

restrictions as are now provided by law for the disbursement of funds by said state board of control;

Provided, That said board of control is hereby authorized to keep and maintain at said prison a contingent fund as provided in Section 1896, Revised Laws 1905; but said contingent fund shall be at all times covered and protected by a proper and sufficient bond to be duly approved as by law now provided.

Sec. 5. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

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CHAPTER 152.—II. F. No. 434.

An Act to provide for the incorporation of subordinate Clans of the Order of the Scottish Clans located in the state of Minnesota.

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

Scottish Clans incorporation.—Section 1. That any subordinate Clans of the Order of Scottish Clans, instituted under the authority of the Royal Clans of said order, in the United States, may become incorporated in the manner herein provided.

Procedure.—Sec. 2. Any such subordinate Clan located in this state, desiring to become a body incorporated shall so determine by a two-thirds vote of all its members present and voting thereon, at the regular meeting thereof; and to that end, by the same vote at the same meeting shall adopt and cause to be prepared a certificate which shall contain:

- (1) The name and number of such subordinate Clan.
- (2) The time when and the authority by which such Clan was instituted.
- (3) The name of the charter members of such Clan.
- (4) The location of such Clan.
- (5) The name of the officers duly elected and qualified at the execution of such certificate, holding the following offices, to-wit: Chief, past chief, tanist, financial secretary, secretary, treasurer and trustees.
- (6) The length of time said corporation shall continue shall not exceed fifty years from the date of the execution of the certificate.

Seal and signatures.—Sec. 3. Such certificate shall be under the seal of the body so incorporated, if it has a seal, and the same shall be signed by the chief and secretary of the Clan and shall

be verified by an affidavit to the effect that the Clan adopted the contents of the same by a two-thirds vote of the members present and voting thereon at the regular meeting of the Clan; and that the said Clan, by the same vote at the same meeting, authorized and directed them to sign and record same as provided by law.

Certificate to be filed with the register of deeds.—Sec. 4. Upon filing such certificate in the office of the register of deeds, such Clan shall become a body incorporate under its charter name and number and shall have the power to sue and be sued by its corporate name, and under such name, to acquire or receive by purchase, gift, grant, devise, or bequest, any property real, personal or mixed, and to hold, sell, transfer, mortgage, convey, loan, let or otherwise use the said property in accordance with the laws and usages of said Clan.

Clan seal to be corporate seal.—Sec. 5. The seal of said Clan shall be its corporate seal, and such seal shall be attached to all conveyances by said corporation of real property and said conveyances shall be signed by the chief and the secretary of said Clan.

Corporation may amend.—Sec. 6. Such corporation may amend, alter, repeal any portion of its corporate charter by adopting said amendments, alterations or repeal resolutions at a regular meeting of the same by a two-thirds vote of all its members present and voting thereon, and may cause a certificate setting forth such amendments, alterations, or repeal resolutions to be executed in the manner hereinbefore provided with reference to the original certificate.

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CHAPTER 153.—H. F. No. 468.

An Act authorizing the transcribing and recording of certain instruments and records in the office of the Register of Deeds in Counties of this State, having a population of over one hundred thousand inhabitants, fixing the compensation for the recording thereof, and providing the effect to be given to such records as evidence.

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

Certain records directed to be transcribed.—Section 1. The register of deeds in each county in the state of Minnesota, having a population of over one hundred thousand (100,000) inhabitants, is hereby authorized and directed to transcribe, in appropriate