

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1949, Section 297.22, Subdivision 1, is amended to read:

297.22 Tax. Subdivision 1. From and after July 1, 1951, a tax is hereby imposed upon the use or storage by consumers of cigarettes in this state, and upon such consumers, at the following rates:

(1) On cigarettes weighing not more than three pounds per thousand, *two* mills on each such cigarette;

(2) On cigarettes weighing more than three pounds per thousand, *four* mills on each such cigarette.

Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 1949, Section 297.26, is amended to read:

297.26 Distribution of revenues. All revenues derived from taxes, penalties and interest under sections 297.21 to 297.26 shall be deposited by the commissioner in the state treasury and credited *one-fourth* to the Cigarette Tax Apportionment Fund and the balance to the general revenue fund.

Approved April 20, 1951.

CHAPTER 571—H. F. No. 316

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An act relating to the licensing of electricians and creating master electricians classifications; amending Laws 1947, Chapter 253, Section 5, Subdivision 1, Section 6, Subdivision 1, and Section 7, as amended.

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

Section 1. Laws 1947, Chapter 253, Section 5, Subdivision 1, as amended by Laws 1949, Chapter 550, Section 1, is amended to read:

Sec. 5. Master electrician, class B. Subdivision 1. Temporary master electrician. There is hereby created a

temporary Class B master electrician's classification. The holder of a license heretofore granted under this provision may continue as such temporary Class B master electrician until he qualifies as a master electrician as prescribed by law, but in no event shall such classification as herein provided for extend beyond December 31, 1953.

Sec. 2. Laws 1947, Chapter 253, Section 6, Subdivision 1, as amended by Laws 1949, Chapter 550, Section 2, is amended to read:

Sec. 6. **Journeyman electrician, class B.** Subdivision 1. **Temporary journeyman electrician.** There is hereby created a temporary Class B journeyman electrician's classification. The holder of a license heretofore granted under this provision may continue as such temporary journeyman Class B electrician until he qualifies as a journeyman electrician as prescribed by law, but in no event shall such classification as herein provided for extend beyond December 31, 1953.

Sec. 3. Laws 1947, Chapter 253, Section 7, as amended by Laws 1949, Chapter 550, Section 3, is amended to read:

Sec. 7. **Application of sections 326.24 to 326.32.** As far as possible, all provisions of sections 326.24 to 326.32 shall apply to temporary Class B license classifications. No such license shall remain in effect beyond December 31, 1953.

Approved April 20, 1951.

CHAPTER 572—H. F. No. 504

An act relating to wild animals and to the taking of minnows for commercial purposes; amending Minnesota Statutes 1949, Section 97.48, Subdivision 6.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1949, Section 97.48, Subdivision 6, is amended to read: