

Section 1. **Reciprocal permission to non-resident motor vehicle owners.**—That Laws 1935, Chapter 355, Section 1, be amended so as to read as follows:

“Section 1. Any resident of any state, District of Columbia, Canadian province *or other foreign power*, 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 *or other foreign power* if that is his residence) like exemptions and privileges are granted to motor vehicles registered under the laws and owned by residents of Minnesota.”

Approved March 24, 1937.

CHAPTER 98—S. F. No. 527

An act to legalize certain proceedings heretofore taken for the drainage of lands in certain cases and to declare legal and valid any and all proceedings and assessments and liens levied or created under and pursuant to any of the provisions of any laws of the State of Minnesota relating thereto.

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

Section 1. **Certain drainage proceedings legalized.**—Where the county board of any county of this state or the judge of any of the district courts of this state in pursuance of any laws of the State of Minnesota governing the establishment, construction or repair of any drainage system or part thereof has established and ordered constructed any drainage system wholly within any county of this state or partly within two or more counties thereof, and such drainage system has been actually constructed and the proceedings for such establishment and construction are in all respects valid and according to law, and assessments or liens have been levied or created by the county auditor, county board, or judge of said court against all of the lands originally assessed for benefits in the proceedings for the establish-

ment of such drainage system, for the purpose of collecting and paying a deficit in any such drainage system due to the increased cost of construction of such drainage system, deficiency in interest payable on bonds issued for construction of such drainage system, the expense of improvement, maintenance and repair of same, or for any other reason, and the time for appeals has expired and no appeals have been taken therefrom or from any such proceedings, or if such appeals have been taken that the same have been determined before the passage of this act, then the said proceedings and all assessments or liens so levied or attempted to be assessed or levied for said purposes are hereby approved, legalized and declared to be valid, and in full force and effect and a lien upon and against said lands benefited by the establishment and construction of said drainage system until paid, at the time and in the manner as set forth in said act and amendments thereto.

Sec. 2. **Application of Act.**—This act shall not apply to or affect any action now pending in which the validity of said proceedings is called in question.

Sec. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

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CHAPTER 99—H. F. No. 1365

An act authorizing cities of the fourth class in certain cases to compromise judgments due from personal sureties on depository bonds against whom such cities have obtained judgments for the recovery of funds on deposit in closed and insolvent banks.

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

Section 1. **Cities may compromise judgments in certain cases.**—That in every city of the fourth class governed by a home rule charter, and situated in a county of this state which now or hereafter contains more than 60 and less than 80 congressional townships and which county has, or may hereafter have, a population of more than 45,000 and less than 75,000 inhabitants, according to the last preceding Federal or State census, in whose favor a final judgment has been rendered by the district court against individual sureties on a depository bond for the recovery of city funds on deposit by such city in a closed and insolvent bank, the City Council may, and when a majority of the electors thereof voting thereon at an annual or special election at which such subject is submitted to the electors thereof