

Sec. 3. **Effective date.** This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved March 31, 1949.

CHAPTER 213—S. F. No. 348

[Not Coded]

An act relating to the sale of state trust fund lands and reinstatement of contracts in default.

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

Section 1. **Reinstatement of contracts relating to state trust fund lands.** Upon application filed with and approved by the commissioner of conservation within 30 days from the date of passage of this act, any contract for the purchase of state trust fund land entered into subsequent to May 1, 1941, and which has become cancelled through error on the part of a county treasurer or any agent or employee of the State of Minnesota in crediting payment tendered to an incorrect description shall be deemed reinstated, provided there accompanies the application, the full amount unpaid on the contract together with interest to June 1, 1949, provided that no such application shall be granted until the applicant shall have paid in full all delinquent and current taxes then accrued against such premises with interest, penalty and costs.

Approved March 31, 1949.

CHAPTER 214—S. F. No. 429

[Coded as Section 447.045]

An act relating to county hospitals; authorizing certain cities to appropriate funds from municipal liquor store profits to aid in construction, equipping and maintenance thereof.

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

[447.045] Section 1. Subd. 4. **Liquor dispensary profits appropriated for community hospital.** If the voters of any

city of the fourth class operating under a home rule charter or otherwise, operating one or more municipal liquor stores, at a general or special election vote in favor of contributing from the profit in the city liquor dispensary fund toward the construction, equipping and maintenance of a county hospital within the limits of the city, the council thereof may appropriate not to exceed \$100,000 from profits in its liquor dispensary fund for the construction, equipping and maintenance of a county hospital in such city and open to all residents of the city on equal terms.

Certificates of indebtedness in anticipation of such profits may be issued by any such city payable only from profits from the operation of such store or stores.

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CHAPTER 215—S. F. No. 577

[Not Coded]

An act relating to tax levies for permanent improvement and equipment fund in certain cities of the fourth class, having a population in excess of 2,000 and an assessed valuation of real and personal property in excess of \$2,000,000 and which valuation consists of 50 percent iron ore, and providing for a continuance of such levies.

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

Section 1. Permanent improvement and equipment fund; cities of the fourth class whose valuation consists of 50 per cent iron ore. The governing body of any city of the fourth class, however organized, having a population in excess of 2,000 and an assessed valuation of real and personal property in excess of \$2,000,000, and which valuation consists of 50 per cent iron ore, may establish a permanent improvement and equipment fund, from which moneys may be expended only for the purpose of purchasing equipment and for repairing, improving, adding to, extending, demolishing, altering, constructing and building sewer systems, sewage disposal plants, sidewalks, water systems, electric power and light systems, water tanks, streets and alleys, curb and gutters, buildings and other public improvements now or hereafter acquired.