

Subd. 3. **Education; teachers; probationary period.** The first and second consecutive years of a teacher's first teaching experience in Minnesota in a single school district shall be deemed to be a probationary period of employment, and after completion thereof, the probationary period in each school district in which he is thereafter employed shall be one year. A teacher who has complied with the then applicable probationary requirements in a school district prior to July 1, 1967, shall not be required to serve a new probationary period in the said district subsequent thereto. During the probationary period any annual contract with any teacher may or may not be renewed as the school board shall see fit; provided, however, that the school board shall give any such teacher whose contract it declines to renew for the following school year written notice to that effect before April 1. If the teacher requests reasons for any nonrenewal of a teaching contract, the school board shall give the teacher its reason in writing, including a statement that appropriate supervision was furnished *describing the nature and the extent of such supervision* furnished the teacher during his employment by the board, within ten days after receiving such request. The school board may, after a hearing held upon due notice, discharge a teacher during the probationary period for cause, effective immediately, under Minnesota Statutes, Section 123.14, Subdivision 4, or Section 123.35, Subdivision 5.

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CHAPTER 782—H. F. No. 2094

An act relating to agriculture; inspection of potatoes; amending Minnesota Statutes 1967, Sections 30.01, Subdivision 2; 30.099; and 30.152; and repealing Minnesota Statutes 1967, Section 30.159.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1967, Section 30.01, Subdivision 2, is amended to read:

Subd. 2. **Agriculture; potatoes; inspection.** "Person" means any grower, dealer, chipper, trucker, society, association, organization, corporation, or their agents or representatives individual, partnership, association, firm, or corporation.

Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 1967, Section 30.099, is amended to read:

30.099 **Definition of potatoes.** For the purposes of ~~30.10~~

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~~to 30.152~~ *this chapter, "potatoes" means all varieties of the tuber (Solanum tuberosum L.) commonly known as Irish potatoes offered for sale within the state of Minnesota.*

Sec. 3. Minnesota Statutes 1967, Section 30.152, is amended to read:

30.152 Not to pay inspectors. No person shall, directly or indirectly, hire or pay the compensation of any *state* inspector ~~whose duty it is to determine the grade or quality of potatoes offered or exposed for sale in the state, other than the state of Minnesota, whose duly constituted officers shall, in due form and in accordance with law, issue commissions to inspectors duly authorizing and empowering them to act as such.~~

Nothing herein shall prevent any person paying the proper inspection fees, duly established, to the proper persons duly authorized to receive the same, but the payment or allowance of any gratuity, commission, or allowance in addition thereto shall constitute the crime of bribery and shall be punished by law as such.

Sec. 4. *Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes 1967, Section 30.16, until June 30, 1971, potatoes shipped by any person may be inspected by an authorized federal-state inspector to determine the grade, quality, and condition of such shipment. All fees shall be assessed against the inspection certificate applicant and shall be collected by the commissioner from the firm or individual against whom the fee is assessed. An application for inspection service shall be denied if the applicant has not paid all fees for prior inspection service assessed against him, the initial billings for which were deposited in the mail addressed to him more than 30 days before the application in question.*

Sec. 5. *Notwithstanding Minnesota Statutes 1967, Section 30.17, until June 30, 1971, the commissioner shall designate points at which inspectors are available for inspection service. If inspection service is requested at other points, mileage costs at the regular rates paid by the state for private car driving may be charged for the excess driving to and from such points and shall be added to the inspection fee.*

Sec. 6. Minnesota Statutes 1967, Section 30.159, is repealed.

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