

by the clerk on and after April 28, 1947, shall be in accordance with the provisions of this act.

Sec. 14. Severable. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby superseded, modified or amended so far as necessary to give full force and effect to the provisions of this act.

Sec. 15. Limitation. Nothing in this act shall be construed as amending, modifying or repealing the provisions of Minnesota Statutes 1945, Section 140.06.

Sec. 16. Effective date. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after the date of its passage.

Approved April 26, 1947.

CHAPTER 571—S. F. No. 1409

[Coded as Sections 105.60 to 105.62]

An act relating to the Lac qui Parle water control project, providing for the acquisition of certain rights or easements for the use of stoplogs in connection therewith, and appropriating money therefor from the Lac qui Parle and Big Stone Lake water control projects fund.

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

[105.60] **Acquisition of easements for the use of stoplogs.**
Section 1. In order to provide more effective regulation of the waters controlled by the Lac qui Parle water control project in Chippewa and Lac qui Parle Counties for flood control, water conservation, and other authorized public purposes, the commissioner of conservation is hereby authorized to acquire in the name of the state by purchase, gift, or condemnation under the provisions of Laws 1943, Chapter 476, and other applicable statutes any and all rights or easements, in addition to those already owned by the state, that may be necessary for the use of stoplogs in not more than five of the openings in the concrete spillway in the dam at the outlet of the Lac qui Parle reservoir in said project, upon the following conditions:

(1) That no stoplogs shall be placed or kept in any of said openings from the time the reservoir freezes over in the fall until April 1 following;

(2) That between April 1 and April 30 following, inclusive, stoplogs may be placed and maintained in said five openings, or any thereof, to a height not exceeding four feet above the fixed concrete crest of said spillway;

(3) That thereafter and until the reservoir freezes over in the following fall, stoplogs may be placed and maintained in said five openings, or any thereof, to a height not exceeding six and one-half feet above the crest of said spillway.

[105.61] **Use of stoplogs upon institution of proceedings.** Sec. 2. The commissioner of conservation, either upon making and filing in the office of the state auditor an order declaring the taking of any of the rights or easements specified in Section 1 of this act, and upon the filing of certified copies of such order in the offices of the registers of deeds of said Chippewa and Lac qui Parle Counties, or upon the filing of an appropriate petition in condemnation proceedings for the taking of any such rights or easements, may thereupon forthwith exercise and use the rights or easements described in such order or petition, as the case may be.

[105.62] **Expense paid from certain water controlled projects.** Sec. 3. All costs and damages incurred on account of the taking, exercise, or use of any right or easement under this act shall be paid from the Lac qui Parle and Big Stone Lake Water Control Projects fund created by Laws 1943, Chapter 476, and such amounts as may be necessary therefor are hereby appropriated from any moneys now or hereafter credited to said fund, subject to disbursement as provided by said chapter for other expenditures from said fund.

Approved April 26, 1947.

CHAPTER 572—S. F. No. 1419

[Not Coded]

An act relating to relief in emergencies caused by storms, floods, fires, or other catastrophies and appropriating money therefor to the Governor to be expended after consulting the legislative advisory committee.

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

Section 1. **Flood relief; appropriation; governor to consult legislative advisory committee.** There is hereby appro-