

CHAPTER 19—H. F. No. 398

An act to amend Section 40, General Statutes 1923, as amended by Chapter 47, General Laws 1927, relating to exemption from attendance in court or before any commission or officer or referee thereof of members or officers of the legislature.

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

Section 1. **Members of Legislature excused from Court duties.**—That Section 40, General Statutes 1923, as amended by Chapter 47, General Laws 1927, be amended so as to read as follows:

"Sec. 40. No member or officer of the Legislature shall be compelled to attend as a witness in any Court of this State during the session of the Legislature; unless the Court in which the action is pending upon sufficient showing shall otherwise order with the consent of the presiding officer of the body of which such witness is an employe or the consent of the body of which such witness is a member. No cause or proceeding, civil or criminal, in Court or before any Commission or officer or referee thereof or motion or hearing therein, in which a member or officer of the Legislature is a party, attorney or witness shall be tried or heard during such session of the Legislature, but shall be continued until the Legislature shall have adjourned. Such member or officer of the Legislature may, with the consent of the body of the Legislature of which he is a member or officer, waive such privilege and in such case such cause or proceeding, motion, or hearing may be tried or heard at such time as will not conflict with legislative duties."

Approved February 14, 1929.

CHAPTER 20—S. F. No. 394

An act to amend Chapter 91, Laws of 1925, relating to salaries and expenses of certain county officials in certain counties.

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

Section 1. **Compensation of County Board.**—That Section 8 of Chapter 91, General Laws of Minnesota for 1925, be amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 8. County Commissioners, the sum of \$400.00 per year each, and in addition thereto each member of such county board shall also receive \$3.00 per day for each and every day necessarily occupied by him in the discharge of his official duties, while acting on any committee under the direction of the board, and nine cents per mile each way for each mile necessarily traveled in attending

such county work, and shall be entitled to mileage and nine cents per mile each way for each mile necessarily traveled in attending meetings of the board, not exceeding twelve meetings in any one year, *and in addition thereto each member of such county board shall also receive \$3.00 per day and nine cents for each mile necessarily traveled in attending the meetings of such board, when such board is acting as a board for the equalization of the assessment of the property of the county.*"

Sec. 2. Compensation of County Engineer.—That Section 12 of Chapter 91, General Laws of Minnesota for 1925, be amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 12. County engineer, such sum as the board of county commissioners shall fix and determine, not, however, exceeding the sum of \$2600.00 per year. He shall provide an automobile for the use of his office in traveling on official business and shall be allowed and paid nine cents per mile for each mile necessarily traveled in the performance of the official duties of his office. *There shall also be allowed such county engineer for the necessary clerk hire and assistants, such sum as the county board may determine, not exceeding, however, the sum of \$4000.00 in any one year.*"

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CHAPTER 21—H. F. No. 195

An act to amend Section 11 of Chapter 430, General Laws of 1923, as amended by Chapter 330, General Laws of 1927, relating to state lands on meandered lakes and other public waters.
Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

Section 1. State land on meandered lakes to be withdrawn from sale.—That Section 11 of Chapter 430, General Laws 1923, as amended by Chapter 330, General Laws 1927, be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

"Sec. 11. All state lands bordering on or adjacent to meandered lakes and other public waters and watercourses and the live timber growing or being thereon hereby are withdrawn from sale.

Of all such lands bordering on or adjacent to meandered lakes and other public waters and watercourses and so withdrawn from sale, a strip two rods in width, the ordinary high water mark being the water side boundary thereof, and the landside boundary thereof being a line drawn parallel to the ordinary high water mark and two rods distant landward therefrom, hereby is reserved for public travel thereon, and wherever the conformation of the shore line or conditions require, the auditor shall reserve a wider strip for such purposes;