

which shall be known as the State Board of Investment, and which shall hold regular meetings on the first and third Wednesdays of each month. The governor shall be ex-officio president of said board, which shall have a permanent secretary who shall keep record of its proceedings. Both the secretary of the board and the auditor shall keep a record showing the number and amount of each bond, when issued, the rate of interest, when and where payable, by whom executed, when purchased, when withdrawn and for what purpose. Such bonds shall be endorsed so as to show to which trust fund they belong and shall be transferable only upon the order of said board of investment, but no bonds shall be purchased, sold, exchanged or transferred from one trust fund to another except upon a majority vote of all the members of said board of investment, and no purchase of such bonds in excess of \$100,000 shall hereafter be made from any municipality in this state except in cases of emergency heretofore or hereafter arising from damage or destruction by flood, fire or cyclone unless such purchases have been heretofore approved by said investment board. The permanent school fund shall be invested in the bonds of school districts so far as possible, and in the purchase thereof preference of payment shall be given to such bond issues of \$9000.00 and less in amount. The board of investment shall have power to fix and to change the rate of interest on loans to municipalities within the state, provided such rate is never less than four per cent, and whenever such rate is changed after any municipality has voted its bonds to the state, such municipality is hereby authorized to pay the new rate so fixed and to issue its bonds bearing such rate upon approval and acceptance thereof by resolution of its governing body.

Sec. 2. Laws repealed.—Section 5245, General Statutes, 1913, is hereby repealed, but nothing herein shall affect any proceedings taken under said section prior to the approval of this act.

Sec. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 23, 1921.

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#### CHAPTER 517—H. F. No. 227.

*An act to amend Sections 4725, 4728, 4729 General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, and to repeal Section 4731, General Statutes of Minnesota 1913, relating to the suppression of contagious diseases among bees, prescribing penalties and punishments for violations hereof.*

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

Section 1. **State inspector to inspect apiaries.**—That section 4725, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, be and the same hereby is amended so as to read as follows:

4725. The state inspector shall have authority at his discretion to visit and examine personally or by deputy any apiary for the purpose of ascertaining the existence, or the treatment or destruction of any disease among bees or brood; and for this or any other purpose within the scope of this act he may enter upon private property. When notified of the probable existence of contagious or infectious disease of bees or brood in any apiary he shall visit and examine said apiary personally or by deputy as he shall deem most expedient within thirty days from receipt of said notice. Wherever any contagious or infectious disease of bees or brood shall be found the inspector shall inspect all apiaries within a radius of three miles of said apiary of which he is able to learn by diligence. After inspecting any apiaries or appurtenances thereof of bees or brood in which contagious or infectious disease has been found he shall thoroughly disinfect *every portion of his person and clothing and every tool and appliance used by him that may have been in contact with infected material, and shall cause every assistant with him to do likewise. No person shall refuse to assist in the inspection and in the necessary treatment or destruction of his infected brood, bees, honey or appurtenances, nor shall any person impede, hinder or obstruct an inspector in any of his duties.*

Sec. 2. **Bees to be transferred to hives.**—That section 4728, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, be and the same hereby is amended so as to read as follows:

4728. The state inspector or his deputies at his discretion may order the owner or the person in charge of bees dwelling in log gums, boxes or other receptacles in which the combs are stationary, to transfer said bees to hives wherein the combs shall be movable. In default of such transfer said bees and all the articles in which they are contained are declared to be a public nuisance and shall be disposed of according to *section 4726, General Statutes of Minnesota 1913.*

Sec. 3. **Bees or products not to be shipped without permit.**—That Section 4729, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, be and the same hereby is amended so as to read as follows:

4729. (a) *No person shall sell, barter, offer for sale or barter, move, transport, deliver, ship or offer for shipment, any apiary, bees, comb, or used beekeeping appliances without a permit from the inspector of apiaries; or in lieu thereof, if shipped or transported from without the state, a certificate duly issued by the official state inspector showing that said apiary, bees, comb or appliances have been inspected and found not infected with any contagious or infectious disease of bees. Such permit, or copy of such certificate shall be affixed to the outside of every package, box, crate, or bundle*

containing bees, comb, or used beekeeping appliances. The inspector may refuse such permit whenever such refusal is necessary, in his judgment, to prevent the dissemination of any contagious or infectious disease of bees, or until after he finds by inspection that the said apiary, bees, comb, or appliances are not infected with any such disease.

(b) No person shall accept for shipment, ship or transport, any such bees, comb or used beekeeping appliances unless such permit or certificate is affixed on the outside of the package, box, crate or bundle containing the same; and the inspector or any of his deputies may forthwith seize and destroy any such shipment found at any time or place without such permit or certificate affixed as aforesaid.

(c) The use of any invalid or altered permit or certificate and the misuse of any valid permit or certificate are hereby prohibited.

(d) No person shall expose in any place to which bees have access, any bee product, hive, or other apiary appliance in such manner that contagious or infectious diseases of bees could be disseminated therefrom.

(e) Any person who knows that any bees owned, possessed or controlled by him are infected with any contagious or infectious disease shall at once report such fact to the inspector of apiaries, stating all other facts known to him with reference to said contagion or infection.

(f) The words "person" and "owner" as used in this act include natural persons, firms, associations and corporations; and any person who, himself, or by his agent or employe or as agent or employe for another violates any provision of this act, or any regulation or order made in pursuance thereof shall be punished by a fine of not less than five dollars nor more than one hundred dollars.

Sec. 4. Laws repealed.—That section 4731, General Statutes of Minnesota, 1913, be and the same hereby is repealed.

Sec. 5. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 23, 1921.

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#### CHAPTER 518—H. F. No. 1016.

*An act, relating to claims of the state for deposits of state funds in certain cases, and to the right of a surety or sureties on a bond given to secure a deposit of state funds to be subrogated to the state's claim in certain cases.*

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

Section 1. Security not to be subrogated to state's claim in insolvency of banks.—In proceedings to wind up an insolvent