

CHAPTER 103—S. F. No. 232

An act to amend Mason's Supplement 1940, Section 10937, relating to published notice in a legal newspaper of any city or village situated in more than one county.

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

Section 1. Law amended.—Mason's Supplement 1940, Section 10937 is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

"10937. Definitions—published notice.—Unless otherwise specifically provided, the words "published notice," when used in reference to the giving of notice in any proceeding or the service of any summons, order or process in judicial proceedings, shall mean the publication in full of the notice, or other paper referred to, in the regular issue of a qualified newspaper, once each week and at uniform intervals, for the number of weeks specified; provided that when the publication day of any newspaper falls upon Thanksgiving Day or upon any legal holiday, the publication of any summons, order or process in judicial proceedings may be made either the day before or the day after Thanksgiving Day, or the day before or the day after such legal holiday. *Whenever the published notice contains a description of real estate which is located within the legal limits of any city or village, which city or village is situated in more than one county, such published notice may be published in any legal newspaper within such city or village.*"

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CHAPTER 104—S. F. No. 299

An act authorizing the renewal of the period of corporate existence of certain corporations whose period of duration has expired without the renewal thereof, and legalizing acts and contracts of such corporations made or done and performed subsequent to the expiration of the original period of existence of such corporations.

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

Section 1. Corporate existence of charitable or social corporation extended.—Any social or charitable corporation or corporation to administer charities, heretofore organized under the provisions of Mason's Minnesota Statutes of 1927, Sections 7892 or 7901, or fraternal corporations heretofore organ-

ized under the laws of this state, whose period of duration has expired less than 21 years prior to the passage of this act and the same has not been renewed and such corporation has continued to transact its business, or whose assets have not been liquidated and distributed, may renew its corporate existence from the date of its expiration for a further definite term or perpetually from and after the term of its expired period of duration, with the same force and effect as if renewed prior to the expiration of its term of existence, by resolution adopted by a three-fourths vote of the stock, or members in case of mutual or non-stock corporations, represented at any regular meeting, or at any special meeting called for that purpose, which shall have been clearly specified in the call, and by taking such further proceedings as may now be provided by law for the renewal of the corporate existence of any such corporation in cases where such renewal is made before the end of its period of duration.

Sec. 2. Proceedings to be taken within one year.—Such proceedings to obtain such extension shall be taken within one year after the approval of this act.

Sec. 3. Proceedings to relate back.—When such proceedings are taken within such period of time, such proceedings shall relate back to the date of expiration of such original corporate period as fixed by its articles of incorporation or by statutory limitation. When such period is extended as provided by this act, any and all corporate acts and contracts done and performed, made and entered into after the expiration of said original period shall be and each is hereby declared to be legal and valid.

Sec. 4. Not to apply to corporations whose charters have been forfeited.—This act shall not apply to any corporation the charter of which has been declared forfeited by the final judgment of any court of competent jurisdiction of this state, or to any corporation as to which there is pending any action or proceeding in any of the courts of this state for the forfeiture of its charter, nor shall this act affect any action or proceeding now pending in any of the courts of this state in relation to any corporation described in Section 1 of this act.

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