

CHAPTER 284—S. F. No. 1025

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An act providing for the renewal of the period of corporate existence of certain social and charitable corporations whose period of duration has expired without renewal thereof, and legalizing and validating certain corporate acts 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. Renewal of corporate existence of social or charitable corporations. Any social or charitable corporation heretofore created under the laws of this state, and corporations created under General Statutes of 1894, Chapter 34, Title 3, 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 business, may by the affirmative vote of three-fourths of the voting power of the members or stockholders present and voting, in person or by proxy, at a meeting duly and regularly called for the purpose, 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 period of duration, by taking the same proceedings and paying into the state treasury the same fees as now provided by law for the renewal of the corporate existence of such corporations in cases where such renewal is made before the end of its period of duration.

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

Sec. 3. Relation back. When such proceedings are taken within such period of time, such proceedings shall relate back to the date of the expiration of such original corporate period as fixed by the articles of incorporation or by statutory limitation, and any and all corporate acts done and performed after the expiration of such original period, shall be, and each hereby is, declared legal and valid.

Sec. 4. Not to apply to charter forfeited by any court. This act shall not apply to any corporation the charter of which has been adjudged forfeited by 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.

Approved April 7, 1947.

CHAPTER 285—S. F. No. 88

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An act providing for the admission of certain persons to practice law in this state.

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

Section 1. Admission to practice law. Subdivision 1. Veteran excused from examination in certain subjects. In any case where a student has satisfactorily completed study for one full year or more in any approved law school in Minnesota and is otherwise eligible to take an examination given by the state board of law examiners and was inducted into the armed forces of the United States, it shall not be necessary for the state board of law examiners to examine such student in those subjects which were satisfactorily completed in such approved law school prior to the student's entry into the armed forces of the United States.

Subd. 2. Certain students may be admitted. Any student in an approved law school in Minnesota who completed, prior to his entry into the armed forces of the United States, all work necessary to entitle him to a diploma in the degree of Bachelor of Science in Law whose education was interrupted by entry into the armed forces of the United States may be admitted to practice law in this state without an examination by the state board of law examiners upon a certificate of the law school at which he was a student that he has satisfactorily completed all work necessary to entitle him to a diploma in the degree of Bachelor of Laws, that he maintained an average in his studies which placed him in the highest 80 per cent of students in his class and an affidavit by the president or secretary of the law school that the student is of good moral character and otherwise qualified for admission to practice law in this state.

Subd. 3. Time limitation. The provisions of this act shall not apply to any student who has not resumed his course of study in an approved law school on or before December 31, 1947.

Approved April 10, 1947.