

commissioner, at *St. Paul, Minnesota*, on or before the *23rd* day of each month, a report in a manner approved by the commissioner. At the time of every such sale the purchaser shall deliver to the seller, on forms to be prescribed by the commissioner, a statement of the amount of such fuel purchased, and the dates thereof, and a declaration that such fuel is to be used exclusively in farm tractors.

Sec. 14. **Repealer.** Minnesota Statutes 1945, Sections 296.01, Subdivision 8, 296.08, and 296.09, are repealed.

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CHAPTER 413—S. F. No. 1194

[Not Coded]

An act relating to home rule cities of the first-class now or hereafter having a population of not more than 150,000 inhabitants and now or hereafter having a total assessed valuation of less than \$75,000,000, permitting the governing body of any such city to direct purchases of property, supplies, materials, equipment or services for such city, in amounts of less than \$500, without advertising or calling for competitive bids.

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

Section 1. **Certain cities may make certain purchases without advertising or calling for competitive bids.** Notwithstanding anything contained in the charter of any city of the first-class now or hereafter having a population of not more than 150,000 inhabitants, and now or hereafter having a total assessed valuation of less than \$75,000,000, the governing body of any such city may, by resolution, direct purchases of property, supplies, materials, equipment or services for such city, in amounts of less than \$500.00, without advertising or calling for competitive bids.

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