

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

HOUSE BILL NO. 179

BY HEALTH AND WELFARE COMMITTEE

AN ACT

1 RELATING TO HOSPITALS; AMENDING CHAPTER 13, TITLE 39, IDAHO CODE, BY THE
2 ADDITION OF A NEW SECTION 39-1346B, IDAHO CODE, TO PROVIDE INVESTMENT
3 LIMITATIONS FOR HOSPITAL DISTRICT TREASURERS; AND AMENDING SECTION
4 31-3608, IDAHO CODE, TO PROVIDE INVESTMENT LIMITATIONS FOR COUNTY HOS-
5 PITAL BOARD TREASURERS.
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7 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Idaho:

8 SECTION 1. That Chapter 13, Title 39, Idaho Code, be, and the same is
9 hereby amended by the addition thereto of a NEW SECTION, to be known and des-
10 ignated as Section 39-1346B, Idaho Code, and to read as follows:

11 39-1346B. TREASURER OF HOSPITAL -- INVESTMENT LIMITATIONS. It shall
12 be the duty of the treasurer of a hospital district to invest idle moneys of
13 such hospital. Such investment of idle moneys shall be limited to invest-
14 ments that carry an A rating or better by a commonly known rating service and
15 that are authorized by the legislature for the state treasurer pursuant to
16 sections 67-1210 and 67-1210A, Idaho Code.

17 SECTION 2. That Section 31-3608, Idaho Code, be, and the same is hereby
18 amended to read as follows:

19 31-3608. OFFICERS OF BOARD. The county hospital board shall elect a
20 chairman, vice-chairman, a secretary and a treasurer. The chairman and
21 vice-chairman shall be members of the board. The secretary may be a member
22 of the board or otherwise, as the board may determine. The treasurer may be a
23 member of the board or otherwise, as the board may determine. The chairman
24 or vice-chairman shall preside at all meetings, call special meetings and
25 shall sign all minutes of the board when the same have been approved. The
26 chairman or vice-chairman, or such other members of the board as the board
27 may designate, shall be authorized by the board to approve disbursements of
28 funds in the custody of the hospital board.

29 The secretary shall receive such pay as the board may direct, and shall
30 keep the minutes of all meetings in a book provided for that purpose, and
31 shall sign the same when said minutes have been approved.

32 The treasurer shall have custody of the ~~moneys~~ moneys for which the hos-
33 pital board is responsible, and shall disburse the same only upon authoriza-
34 tion of the board. It shall be the duty of the treasurer to invest idle mon-
35 eys. Such investment of idle moneys shall be limited to investments that
36 carry an A rating or better by a commonly known rating service and that are
37 authorized by the legislature for the state treasurer pursuant to sections
38 67-1210 and 67-1210A, Idaho Code. The treasurer shall receive such pay for
39 services as the board may determine, and shall be required to file bond for

1 the faithful performance of his duties as treasurer in an amount at least
2 equal to the largest amount of money to come into his hands.