

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

Section 1. Laws 1947, Chapter 122, Section 1, is amended to read as follows:

Section 1. **Repeal; saving clause.** Minnesota Statutes 1945, Section 106.80, is hereby repealed save only in those instances where the court has appointed a committee pursuant to petition and hearing as provided by subdivision 2 of said chapter. In all cases when such committee has been appointed prior to the effective date of this act, subdivisions 2, 3, 4 and 5 of said chapter 214 shall continue and be of full force and effect. *Any such committee shall continue to function with respect to the drainage system for which appointed and with respect to that system if enlarged, extended, or improved by proceedings subsequent to those in which the committee was appointed on a new petition which gives a different number to the system than that by which it was first designated.*

Approved April 7, 1951.

CHAPTER 313—S. F. No. 1011

An act relating to the annual levy of taxes for joint tuberculosis sanatorium purposes in certain cases; amending Minnesota Statutes 1949, Section 376.49.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1949, Section 376.49, is amended to read as follows:

376.49 Tax limitation, sanatorium purposes. In all cases where not less than four nor more than six counties have joined in the establishment and maintenance of a tuberculosis sanatorium, which counties have a total assessed valuation of not less than \$10,000,000 nor more than \$20,000,000 and a total population of not less than 35,000 nor more than 60,000 and a total number of full and fractional townships of not less than 140 nor more than 250 the total annual levy of county taxes for all tuberculosis sanatorium purposes authorized by law

shall not be in excess of four mills on the dollar of assessed valuation in the county, of which not more than three mills shall be for maintenance, and all such taxes shall be levied and collected in the manner now provided by law. Any county so adjoining now or hereafter having a population of not less than 13,000 nor more than 16,000 and having an assessed valuation exclusive of money and credits of not less than \$2,500,000 nor more than \$3,700,000 and containing not less than 54 nor more than 56 full and fractional congressional townships, may annually levy for such tubercular sanatorium purposes a tax not to exceed six mills on the dollar of the assessed valuation in such county, of which not more than five mills shall be for maintenance, and all such taxes shall be levied and collected in the manner now provided for by law.

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CHAPTER 314—H. F. No. 71

[Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 Coded as Section 144.422]

An act to provide for the control of tuberculosis; making certain acts misdemeanors, providing for punishment and place of confinement; repealing Minnesota Statutes 1949, Sections 144.423, 144.424, Subdivisions 1 to 7 inclusive, and Section 144.426; and amending Minnesota Statutes 1949, Section 144.424, Subdivision 8, and Section 144.425.

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

[144.422] **Tuberculosis suspects.** Section 1. *Subdivision 1. Patient defined. The word "patient" as used in sections 1, 2 and 3 of this act, means any person suspected of being afflicted with tuberculosis in the infectious stage.*

Subd. 2. Reports of suspects. Any health officer who has information that a patient does by his conduct or mode of living, endanger the health and well-being of his family or other persons, may make a report thereof to the county board of the county in which such patient resides or is found. The report shall state the name and address of the patient and a summary of the health officer's information. If upon the examination of said report the county board shall have reasonable cause to believe that the patient is infected with tubercu-