

When special election has been held, no petition to be made for five years thereafter.

In any of the counties of this state where a special election has been held under this act for the change of the county seat, no notice of intention to circulate a petition for the change of a county seat, as provided for by this act, shall be published or posted, and no such petition shall be circulated, signed, presented or filed until after the expiration of a period of five (5) years from the date of such special election.

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

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## CHAPTER 112.

Convicts in state prison.

*An act to amend section six thousand four hundred and eighteen (6418) of the General Statutes of Minnesota for the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four (1894), relating to unauthorized communications with convicts in the state prison.*

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

Sec. 6418,  
G. S. 1894,  
amended.

SECTION 1. That section six thousand four hundred and eighteen (6418) of the General Statutes of eighteen hundred and ninety-four (1894) be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

Penalty for unauthorized communication with prisoners.

Sec. 6418. A person who, not being authorized by law, or by written permission from the board of managers, or by the consent of the warden of the prison or superintendent of the reformatory, has any verbal communication with a convict in the state prison or state reformatory, or brings into or conveys out of any state prison or reformatory any writing, clothing, food, tobacco, or any article whatsoever, to or from any convict under sentence in such prison or reformatory wherever such convict may be, is guilty of a misdemeanor.

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

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