

on or before October 1, pay to the superintendent of the school in which he is a *pupil* a sum not exceeding \$50.00 to be fixed by the director of public institutions. Such sum shall be used only for clothing, postage, and necessary incidental expenses for the pupil. In addition, in such cases, the county shall be liable for the actual transportation of the pupil to and from the school. Should the person legally liable for the support of the pupil default in the payment of such sum, or any part thereof, such unpaid balance shall be referred to the auditor of the county of which the pupil is a resident and the county shall either collect or assume such bill. The superintendent, on July 1 each year, shall render to the county auditor and to the director of public institutions a detailed account of all cases of indigency or default.

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CHAPTER 356—H. F. No. 287

*An act relating to the issuance of licenses or permits under, over and across state-owned lands and public waters; amending Minnesota Statutes 1949, Section 84.415, Subdivisions 1 and 3.*

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1949, Section 84.415, Subdivision 1, is amended to read:

84.415 **Leases, easements.** Subdivision 1. **Utility companies, permit to cross state-owned lands.** *The commissioner of conservation may, at public or private sale and for such price and upon such terms as he may prescribe (except where prohibited by law) grant licenses permitting passage over, under, or across any part of any school, university, internal improvement, swamp, tax-forfeited or other land or public water under the control of the state, or telephone, telegraph, and electric power lines, cables or conduits, underground or otherwise, or mains or pipe lines for gas, liquids, or solids in suspension. Any such licenses shall be cancelable upon reasonable notice by the commissioner for sub-*

*stantial violation of its terms, or if at any time its continuance will conflict with a public use of the land or water over or upon which it is granted, or for any other cause. All such land or public water shall remain subject to sale or lease or other legal use, but in case of sale, lease or other use there may be excepted from the grant or other disposition of land or public water all rights included in any license over, under, or across it, and the license may contain an agreement that there will be such exemption. All rights so excepted shall be reserved to the state and be cancelable by the commissioner for the same reasons or cause as they might have been cancelled before such sale, lease or other use of the land or water. Upon such cancellation, which shall be only after reasonable notice to the licensee, all rights granted by the license shall be vested in the state and may be granted again by the commissioner on the terms and conditions he may prescribe, but subject to cancellation for the same reasons or causes as they might have been originally cancelled unless ownership of the fee and of the license are merged. Any license granted before passage of this act may be governed by it if the licensee and commissioner so agree. Reasonable notice as used in this subdivision means a 90-day written notice addressed to the record owner of the license at the last known address, and upon cancellation the commissioner may grant extensions of time to vacate the premises affected.*

Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 1949, Section 84.415, Subdivision 3, is amended to read:

Subd. 3. **Application, form.** The application for license or permit shall be in quadruplicate, and shall include with each copy a legal description of the lands or waters affected, a metes and bounds description of the required right of way, a map showing said features, and a detailed design of any structures necessary, *or in lieu thereof shall be in such other form, and include such other descriptions, maps or designs, as the commissioner in his discretion may require.* The commissioner may at any time order such changes or modifications respecting construction or maintenance of structures or other conditions of the license or permit as he deems necessary to protect the public health and safety.

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