

writing, that he has had at least four years experience in wiring for, installing, and repairing electrical apparatus and equipment for light, heat, and power; and shall pay an examination fee of \$5.

Sec. 3. Minnesota Statutes 1953, Section 326.26, Subdivision 4, is amended to read:

Subd. 4. **Limited electricians.** An applicant for a limited electrician's license shall furnish evidence, in writing, that he has had at least two years experience in some special class of electrical work; and shall pay an examination fee of \$5. Such special class of electrical work shall be specified on his license.

Sec. 4. Minnesota Statutes 1953, Section 326.27, is amended to read:

326.27 Additional fees. Every applicant for a master electrician's license who passes the examination shall pay an additional fee of \$25 before such license is issued, which fee shall keep his license in force for one year; and shall pay a renewal fee of \$25 each year. Every applicant for a journeyman electrician's license who passes the examination shall pay an additional fee of \$3 before such license is issued, which fee shall keep his license in force for one year; and shall pay a renewal fee of \$3 each year. Every applicant for a limited electrician's license who passes the examination shall pay an additional fee of \$3 before such license is issued, which shall keep his license in force for one year; and shall pay a renewal fee of \$3 a year.

Sec. 5. *This act shall take effect on June 1, 1955.*

Approved April 15, 1955.

CHAPTER 458—S. F. No. 1357

An act relating to the payment of outstanding waterworks bonds in certain cities; amending Minnesota Statutes 1953, Section 442.09, Subdivision 2.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1953, Section 442.09, Subdivision 2, is amended to read:

Subd. 2. **Board of municipal works, estimates.** On or before the second Monday in August of each year the secretary

of the board shall present to the board of municipal works of the city, in writing, an estimate of the probable receipts during the next ensuing fiscal year for each such department, from each and all sources other than municipal, such fiscal year to commence on the first day of April; together with an estimate of the several amounts required during the next ensuing fiscal year for the operation and proper maintenance of each department under its control, and shall also make a special estimate of amounts required for the water-works department of the city during the next ensuing fiscal year for each of the following purposes:

- (1) For the current expenses of operating and maintaining the water-works department;
- (2) For interest on all outstanding water-works bonds;
- (3) For water-works extensions and improvements; and
- (4) For the payment of outstanding water-works bonds maturing during the next ensuing fiscal year, in the aggregate amount of not exceeding \$50,000.

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CHAPTER 459—S. F. No. 1406

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An act relating to cities of the first class having a population of not more than 150,000; prescribing a procedure for fixing the annual salaries of the governing body of any such city.

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

Section 1. Duluth, governing body to fix salary of members. The governing body of any city of the first class now or hereafter having a population of not more than 150,000, is empowered to fix the annual salaries of the members of the governing body thereof by ordinance adopted by majority vote of such governing body subject to the conditions hereinafter set forth.

Sec. 2. Referendum. The ordinance or ordinances authorized under this act shall be subject to the referendum procedure established by the home rule charter of any such city with reference to ordinances enacted by the governing body of any such city.