

two brothers or sisters, constitute a quorum, no contract employing a teacher shall be made or authorized except upon the unanimous vote of the school board. No teacher related by blood or marriage, within the fourth degree, computed by the civil law, to a trustee shall be employed except by a unanimous vote of the full board. The employment shall be by written contract, signed by the teacher and, in common school districts, by at least two of the trustees; in special and independent districts, by the chairman and clerk. Contracts for teaching or supervision of teaching can be made only with qualified teachers. Such contract shall specify the wages per year.

*Subd. 3. Termination of contract. The teacher's contract shall remain in full force and effect, except as modified by mutual consent of the school board and the teacher, until terminated by a majority roll call vote of the full membership of the school board, or by the written resignation of the teacher, before April 1. Provided: before a teacher's contract is terminated by the school board, the board shall notify the teacher in writing and state its reason for the proposed termination. Within ten days after receipt of this notification the teacher may make a written request for a hearing before the board and it shall be granted before final action is taken. Such termination shall take effect at the close of the school year in which the contract is terminated in the manner aforesaid. Such contract may be terminated at any time by mutual consent of the school board and the teacher and this section shall not affect the powers of a school board to discharge or demote a teacher under and pursuant to Section 125.06, Subdivision 10.*

*Subd. 4. Exception.* This section shall not apply to any school district in a city of the first class.

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CHAPTER 333—S. F. No. 265

*An act relating to voluntary apprenticeships and authorizing per diem and expense payments for attendance of apprenticeship council members; amending Minnesota Statutes 1949, Section 178.02, Subdivision 1.*

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1949, Section 178.02, Subdivision 1, is amended to read:

178.02. **Apprenticeship council.** Subdivision 1. **Members.** The Industrial Commission, hereinafter called the commission, shall appoint an apprenticeship council, composed of three representatives each from employer and employee organizations, respectively, and of two representatives of the general public. The state official who has been designated by the state board for vocational education as being in charge of trade and industrial education shall ex officio be a member of the council. The terms of office of the members of the apprenticeship council first appointed by the commission shall expire as designated by the commission at the time of making the appointment: One representative each of employers, employees, and the public being appointed for one year, one representative each of employers, employees, and the public being appointed for two years, and one representative each of employers and employees for three years. Thereafter, each member shall be appointed for a term of three years. Any member appointed to fill a vacancy occurring prior to the expiration of the term of his predecessor shall be appointed for the remainder of said term. *Each member of the council shall receive the sum of \$20 for each day of his actual attendance at meetings of the council, together with his actual and necessary expenses incurred in connection therewith, provided, however, that the number of days of actual meetings shall not exceed five days per fiscal year.*

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CHAPTER 334—S. F. No. 366

*An act relating to the use of waters of the state; amending Minnesota Statutes 1949, Section 105.44.*

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1949, Section 105.44, is amended by adding the following: