CHAPTER 370-S. F. No. 883

An act amending Mason's Minnesota Statutes 1927, Section 7757, relating to building and loan associations.

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

Section 1. **Termination of contracts.**—That Mason's Minnesota Statutes 1927, Section 7757, be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

"Section 7757. No such association shall engage in the business of buying and selling or dealing in real estate, but it may secure obligations due to it and the payment of its loans by taking real estate mortgages. It may purchase at any sheriff's judicial, or other sale, public or private, any real estate upon which it has a mortgage, judgment, or other lien, or in which it has any interest. It may acquire title to any real estate on which it holds any lien, in full or part satisfaction thereof, and may sell, convey, hold, lease or mortgage the same. Also in transactions involving the purchase by a stockholder of improved real estate for home purposes, or for the construction of a home, it may when authorized by its by-laws acquire the title thereof, and it may give to such stockholder a contract to convey the same as upon a sale thereof and upon default in the conditions of such contract, the association may terminate the interest of such stockholder, his representatives or assigns by serving the notice provided by Mason's Minnesota Statutes 1927, Section 9576, upon such stockholder, his representatives or assigns."

Approved April 25, 1931.

CHAPTER 371—S. F. No. 932

An act relating to wild animals and to the taking of lake trout and salmon, amending Mason's Minnesota Statutes of 1927, Section 5567, as amended by Laws 1929, Chapter 323.

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

Section 1. Open season for lake trout and salmon.—That Mason's Minnesota Statutes of 1927, section 5567, as amended by Laws 1929, chapter 323, be and the same hereby is amended so as to read as follows:

"5567. Lake trout and salmon may be taken by angling and thereafter possessed between November 15th and September 15th following, both inclusive. A person may take not to exceed 5 such lake trout or salmon in one day, nor have in possession more than 10 such trout or salmon at any one time. All such fish taken, regardless of size, may be retained in possession and counted. Such lake trout or salmon may not be bought or sold at any time."

Approved April 25, 1931.

CHAPTER 372-S. F. No. 933

An act providing for the prohibition or restriction of the taking of brook trout in the forest areas of the state during times of forest fire hazards.

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

- Section 1. Fishing for brook trout in certain seasons.—(a) Whenever after investigation the commissioner of forestry and fire prevention shall determine that conditions conducive to forest fire hazards exist at any place in the forest areas of the state as defined by the forestry act in the vicinity of any waters frequented by persons taking or attempting to take brook trout and that the presence of persons attracted by the opportunities for taking brook trout in such vicinity tends to aggravate such fire hazards, he may by written order, with the approval of the commissioner of game and fish, prohibit or restrict, upon such conditions as he may prescribe, the taking of brook trout in such waters during such period in any year as he may deem necessary for the purpose of reducing such fire hazards.
- (b) Every such order, together with the written approval of the commissioner of game and fish appended thereto, shall be filed in the office of the commissioner of forestry and fire prevention, and a duplicate thereof shall be filed in the office of the commissioner of game and fish. The commissioner of forestry and fire prevention shall cause a copy of such order and approval to be published at least once in a qualified legal newspaper published at the county seat of each county affected by such order, or in some other legal newspaper of the county, if there be none published at the county seat, and such order shall take effect and be in force in each such county from and after the date of such publication therein.