

CHAPTER 355—H. F. No. 1343

An act to amend Mason's Minnesota Statutes 1931 supplement 1927 to 1931 Sections 2684-1 and 2684-2 and 2684-6; and to repeal Section 2684 Mason's Minnesota Statutes 1927, and to repeal Laws 1933, Chapter 344, Section 4 relating to reciprocal permission to non-resident motor vehicle owners.

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

Section 1. Reciprocal permission to non-resident motor vehicle owners.—That Mason's Minnesota Statutes 1931 Supplement 1927 to 1931 Section 2684-1 be amended so as to read as follows:

"Section 1. Any *resident* of any state, District of Columbia or Canadian province, who owns and is duly licensed under the laws of his own state or country to operate a motor vehicle upon the highways thereof, may also operate such motor vehicle personally or by his authorized driver upon the streets and highways of townships, boroughs, villages and cities in this state, subject to the following conditions and limitations:

First. *Upon condition that the exemptions provided by this act as hereinafter limited shall be operative as to a motor vehicle owned by a non-resident only to the extent that under the laws of the state or Canadian province of his residence (or that under the laws of the District of Columbia if that is his residence) like exemptions and privileges are granted to motor vehicles registered under the laws and owned by residents of Minnesota.*"

Sec. 2. Certificates for non-residents.—That Mason's Minnesota Statutes 1931 Supplement 1927 to 1931 Sections 2684-2 be amended so as to read as follows:

"Sec. 2. As soon as any non-resident motor vehicle owner entitled to the privileges herein extended shall have complied with the provisions hereof the registrar of motor vehicles shall issue to him a certificate stating that he is entitled to operate such motor vehicle within this state for and during such time as he continues to own such motor vehicle with license to operate the same in his own state or country; but subject, nevertheless, to suspension, revocation or cancellation for any cause that would justify similar action with respect to any motor vehicle license or registration issued to any citizen or resident of this state. Within seven days from the date when any change shall have been made in the ownership, or foreign license or number plates,

of any motor vehicle operating in this state under a certificate as above provided, said certificate shall be surrendered to the registrar of motor vehicles and such change shall be noted thereon, or a new certificate issued under the same conditions as the original. Such certificate shall be prima facie evidence that the motor vehicle therein described may be lawfully operated in this state.

Any foreign motor vehicle operating at any time without such certificate shall be subject to seizure and the driver thereof to arrest by any law enforcing officer of this state; and upon conviction of such driver for operating in this state without license, such motor vehicle may be sold in the same manner as on execution sale for debt and the proceeds may be applied to satisfy any penalty or fine imposed and to pay any costs or expenses incurred in connection with such arrest, seizure, and sale.

Sec. 3. Application of act.—That Mason's Minnesota Statutes 1931 Supplement 1927 to 1931 Section 2684-6 be amended so as to read as follows:

Sec. 6. This Act shall not apply to a passenger motor vehicle owned by a resident of any State, District of Columbia, or any Canadian Province temporarily residing in this State while regularly employed therein under contract for a term of six months or more, nor to a passenger motor vehicle used to haul for hire except such a vehicle that may be owned and registered in another state, the District of Columbia, or any Canadian Province, and chartered for an occasional trip into or through Minnesota without taking on any additional passengers in this State.

The reciprocity provision of the act shall not apply to trucks, tractors, truck-tractors, semi-trailers and combinations of such vehicles engaged in transporting property for hire. The reciprocal provisions of this act shall apply to the owner of a truck exclusively used in transporting agricultural, horticultural, dairy and other farm products including livestock, which the owner of the truck has produced or raised and such truck is used to transport such products from the farm to market and to transport property and supplies to the farm of the owner, and trucks used in rendering occasional accommodation service for others in transporting farm products from a farm to market or supplies to the farm even though the same may be paid for where such vehicle is owned by a person not engaged in the transportation business. "Occasional" shall be construed to mean a special, individual round trip not to exceed however two such trips a month for any one such vehicle.

Every non-resident, including any foreign corporation carrying on business within this State and owning and regularly operating in such business any motor vehicle within this State shall be required to register each such vehicle and pay the same tax and penalties, if any, therefor as is required with reference to like vehicles owned by residents of Minnesota.

The reciprocity privileges provided by this Act shall apply also to a motor vehicle exclusively engaged in transporting commerce from a State or from any province in the Dominion of Canada exclusively upon the streets of any city or village in the State of Minnesota.

Sec. 4. **Laws repealed.**—Section 2684 Mason's Minnesota Statutes 1927 and Section 4, Chapter 344, Laws 1933 are hereby repealed.

Sec. 5. This Act shall be in effect from and after its passage.

Approved April 29, 1935.

CHAPTER 356—H. F. No. 1351

An act to amend Laws 1923, Chapter 290, as amended by Laws 1927, Chapter 55, as further amended by Laws 1933, Chapter 11, relating to fixing the time of holding general term of the district court, in the twelfth judicial district in the county of Lac qui Parle, of the State of Minnesota.

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

Section 1. **General terms of court in Twelfth Judicial District.**—Laws 1923, Chapter 290, as amended by Laws 1927, Chapter 55, as further amended by Laws 1933, Chapter 11, is hereby further amended so as to read as follows:

The general terms of the district court shall be held each year in the several counties constituting the Twelfth Judicial District of the State of Minnesota at the time herein prescribed as follows:

Chippewa County: First Monday in June; fourth Monday in November;

Kandiyohi County: Third Monday in March; first Monday in October;