

Section 1. **Repealer.** Laws 1953, Chapter 584, Section 3, is hereby repealed.

Approved March 11, 1955.

CHAPTER 148—H. F. No. 635

An act relating to fees of clerks of district court in certain counties; amending Laws 1947, Chapter 570, Sections 2 and 3, Minnesota Statutes 1953, Section 593.15.

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

Section 1. Laws 1947, Chapter 570, Section 2, is amended to read:

Sec. 2. **Case entry, defendant's appearance, fee.** In every civil action or proceeding in said court, except proceedings for change of name, the naturalization of foreign born residents, the registration of land titles, and the enforcement of the payment of taxes, when no answer is filed, the plaintiff, petitioner or other moving party shall pay, when the same is entered in said court, or when the first paper on his part is filed therein, a fee of \$4.

The defendant or other adverse or intervening party, or any one or more of several defendants, or other adverse or intervening parties appearing separately from the others, shall pay when his or their appearance is entered in such action or proceeding, or when the first paper on his or their part is filed therein, a fee of \$4.

Sec. 2. Laws 1947, Chapter 570, Section 3, is amended to read:

Sec. 3. **Fees; trial, jury.** Whenever any action or proceeding in said court is brought on for trial or hearing, each party thereto appearing separately therein, shall, before the introduction of any evidence therein, pay a trial fee of \$3, and in addition thereto, the plaintiff shall pay a jury fee of \$3 for a jury of six, or \$5 for a jury of 12.

Sec. 3. Minnesota Statutes 1953, Section 593.15, is amended to read:

593.15 Juries in Hennepin county. In all counties now or hereafter having a population of more than 400,000 the jury in civil actions shall consist of six persons; provided, that any party may have the right to increase the number of jurors to 12 by paying to the clerk a jury fee of \$5 at any time

before the trial commences. Failure to pay such fee shall be deemed a waiver of a jury of 12.

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CHAPTER 149—H. F. No. 760

[Not Coded]

An act relating to tax levies for road and bridge purposes.

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

Section 1. Road and bridge fund levy; certain county. In any county in this state now or hereafter having a population of not less than 21,000, nor more than 22,000 inhabitants, according to the 1950 federal census and containing more than 19 and less than 21 full and fractional congressional townships and having an area of not less than 700 nor more than 750 square miles, the county board at its July meeting may include in its annual levy an amount for the county road and bridge fund which shall not exceed 20 mills on the dollar of the taxable valuation of the county.

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CHAPTER 150—H. F. No. 773

[Not Coded]

An act to legalize proceedings in certain cities preliminary to and in the issuance of sewage disposal facility bonds.

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

Section 1. Cities fourth class, proceedings legalized. When any city of the fourth class in this state containing taxable property having a true and full valuation of not less than \$3,400,000 according to the most recent assessment thereof for the purpose of state, county and municipal taxes, as finally equalized, and having on hand in a fund created by ordinance for sanitary sewer purposes not less than \$44,000 cash derived from sewer rental charges imposed upon users of its sanitary sewage system, by resolution of its governing body has determined to improve such system by the construction of disposal facilities, and has appropriated said amount on hand and has authorized the issuance of bonds in an amount