of the voters of the city, all the proceedings are hereby validated notwithstanding that the original minutes of the city council do not show the adoption of a formal resolution determining it was necessary and expedient to issue bonds and the city council is authorized to issue and sell bonds pursuant to Minnesota Statutes 1945, Chapter 475, and such bonds when executed and delivered according to such law, are hereby legalized and declared to be valid obligations of the said city.

Sec. 2. Remedial. It is expressly found and determined that this act is remedial in nature, being necessary to protect the financial credit of such cities.

Approved April 19, 1947.

CHAPTER 426—H. F. No. 1448 [Not Coded]

An act relating to the municipal court of the city of Duluth, amending Laws 1923, Chapter 238, Section 52, as amended by Laws 1925, Chapter 85, Sections 7 and 8, as amended by Laws 1929, Chapter 45, Section 1, as amended by Laws 1943, Chapter 524, Section 52, and as amended by Laws 1945, Chapter 361, Section 52.

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

Section 1. Salary of judges, clerks and employees; cost of living index. Laws 1923, Chapter 238, Section 52, as amended by Laws 1925, Chapter 85, Sections 7 and 8, as amended by Laws 1929, Chapter 45, Section 1, as amended by Laws 1943, Chapter 524, Section 52, as amended by Laws 1945, Chapter 361, Section 52, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 52. The salary of the judges of said municipal court shall be \$5,500 per annum, and the salary of the assistant municipal judge shall be \$2,100 per annum. The salary of the clerk of said municipal court shall be \$3,240 per annum, the salary of the probation officer shall be the sum of \$3,000 per annum, and the salary of the deputy probation officer shall be the sum of \$1,500 per annum. The salary of the first deputy clerk and the chief counter clerk shall be \$2,400 per annum. The salary of the second deputy clerk shall be \$2,340 per annum and the salary of the other deputy clerks herein provided for shall be \$2,040 each per annum.

In case additional deputy clerks shall be appointed with the consent and sanction of the council of the city of Duluth, as provided in Section 11 of this act, the said city council shall fix the compensation of the deputy or deputies so appointed. The salary of the official court reporter appointed under Section 14 of this act shall be \$3,240 per annum. The salary of each officer shall be payable from the city treasury of Duluth in monthly installments, and neither of said officers shall receive any fee or compensation except as herein provided.

In addition to the salaries hereinbefore enumerated in said Section 52 of this act, the city council shall pay to each and every full time judge, clerk, deputy clerk, the probation officer and the deputy probation officer, and court reporter, a sum of money known and described as the cost of living index, in the same sum and amount and to the same extent of time as is paid to the city employees of the city of Duluth.

Approved April 19, 1947.

CHAPTER 427-S. F. No. 266

An act relating to the salaries of the justices of the supreme court and the officers and employees, the retirement compensation for justices of the supreme court and judges of the district court; amending Minnesota Statutes 1945, Section 350.09; and repealing Minnesota Statutes 1945, Section 350.105.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1945, Section 350.09, is amended to read as follows:

350.09. Salaries; office of the supreme court. The yearly salaries to be paid to the officers and employees in the office of the supreme court shall be as follows:

- (1) Chief justice, \$12,000;
- (2) Associate justices, \$11,000 each;
- (3) Clerk of the supreme court, \$4,500; provided, that of the moneys appropriated for salaries, \$500 is additional.