

limitation of the county authorized for any levy for public purposes. The expenses of the commission shall be approved by the chairman or such other member as the rules of the commission may provide.

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CHAPTER 627—H. F. No. 663

An act relating to drugs and medicines; permitting sales at retail of prepackaged nonprescription medicines or drugs; amending Minnesota Statutes 1967, Section 151.26.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1967, Section 151.26, is amended to read:

151.26 Drugs; prepackaged nonprescription products; exceptions. Nothing in this chapter shall subject a person duly licensed in this state to practice medicine, dentistry, or veterinary medicine, to inspection by the state board of pharmacy, nor to prevent him from compounding or using drugs, medicines, chemicals, or poisons in his practice, nor prevent one duly licensed to practice medicine from furnishing to a patient such drugs, medicines, chemicals, or poisons as he deems proper in the treatment of such patient.

Nothing in this chapter shall prevent the sale of drugs, medicines, chemicals, or poisons at wholesale to licensed physicians, dentists and veterinarians for use in their practice, nor to hospitals for use therein.

Nothing in this chapter shall prevent the sale of drugs, chemicals, or poisons either at wholesale or retail for use for commercial purposes, or in the arts, nor interfere with the sale of insecticides, as defined in section 24.069, and nothing in this chapter shall prevent the sale of common household preparations and other drugs, chemicals, and poisons sold exclusively for use for non-medicinal purposes.

Nothing in this chapter shall apply to or interfere with the manufacture, wholesaling, vending, or retailing of ~~non-habit forming harmless proprietary medicines when~~ *any non-prescription medicine or drug not otherwise prohibited by statute which is prepackaged, fully prepared by the manufacturer or producer for use by the consumer, and labeled in accordance with the requirements of the state or*

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federal food and drug act; nor to the manufacture, wholesaling, vending, or retailing of flavoring extracts, toilet articles, cosmetics, perfumes, spices, and other commonly used household articles of a chemical nature, for use for non-medicinal purposes.

The board may, upon application and the payment of an annual registration fee not to exceed \$5, register stores, other than a pharmacy, in any incorporated or unincorporated village wherein no pharmacy is located, or in any township wherein may be sold ordinary household drugs, chemicals, and poisons for medicinal purposes designated by the board, prepared in sealed packages by a licensed pharmacist qualified under the laws of the state wherein he resides. The name and address of such pharmacist or the manufacturer shall appear conspicuously on each package. It shall be unlawful for any such store to sell such medicinal drugs, chemicals, or poisons without first having secured such license. It shall be lawful for a person engaged in the business of selling at wholesale, or his agent, to sell such articles to such registered places.

The board may suspend, revoke, or refuse to renew, any such registration if the holder thereof shall have been found guilty of violating any of the provisions of this chapter. Before any registration can be revoked or renewal refused, the holder thereof shall be entitled to a hearing by the board upon due notice of the time and place where such hearing will be held. Notice must be given at least ten days prior to the hearing. He shall be entitled to be represented by legal counsel and to appeal to the district court of the proper county on the questions of law and fact.

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CHAPTER 628—H. F. No. 745

[Not Coded]

An act relating to the appropriation by the county of Polk for incidental expenses.

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

Section 1. **Polk county; incidental expenses.** At its regular meetings in January and July the county board of Polk county may appropriate from the county revenue fund a sum not exceeding \$7,500, for the purposes set forth in Minnesota Statutes, Section 375.16.

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