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(6) File a copy of each issue immediately with the State Historical Society;

(7) Have complied with all the foregoing conditions of this subdivision for at least two years last past;

(8) File with the secretary of state, prior to January 1 of each year, an affidavit signed by the publisher or managing officer and sworn to before a notary public stating that the newspaper is a legal newspaper. The form of the affidavit shall be prescribed by the secretary of state.

Approved May 10, 1971.

CHAPTER 242—H.F.No.1249

An act relating to wild animals; amending provisions concerning the taking of fish in streams flowing into Lake Superior; amending Minnesota Statutes 1969, Section 101.48.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1969, Section 101.48, is amended to read:

101.48 GAME AND FISH; FISHING; STREAMS FLOWING INTO LAKE SUPERIOR. The commissioner of natural resources may open any stream or any portion thereof flowing into Lake Superior for taking brook, brown, rainbow, and steelhead trout, and <u>salmon</u> at such times and under such regulations as he may prescribe during the month of April and between September 16 and November 30 each year by persons authorized by law to take fish within the state.

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CHAPTER 243-H.F.No.1301

An act relating to cigarette and tobacco products taxes; providing for renewal dates and additional requirements for licenses to sell; amending Minnesota Statutes 1969, Sections 297.04, Subdivisions 4 and 6; 297.33, Subdivisions 4, 5, 6 and 8.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1969, Section 297.04, Subdivision 4, is amended to read:

Subd. 4. TAXATION; TOBACCO PRODUCTS; DISTRIBU-TOR'S APPLICATION; FEE, BOND; SUBJOBBER'S LICENSE.

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(a) Except as otherwise provided in clause (b) of this subdivision, each application for a distributor's license shall be accompanied by a fee of \$150 and a corporate surety bond issued by a surety licensed to do business in this state in the sum of \$1,000, conditioned upon the true and faithful compliance by the licensee with all of the provisions of this act. This bond, or a reissue thereof, or a substitute therefor, shall be kept in full force and effect during the entire period covered by the license. A separate application for license shall be made for each place of business at which a distributor proposes to engage in business as such under sections 297.01 to 297.13, provided that a separate application for a subjobber's license may be made by a licensed distributor for each place of business (other than that for which he has obtained his distributor's license) to which he delivers and from which he sells or distributes stamped cigarettes.

Each application for a subjobber's license shall be accompanied by a fee of \$12.

A distributor or subjobber applying for a license between January July 1 and June 30 December 31 of any year shall be required to pay only one-half of the license fee provided for herein.

(b) Each application for a distributor's license for the period beginning July 1, 1971 shall be accompanied by a fee of \$75 and the corporate surety bond prescribed by clause (a) of this subdivision. Each application for a subjobber's license for the period beginning July 1, 1971 shall be accompanied by a fee of \$6. Each license issued for the period beginning July 1, 1971 shall expire on December 31, 1971.

Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 1969, Section 297.04, Subdivision 6, is amended to read:

Subd. 6. **EXPIRATION.** Each license issued for any period subsequent to June 30, 1971, shall expire on June 30 December 31 following its date of issue unless sooner revoked by the commissioner or unless the business with respect to which the license was issued is transferred. In either case the holder of the license shall immediately surrender it to the commissioner.

Sec. 3. Minnesota Statutes 1969, Section 297.33, Subdivision 4, is amended to read:

Subd. 4. (a) Except as otherwise provided in clause (b) of this subdivision, each application for a distributor's license shall be accompanied by a fee of \$37.50. The application shall also be accompanied by a corporate surety bond issued by a surety licensed to do business in this state, in the sum of \$1,000, conditioned upon the true and faithful compliance by the distributor with all the provisions of sections 297.31 to 297.39 and the payment when due of all taxes, penalties and accrued interest arising in the ordinary course of business or by reason of any delinquent money which may be due the state of Minnesota. This bond shall be in a form to be fixed by the

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commissioner and approved by the attorney general. Whenever it is the opinion of the commissioner that the bond given by a licensee is inadequate in amount to fully protect the state, he shall require either an increase in the amount of said bond or additional bond, in such amount as he deems sufficient. Any bond required by this subdivision, or a reissue thereof, or a substitute therefor, shall be kept in full force and effect during the entire period covered by the license.

A separate application for license shall be made for each place of business at which a distributor proposes to engage in business as such under sections 297.31 to 297.39. <u>A separate application for a subjobber's license may be made by a licensed distributor for each place of business, other than that for which he has obtained his distributor's license, to which he sells or distributes tobacco products upon which the tax imposed by this chapter has been imposed to other than the ultimate consumer.</u>

(b) Each application for a distributor's license for the period beginning July 1, 1971 shall be accompanied by a fee of \$18.75 and the corporate surety bond prescribed by clause (a) of this subdivision. Each license issued for the period beginning July 1, 1971 shall expire on December 31, 1971.

Sec. 4. Minnesota Statutes 1969, Section 297.33, Subdivision 5, is amended to read:

Subd. 5. (a) Except as otherwise provided in clause (b) of this subdivision, each application for a subjobber's license shall be accompanied by a fee of \$10.

(b) Each application for a subjobber's license for the period beginning July 1, 1971 shall be accompanied by a fee of \$5. Each license issued for the period beginning July 1, 1971 shall expire on December 31, 1971.

Sec. 5. Minnesota Statutes 1969, Section 297.33, Subdivision 6, is amended to read:

Subd. 6. A distributor or subjobber applying for a license between January July 1 and June 30 December 31 of any year shall be required to pay only one-half of the license fee provided for herein.

Sec. 6. Minnesota Statutes 1969, Section 297.33, Subdivision 8, is amended to read:

Subd. 8. Each license issued for any period subsequent to June 30, 1971 shall expire on June 30 December 31 following its date of issue unless sooner revoked by the commissioner or unless the business with respect to which the license was issued is transferred. In either case the holder of the license shall immediately surrender it to the commissioner.

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