"10305. Every public officer who shall be authorized to sell or lease any property, to make any contract in his official capacity, or to take part in making any such sale, lease, or contract, and every employee of such officer, who shall voluntarily become interested individually in such sale, lease, or contract, directly or indirectly, shall be guilty of a gross misdemeanor: provided, however, that any village or city council, town board, or school board, of any town, village or city of the fourth class, otherwise having authority to designate depositary for village, city, town or school district funds, of any town, village, or city of the fourth class, may designate a bank in which a member of such board is interested as a depositary for village, city, town or school funds of any town, village or city of the fourth class by a two-thirds vote of such board."

Approved April 20, 1931.

CHAPTER 213—H. F. No. 601

An act relating to the time within which garnishee summons shall be effective.

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

- Section 1. Garnishee summons—when effective.—No garnishee summons served subsequent to the passage of this act upon the garnishee in any action whereby a sum of less than \$25.00 is impounded shall be effective for any purpose after two years from the date of service thereof upon the garnishee unless the plaintiff, or his attorney, shall prior to the expiration of such time serve upon the garnishee an affidavit to the effect that the action against the defendant is being diligently prosecuted and that judgment therein has not been entered, or if entered, that the time to appeal has not expired and that the affidavit is made for the purpose of continuing the force and effect of the summons upon the garnishee for one year. The force and effect of the summons upon the garnishee may be extended from year to year if the facts in the case warrant it by serving a like notice prior to the expiration of the previous notice.
- Sec. 2. Same.—No garnishee summons served prior to the passage of this act upon the garnishee in any action shall be effective for any purpose after two years from the passage of this act unless its force and effect upon the garnishee is extended prior to the expiration of said year by serving a similar affidavit upon the garnishee as provided for in section one of this act.

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