would be no State School Fund after the provisions of Chapter 350 of the Public Laws of 1945 became effective. After that it would be proper to credit revenue from these poll taxes to the General Fund. However, it is my suggestion that Section 64 of Chapter 5 be amended to conform with Chapter 350 of the Public Laws of 1945.

Ralph W. Farris
Attorney General

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