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Approved April 16, 1947.

CHAPTER 366—S. F. No. 299

[Not Coded]

An act relating to the reinstatement of agreements for the repurchase of tax forfeited land, legalizing payments of delinquent installments for purchase thereof, and amending Laws 1945, Chapter 505.

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

Section 1. Reinstatement of agreements on tax-forfeited lands. Any agreement for repurchase of tax forfeited land which has been terminated for default may be reinstated as herein provided upon a written request by the purchaser under the agreement, his heirs, successors, assigns, or any person to whom the right to pay taxes is given by statute, mortgage or other written agreement, filed with the county auditor not later than December 31, 1948, provided that the land has not been resold. The petitioner shall deposit there-with an amount sufficient to pay all delinquent payments under the agreement, taxes, penalties, interest and costs required to be paid under the agreement, together with an amount equal to the taxes and assessments that would have been levied and payable but for the termination of such repurchase agreement; such taxes shall be computed by the county auditor as in the case of omitted taxes that would have been

assessed between the date of the termination of such agreement and the petition for reinstatement thereof.

Sec. 2. Auditor to note reinstatement; taxes to be levied on lands. Thereupon the county auditor shall note the reinstatement upon his records and shall pay over to the county treasurer the amount deposited by the petitioner. If such reinstatement is made after May 1, 1947, the county auditor shall levy taxes for the year 1947 on said land as in the case of omitted taxes.

Sec. 3. Payments legalized. In all cases where any county auditor and county treasurer have accepted payment of one or more delinquent installments of the purchase price of any repurchase agreement, entered into for the repurchase of tax forfeited lands, after the due date of such payment, and where such payments consisted of the full amount of the installment due with accrued interest, said payments are hereby legalized and made valid to the extent that they would have been legal if paid within the time specified in said repurchase agreements.

Approved April 16, 1947.

CHAPTER 367—S. F. No. 347

An act relating to county school districts and joint school districts; and amending Minnesota Statutes 1945, Section 123.23.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1945, Section 123.23, is amended to read as follows:

123.23. Formation of county school districts. Subdivision 1. **Certain school districts may consolidate.** Any county having less than twenty-seven organized school districts may consolidate the school districts in that county into one county district which shall be designated as the county school district in the manner provided in subdivisions 2 and 3.

Subd. 2. Authorization. The board of county commissioners of such county may, by resolution, and shall, upon petition to such board signed by not less than ten per cent of