

CHAPTER 164.

AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE EXAMINATION AND COMMITMENT TO THE HOSPITAL FOR THE INSANE OF PERSONS HOLDING THE OFFICE OF JUDGE OF PROBATE, WHO MAY HAVE BECOME INSANE OR OTHERWISE UNFITTED THROUGH DERANGEMENT OF MIND TO PERFORM THE DUTIES OF SAID OFFICE, AND TO PROVIDE FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF A SUCCESSOR.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

SECTION 1. Whenever the probate judge of any county becomes or is considered insane, the judge of the district court for such county shall, upon the verified petition of five (5) legal voters thereof, proceed to examine into such alleged insanity, substantially in the manner and for the purpose prescribed in title three (3), chapter thirty-five (35), general statutes one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight (1878.) If on such examination such probate judge is found to be insane or incapacitated to act from mental derangement, the governor shall, on presentation of the certificate of such findings or authenticated copy thereof, declare the office of such probate judge vacant and appoint a suitable person to fill such vacancy as provided by law.

When the office of judge of probate may be declared vacant.

SEC. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

When act to take effect.

Approved March 7, 1885.

CHAPTER 165.

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE MINNESOTA HOSPITAL FOR INSANE TO SELL AND CONVEY REAL ESTATE.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

SECTION 1. That the board of trustees for the Minnesota hospital for insane, be and they are hereby authorized to contract for the sale of, sell and convey, for such price, or

Description of property to be sold.