

SECTION 2. Powers and duties.—The advisory board of trustees shall consult with and advise the principal on the annual budgetary request, election of teachers and other employees, studies and textbooks to be used in the schools, rules and regulations for the government of the school, administration of the lunchroom program, and upon the principal's request on any other administrative problems of the school.

SECTION 3. Time effective.—This act shall take effect upon approval by the Governor.

Approved the 12th day of March, 1962.

(R825, H2339)

No. 743

An Act To Create The Greenville County Commission For Technical Education And To Define Its Functions.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of South Carolina:

SECTION 1. Findings of General Assembly.—The General Assembly finds that by Section 23 of Act 323 of the Acts of 1961, a program looking to the establishment of adequate vocational and technical educational facilities in the State, intended to coordinate with the industrial expansion of South Carolina, was instituted on a basis requiring cooperation between the State agency therein created and counties or areas within the State. It is specifically required therein that in order for any county or area to comply with the program and thus to receive the benefits of the program, it must make available, and operate adequate facilities, and at the same time provide for adequate local supervision. The General Assembly further finds that there is an immediate need for the institution of the program in Greenville County wherein the continued expansion of industrial activity has created an unusual need for persons with technical training, and that the furtherance of vocational and technical education in Greenville County should be promptly advanced. It has, therefore, determined to establish for Greenville County a commission to be known as the "Greenville County Commission for Technical Education" as an administrative agency of Greenville County, and to prescribe for the Commission its functions.

SECTION 2. Greenville County Commission for Technical Education created — appointments — terms — vacancies.—There

is hereby created, as an administrative agency of Greenville County a commission, to be known as the "Greenville County Commission for Technical Education" (hereinafter referred to as the "Commission"), which shall consist of nine qualified registered electors of Greenville County. All appointments to office of the Commission shall be made by the Governor, upon the recommendation of a majority of the legislative delegation, including the Senator, from Greenville County. Of those first appointed, three shall have a term of one year, three shall have a term of two years, and three shall have a term of three years. Upon the expiration of the terms of office of those first appointed, successors shall be appointed for terms of three years in the same manner as those originally appointed. If any vacancy shall arise, a successor shall be appointed by the Governor for the balance of the unexpired term in the same manner as the original appointments were made. The members of the Commission shall hold office until their successors shall have been appointed and shall qualify. All terms of office shall terminate on the appropriate anniversary of the effective date of this act, notwithstanding that a delay in making appointments shall lessen the duration of the terms of office. As soon as the initial appointments have been made, the Commission shall organize by electing one of its members as Chairman, another as Vice Chairman, and a third as Secretary. A transcript of the record of the initial organization shall be filed with the Clerk of Court of Greenville County in order to reflect the initial membership of the Commission and those who shall become its officers.

SECTION 3. Powers and duties.—The Commission is hereby authorized and empowered to do all things necessary or convenient to promote the objects of the program instituted by Section 23 of Act 323 of 1961, and without in any way limiting the generality of the foregoing, shall be empowered as follows:

- (1) To adopt and use a corporate seal.
- (2) To adopt such bylaws, rules and regulations for the conduct of business and the expenditure of its funds as it may deem advisable.
- (3) To acquire a site within Greenville County and to construct and equip thereon appropriate facilities in accordance with the standards and specifications promulgated by the State Advisory Committee established by Section 23 of Act 323 of 1961.

(4) To acquire by gift, or purchase, or otherwise, all kinds and descriptions of real and personal property.

(5) To accept gifts, grants, donations, devises and bequests.

(6) To provide appropriate supervision of the maintenance of any facility established to promote vocational or technical education.

(7) To provide the necessary administrative services required by the State program.

(8) To employ such personnel as may be necessary to enable the Commission to fulfill its functions.

(9) To establish, promulgate and enforce reasonable rules and regulations, in conjunction with those promulgated by the State agency, for the operation of its facilities.

(10) To operate its affairs on a fiscal year coinciding with that of Greenville County.

(11) To expend any funds received in any manner, including the proceeds derived from any bonds issued by Greenville County to defray any costs incident to the establishment of adequate facilities for the program, and thereafter to expend such funds for the operation, maintenance and improvement of the facilities.

(12) To apply for, receive, and expend moneys from all governmental agencies, both State and Federal.

(13) To exercise all powers contemplated for local agencies by Section 23 of Act 323 of 1961, and all other laws modifying, amending or implementing it.

SECTION 4. Records and audit.—The Commission shall at all times keep full and accurate account of its acts and of its receipts and expenditures, and at least once within four months, following the close of its fiscal year, a complete audit of its affairs shall be made by a qualified public accountant. Copies of the audit shall be filed with the Clerk of Court for Greenville County and with the Secretary of the Greenville County Legislative Delegation.

SECTION 5. Reports.—Not less frequently than annually the Commission shall make a written report of the activities of the Commission and file a copy with the Secretary of the Greenville County Legislative Delegation.

SECTION 6. Time effective.—This act shall take effect upon approval by the Governor.

Approved the 12th day of March, 1962.