

(8) Searching the record, ten cents;

(9) An abstract of title, 40 cents for every transfer, and \$1.00 for certificate. In all counties where the compensation of the register of deeds is not fixed by special laws, having a population of over 19,000, and not exceeding 75,000, where the report of the register of deeds, made pursuant to section 382.05, shows that he received as fees in the preceding calendar year less than \$2,000, the county board of any such county shall thereupon pay to the register of deeds, from the county revenue fund, enough money to make the compensation of the register of deeds \$2,000 for the preceding calendar year; and in all counties having a population of over 10,000, and not exceeding 19,000, where such report of the register of deeds shows that he received as fees in the preceding calendar year less than \$1,500, the county board of any such county shall thereupon pay to the register of deeds, from the county fund, enough money to make the compensation of the register of deeds \$1,500 for the preceding calendar year; and in all counties having a population of 10,000, or less, where the report of the register of deeds shows he received as fees in the preceding calendar year less than \$1,200, the county board of any such county shall thereupon pay to the register of deeds, from the county fund, enough money to make the compensation of the register of deeds \$1,200 for the preceding calendar year.

This section shall not apply to counties having a population of more than 75,000, nor to any county where such fees are now fixed by special law.

Approved April 19, 1951.

CHAPTER 485—S. F. No. 913

[Not Coded]

An act relating to the compensation of judges of the municipal court for the village of Hibbing, St. Louis County; amending Laws 1929, Chapter 253, Section 5.

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

Section 1. Laws 1929, Chapter 253, Section 5, is amended to read:

Sec. 5. **Municipal judge, salary.** The salary of the municipal judge shall be such sum as the village council may designate, *which salary shall not be diminished during his term*, except as hereinafter provided, and which shall be payable in equal monthly installments. The municipal judge shall have thirty days' vacation each year on full pay and it shall be taken at such time or times as he may arrange with the special municipal judge. The salary of the special municipal judge shall be ten dollars (\$10.00) per day for each day necessarily spent in presiding as such special judge in said court, and when he spends less than a day, he shall be paid only in proportion to the time so spent; but for services in any one day he shall be allowed for at least one-half of a day's salary, though the time necessarily spent may have been less than one-half of a day, which salary of the special judge shall be payable monthly, upon statement to be by him filed with the village recorder. Where the special judge presides in said court and is allowed and paid for the time spent the amount so allowed shall be deducted from the salary of the municipal judge as hereinafter named, except where the special municipal judge presides along with the municipal judge, at his request, or any time when the said municipal judge is on his vacation or is necessarily engaged in the trial of other cases in said court, or is attending other official duties of his said office, or where the said municipal judge is disqualified by law from presiding in such matter, or is interested, biased or prejudiced, or is sick, disabled or incapacitated from attending to the duties of his office.

In the absence or disability of the municipal judge and special municipal judge of said court, the president of the village council may designate a practicing attorney to sit in place of such municipal judge from day to day.

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CHAPTER 486—S. F. No. 942

An act relating to educational opportunities for children of certain deceased veterans of World War I; amending Minnesota Statutes 1949, Section 197.09.

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