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July 30, 1951 (OPINION)

INSTITUTIONS

RE: Soldiers Home - Disbursing of Funds

We have your letter of July 19, 1951, requesting an opinion as to the method of disbursing appropriations made by the 1951 Legislature for the support and maintenance of the Soldiers Home.

We call your attention to section 37-1515 of the N.D.R.C., 1943 pertaining to the disbursing of the moneys derived for the support and maintenance of the Soldiers Home. However, this section was repealed during the 1951 Session. We do not find that the Legislature enacted any law to take the place of section 37-1515 and it must be considered that the Legislature intended that moneys derived for the support and maintenance of the Soldiers Home should be disbursed and audited in the same manner as are funds for other state institutions.

You are familiar with the method used for disbursing funds to the institutions and we suggest that it is your duty to apply the same methods of disbursing funds in support and maintenance of the Soldiers Home.

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