

has been declared forfeited by any court of competent jurisdiction in this state.

Sec. 2. Proceedings validated.—That when such steps are taken to renew the corporate existence of such association, such proceedings shall relate back to the date of the expiration of such original corporate period; and when said period is extended as provided by this act, all corporate acts and contracts done, performed, made and entered into after the expiration of said original period shall be and each is hereby declared to be legal and valid.

Approved January 15, 1936.

CHAPTER 31—H. F. No. 95.

An act to amend Mason's Minnesota Statutes of 1927, (1934 Supplement), Sections 2816-4 and 2816-5, relating to the authorization of school districts to contract in certain cases with cities or villages, or certain departments thereof, for the heating of its buildings.

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

Section 1. May make heating contracts.—Mason's Minnesota Statutes of 1927, (1934 Supplement), Section 2816-4, is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

"2816-4. That the governing board of any school district having one or more buildings within a city or village maintaining a municipal central heating plant may contract with such city or village or the water, light, power, and building commission of said city or village or the board having the control of said central heating plant for the furnishing of heat for said buildings for such a term as it may deem for the best interest of the district, not, however, exceeding ten years."

Sec. 2. May advance money.—Mason's Minnesota Statutes of 1927, (1934 Supplement), Section 2816-5, is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

"2816-5. Where it is necessary for such city or village to lay mains or pipes to connect said buildings with its heating system, the said district is authorized to advance to such city

or village or commission or board all or any part of the cost thereof, upon such terms and conditions as shall be agreed upon."

Approved January 15, 1936.

CHAPTER 32—H. F. No. 294.

An act to amend Laws 1935, Chapter 391, Section 10, relating to the appropriation for the attorney general.

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

Section 1. **Appropriation for attorney general.**—Laws 1935, Chapter 391, Section 10, is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Sec. 10. ATTORNEY GENERAL:

1. Salaries	\$ 69,500.00	\$73,500.00
2. Supplies and Expense	8,500.00	11,000.00
3. Special Contingent Fund	10,000.00	16,000.00
4. Criminal Apprehension Bureau:	1936	1937
a. Salaries	\$ 50,000.00	\$60,000.00
	1936	1937
b. Supplies and Expense..	\$ 34,000.00	\$34,000.00

Provided, that of the moneys appropriated by Item 3, hereof, the sum of \$1,500, per annum, or so much thereof as may be necessary shall be available to pay attorneys' fees in litigations arising between departments of state, where the attorney general is counsel for the department and where outside counsel must, of necessity, be secured for the opposing department.

Provided, that all moneys heretofore appropriated for the attorney general's office and continued in force and available to the attorney general by action under General Statutes 1923, Section 124, and all balances of appropriations on hand at the end of the fiscal year are hereby continued in force and made available to him for any services of his office to June 30, 1937.