

of a joint interim committee to study and report recommendations to the legislature as to the salary schedules, classification of positions, need for additional employees, need for and form of civil service for said employees, or other matters pertinent to the personnel problems of the public employees of any county wherein is situated a city of the first class, in order to provide the necessary funds to conduct such study, to employ personnel and public service specialists to aid such interim committee in ascertaining the necessary facts, and in preparing its report, and to pay the necessary expenses of said committee in conducting its work including clerical and stenographic expense, it shall be the duty of the Board of County Commissioners of such county within 30 days after such interim committee shall be appointed, to appropriate from any moneys in the county treasury not otherwise appropriated the sum of \$5,000.

**Sec. 2. Members of commission to receive no compensation.**

—The funds so secured shall be available to the interim committee to defray its necessary expenses in conducting its studies and in making its report and recommendations. The members of such committee shall receive no compensation for their services but shall be paid necessary expenses incurred in attendance upon the meetings of the committee. The chairman of the committee shall file with the county auditor a statement showing the expenses incurred, which with claims for other expenses incurred by the committee shall not exceed the amount so appropriated. The auditor shall audit such claims and issue his warrants upon the county treasurer who shall pay the same out of the appropriation so made. Any surplus remaining unexpended from said fund after the said committee has made its report and has been discharged, shall be returned to the county.

Approved April 16, 1943.

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CHAPTER 471—H. F. No. 1349.

*An act relating to clerk hire in certain counties and amending Laws 1921, Chapter 133, Section 14, as amended.*

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

**Section 1. Salary of deputy clerk in district court in certain counties.**—Laws 1921, Chapter 133, Section 14, amended

by Laws 1923, Chapter 419, Section 14, amended by Laws 1925, Chapter 398, Section 2, as amended by Laws 1929, Chapter 359, as amended by Laws 1937, Chapter 290, Section 1, is amended to read as follows:

“Sec. 14. The Clerk of the District Court shall appoint and employ one Chief Deputy who shall be paid the sum of \$3,700.00 per annum; one head counter deputy who shall be paid the sum of \$2,300.00 per annum; one assignment deputy who shall be paid the sum of \$3,200.00 per annum; *one assistant assignment deputy who shall be paid the sum of \$2,800.00 per annum*; two deputy clerks who shall each be paid the sum of \$1,970.00 per annum; one deputy clerk who shall be paid the sum of \$2,160.00 per annum; six deputy clerks who shall each be paid the sum of \$1,800.00 per annum; twelve deputy clerks who shall *each* be paid the sum of \$1,900.00 per annum; two deputy clerks who shall each be paid the sum of \$1,800.00 per annum; one deputy who shall be paid the sum of \$1,800.00 per annum; one deputy who shall be paid the sum of \$2,300.00 per annum; one deputy clerk who shall be paid the sum of \$2,300.00 per annum; *one deputy clerk* who shall be paid the sum of \$2,100.00 per annum; three deputy clerks who shall each be paid the sum of \$1,800.00 per annum; two deputies who shall each be paid the sum of \$1,600.00 per annum.

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CHAPTER 472—H. F. No. 169.

(AMENDING SECTION 282.09 MINNESOTA STATUTES 1941.)

*An act relating to delinquent and tax-forfeited lands, and permitting the expenditure of money for the cutting down of weeds thereon and to amend Mason's Supplement 1940, Section 2139-23.*

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

Section 1. **Law amended.**—Mason's Supplement 1940, Section 2139-23, is hereby amended to read as follows:

2139-23. **Forfeited tax sale fund—cutting weeds.**—The county auditor and county treasurer shall place all moneys received through the operation of this act in a fund to be known as the “Forfeited Tax Sale Fund” and all disbursements and costs shall be charged against said fund, when allowed by the county board, including compensation of the members of the county