

to be appointed annually from the Minnesota State Medical Association by the Council thereof.

[144.64] Sec. 6. **Exceptions.** Nothing in this act shall be construed as requiring the registration of a duly licensed and registered doctor of medicine who operates a licensed hospital or sanatorium, owned by him, in this state.

[144.65] Sec. 7. **Violations; penalties.** Any person violating any of the provisions of this act shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

Sec. 8. **Effective date.** This act shall take effect July 1, 1947.

Approved April 5, 1947.

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CHAPTER 241—S. F. No. 1091

[Not Coded]

*An act relating to and providing for the levy of additional school taxes in school districts in the State of Minnesota within the limits of cities of the first class operating under a home rule charter, which does not fix the amount which may be expended for school purposes; amending Laws 1921, Chapter 332, Section 1, as amended.*

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

Section 1. Laws 1921, Chapter 332, Section 1, as amended by Laws 1937, Chapter 85, Section 1, by Laws 1941, Chapter 219, Section 1, by Laws 1943, Chapter 606, Section 1, and by Laws 1945, Chapter 293, Section 1, is amended to read as follows :

Section 1. **Additional levy in certain cities for school taxes.**  
*Subdivision 1.* In every independent school district within the limits of a city of the first class operating under a home rule charter which does not fix the amounts which may be expended for school purposes, there may be levied, and the board of education, or other school board therein, is hereby authorized to and may levy annually, independently of and in addition to all other sums for school purposes now authorized by law to be levied, the following additional amounts of taxes for the following named school purposes :

- (1) An amount equal to six mills on each dollar of the

taxable property of the district for the purchase of sites for school houses and to defray the expenses incurred, or to be incurred, in building, re-building, remodeling, repairing and furnishing school houses and installing heating, ventilating and plumbing plants in the same and equipping the same with libraries, apparatus and other school furniture.

(2) An amount equal to three-fourth of one mill on each dollar of the taxable property of the district for the support and maintenance of evening and summer schools for elementary and high school grades.

(3) An amount equal to one-fourth of one mill on each dollar of the taxable property of the district for educational work among immigrants, candidates for naturalization and removal of illiteracy.

*Subd. 2.* The total annual levy of taxes for school purposes in any such district, exclusive of the state and county school taxes therein, and exclusive of all levies authorized for the purposes mentioned in *subdivision 1, clauses (1), (2), and (3)*, hereof, and exclusive of the levies authorized for interest and sinking fund purposes and for teachers retirement fund association purposes, and for the purposes mentioned in Laws 1917, Chapter 166, shall not exceed an amount, which, when added to an amount equal to the income available for current operating expenses *received during the previous fiscal period*, exclusive of apportionments on the district levy, exclusive of receipts from delinquent taxes, and exclusive of any receipts from federal funds, will equal \$182.50 for each student in kindergarden through junior college (both inclusive but excluding post-graduate high school and night school students) based on the average number belonging in the previous school year. *Provided, that whenever the latest quotation of the consumers' price index, published by the Federal Bureau of Labor Statistics for Minneapolis, Minnesota, available on August first of the year in which the tax levy is made, exceeds an index of 145 over the 1935-1939 base period then the amount of the levy may be increased by an amount equal to 70 cents for each point of such excess multiplied by the average number students belonging as above defined; whenever the latest quotation of the consumers' price index, published by the Federal Bureau of Labor Statistics for Minneapolis, Minnesota, available on August first of the year in which the tax levy is made, is less than an index of 145 over the 1935-1939 base period then the maximum amount of levy shall be decreased by an amount equal to 70 cents for each point of such difference multiplied by the average number of students*

*belonging as above defined.* Provided, nevertheless, that no provision hereof shall have any application to any city of the first class having a home rule charter and operating under a so-called commission form of government, wherein the council or other governing body of the municipality, under such charter, is constituted its taxing authority, *for school purposes.*

Approved April 5, 1947.

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CHAPTER 242—H. F. No. 64

*An act relating to the maintenance and management of law libraries and requiring the clerk of district court to collect fees for the maintenance and management thereof in certain counties; and amending Minnesota Statutes 1945, Section 140.21.*

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1945, Section 140.21, is amended to read hereafter as follows :

140.21. **Law library fees.** It shall be the duty of the clerk of the district court of such county to collect in each civil suit, action or proceeding filed in such court, in the manner in which other fees are collected therein and in addition thereto, as law library fees, the sum of *one dollar* from the plaintiff or person instituting such suit, action or proceeding, at the time of the filing of the first paper therein, and the sum of *one dollar* from the defendant or other adverse or intervening party, or any one or more of several defendants, or other adverse or intervening parties appearing separately from the others, to be collected when his or their appearance is entered in such action or proceeding or when the first paper on his or their part is filed therein. Such law library fees shall be costs in the case, and taxable as such, and shall be allotted for the support of said library.

**Sec. 2. Effective date.** This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

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