

"2995. *The county auditor, upon receiving the warrant from the state, shall forthwith apportion the amount thereof to the various school districts entitled thereto, and shall at the time of making the March and November tax settlements of each year apportion to the several school districts the amount received from liquor licenses, fines, estrays, and other sources, belonging to the general school fund, upon the same basis provided for the state apportionment, and such money shall be used only for the payment of teachers' wages; but no district shall receive any part of the money received from liquor licenses unless all sums paid for such licenses in such district are apportioned to the county school fund, and no district shall receive in any year from the apportioned fund, exclusive of special state aid, a greater amount than that appropriated by such district from its special and local one mill tax for that year, unless such district has levied for such year the maximum amount allowed by law for school purposes. The auditor shall include in such apportionment all amounts received from special state aid to schools—not theretofore apportioned.*"

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CHAPTER 313—H. F. No. 1259

An act to amend Laws 1929, Chapter 316, authorizing the payment to sheriffs in all counties of this state having, or which may hereafter have, a population of not less than 220,000 inhabitants, and less than 330,000 inhabitants, a definite sum of money per annum for the purchase, care, maintenance, operation, upkeep, and insurance of automobiles, firearms and other necessary equipment and paraphernalia, used in the performance of their official duties.

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

Section 1. **Sheriff's expense in certain counties.**—That Laws 1929, Chapter 316, be amended to read as follows:

"316. That in all counties in this state that now have or may hereafter have, according to the last completed state or national census, a population of not less than 220,000 inhabitants, and less

than 330,000 inhabitants, the sheriff of said county shall be allowed a sum of not more than \$7,000.00 for the year 1932 and not more than \$2,500.00 per annum thereafter, to be used for the purchase, care, maintenance, operation, upkeep of automobiles, and insurance, including liability and property damage covering the operator of the automobiles, firearms and other necessary equipment and paraphernalia to be used in the performance of the duties pertaining to his office."

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CHAPTER 314—H. F. No. 1265

An act authorizing the county board in any county of this state, now or hereafter having an area of over five thousand square miles, and wherein drainage ditches costing in the aggregate more than \$600,000 have already been constructed, or shall hereafter be constructed, to purchase such dredging equipment for use in ditch construction, repair and clean-out work, and such motor vehicles for the transportation use of the county ditch inspector and any county ditch engineers as the county board of said county may deem necessary, and authorizing the payment for the same out of the revenue fund of said county and legalizing any such purchases heretofore made.

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

Section 1. Counties may purchase drainage ditch equipment.—That in any county of this state, now or hereafter having an area of more than five thousand square miles and wherein drainage ditches costing in the aggregate more than \$600,000 have already been constructed, or shall hereafter be constructed, the county board shall have authority to purchase such dredging or ditching equipment for use in ditch construction, repair and clean-out work, and such motor vehicles for the use of the county ditch inspector and any county ditch engineers, as the county board of said county may deem necessary. Such equipment and transportation facilities shall be purchased in the same manner as is now provided by law for the purchase of road machinery by any such county, and the cost