

"Every manufacturer of a motor vehicle sold or offered for sale within this state, either by the manufacturer, distributor, dealer or any other person, shall, on or before the first day of *October* in each year, file in the office of the registrar a sworn statement showing the various models manufactured by him, and the retail list price, rated carrying capacity and manufacturer's shipping weight of each model being manufactured *October 1* of that year; and shall also file with the registrar, in such form as manufacturers usually use for advertising, complete specifications of the construction of each model that has been manufactured by him. Upon each change in such price, carrying capacity or weight and upon the manufacture of each new model thereafter, such manufacturer shall in like manner file a new statement setting forth such change. Models shall be deemed similar if substantially alike and of the same make. Models shall be deemed to be corresponding models, for the purpose of taxation under Section 3 of this act, if of the same make and having approximately the same weight and type of body and chassis and the same style and size of motor. The registrar may refuse to register any new or first hand vehicle in this state unless the manufacturer thereof has furnished to the registrar the sworn statement herein provided, for the model of the motor vehicle that is offered for registration. Such list price, rated carrying capacity and listed weight of the vehicle, as set forth in the manufacturer's statement shall be the price, weight or carrying capacity on which the tax of a motor vehicle shall be computed under section 3 of this act unless grossly at variance with fact. In all instances in which there have been added to a complete vehicle additional parts, equipment or accessories not included in the factory list price upon which the tax is computed in accordance with the requirements of section 3 of this act, the reasonable cost thereof, if amounting in the aggregate to more than \$50, shall be added to the list price upon which the tax is computed. Such added parts, equipment or accessories to the extent in value of \$50 shall be exempt from taxation. The registrar shall have authority to fix the value, carrying capacity and weight of any rebuilt or foreign car or any car on which a record of the list price, carrying capacity or weight is not available in his office."

Approved April 24, 1929.

CHAPTER 331—S. F. 945

An act to amend Section 5581, General Statutes 1923, relative to the use of explosives, drugs, poisons, lime, medicated bait, fish berries, or other deleterious substances, or by nets, traps, tipups,

trot lines, wire strings, ropes or cables, except where otherwise expressly provided for, defining certain offenses therein and penalties therefor, and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith.

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

Section 1. Use of explosives prohibited.—That Section 5581, General Statutes 1923, be and the same hereby is amended to read as follows:

“5581. Fish shall not be taken by means of explosives, drugs, poisons, lime, medicated bait, fish berries, or other deleterious substances, or by nets, traps, tipups, trot lines, wire strings, ropes or cables, except where otherwise expressly provided by this chapter. Possession of any of such substances or contrivances by any person on the waters, shores, or islands of this state, shall be presumptive evidence that the same are possessed for use in violation of this section. It shall be unlawful to have in possession fish nets, except minnow nets, landing nets and dip nets and all nets held in stock for sale by dealers, unless tagged and licensed by the game and fish commissioner. Such tags and licenses shall be for the current year. Provided that nets in the possession of licensed commercial fishermen shall not be subject to this regulation. *Whoever violates the provisions of this act shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction shall be punished by a fine of not less than fifty (\$50.00) dollars nor more than one hundred (\$100.00) dollars or by imprisonment in the county jail for not less than thirty (30) days.*”

Sec. 2. All acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

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CHAPTER 332—S. F. No. 990

An act relating to wild animals and to the preservation, protection, and propagation thereof and to licenses pertaining thereto, amending Sections 1, 2, 3, 8 and 12, Chapter 438, General Laws 1927, and appropriating moneys received from fees for such licenses and from other sources and repealing inconsistent acts.

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