

CHAPTER 253—S. F. No. 653

An act relating to the regulation and licensing of shows, exhibitions, performances, and privileges on the state fair grounds by the state agricultural society; amending Minnesota Statutes 1949, Section 37.17.

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

Section 1 Minnesota Statutes 1949, Section 37.17, is amended to read:

37.17. Shows, exhibitions, performances, privileges.
Subdivision 1. License, regulation. The society may license and regulate all shows, exhibitions, performances, and privileges on the fair grounds, and revoke any such licenses, and prohibit, remove, and summarily stop all exhibitions, performances, or privileges which it may deem offensive to good morals or which are contrary to law.

Subd. 2. Acceptance of license by non-resident; restrictions as to service of process. The acceptance of any such license by any non-resident of Minnesota shall be deemed an appointment by the non-resident of the secretary of the society to be his true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served all legal processes in any action or proceeding against him resulting from the operation of such show, exhibition, performance, or privilege so licensed, and the acceptance of such license by the non-resident shall be a signification of his agreement that such service of process upon the secretary of the society shall be of the same force and effect as if served upon him personally. Publication of summons need not be made upon such non-resident. In all such cases service of process or service of any writ or notice in an action or proceedings shall be made upon the secretary of the society in the manner provided by law for such service upon residents of the state, and have the same effect as personal service within the state upon such non-resident. If such non-resident appears in such action or proceeding by attorney residing in Minnesota, the service of papers therein shall thereafter be made upon the attorney.

Approved April 6, 1951.