

Subd. 7. The forging, with intent to defraud, of any stamps, evidencing, or intending to evidence, the payment of any tax or fee due to the state or any plate, die, or other device for the printing or manufacture of any such stamp is forgery in the third degree. Every such stamp which is salable for cash, without further authentication or certification, for the purposes of payment of any such tax or fee is deemed to be of the value of the amount of money designated thereon and for which the same is salable, and larceny thereof is punished accordingly.

Subd. 8. The provisions of this section shall not exclude the application of any other laws, not inconsistent herewith, relating to the same subject matter, but are supplementary thereto.

Sec. 22. Repealer. Minnesota Statutes 1953, Sections 6.07, 6.09, 6.13, 6.14, 6.15, 6.16, 6.17, 6.27, are hereby repealed. Approved April 25, 1955.

CHAPTER 864—S. F. No. 1047

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An act creating a commission to investigate and study all matters relating to state building needs.

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

Section 1. Interim commission, study of state building needs. A commission to investigate and study all matters relating to state building needs is hereby created to consist of five members of the senate to be appointed by the committee on committees, five members of the house of representatives to be appointed by the speaker of the house and one member to be the commissioner of administration.

Sec. 2. Duties. Such commission shall make a comprehensive, detailed and complete investigation and study of the building needs of the state of Minnesota, including but not limited to the following; Determine the present and future requirements for new buildings; develop a plan for locating all administrative offices in a compact area; explore methods of financing new construction and remodeling and repairing old structures; determine if a state building commission should be created.

Sec. 3. Meetings. The commission shall hold meetings at such times and places as it may designate. It shall select

a chairman, a vice-chairman and such other officers from its membership as it may deem necessary.

Sec. 4. Testimonial powers. The commission may subpoena witnesses and records, employ such professional and technical assistants and employees as it deems necessary and convenient to enable it to accomplish its purposes.

Sec. 5. Report. The commission shall make a report to the legislature not later than January 15, 1957, setting forth its findings as a result of such investigation and study, and shall make such recommendations as it deems proper to assist the legislature in formulating legislation on the problems involved.

Sec. 6. Expenses. The members of the commission shall be reimbursed for all expenses actually and necessarily incurred in the performance of their duties.

Sec. 7. Appropriation. The sum of \$25,000 or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby appropriated out of funds not otherwise appropriated, for the use of the commission in performing its duties under the provisions of this act. For the payment of such expenses the commission shall draw its warrant upon the state treasurer, which warrants shall be signed by the chairman and at least two other members of the commission and the state auditor shall then approve and the state treasurer pay such warrants as and when presented. A general summary or statement of expenses incurred by the commission and paid shall accompany the commissioner's report.

Approved April 25, 1955.

CHAPTER 865—S. F. No. 1075

An act relating to the basic sciences; compensation of the members of the state board of examiners in basic sciences; increasing the fees for examinations; and amending Minnesota Statutes 1953, Sections 146.05, 146.06, 146.07 and 146.09.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1953, Section 146.05, is amended to read:

146.05 Organization. The state board of examiners in the basic sciences shall elect from its members a president, vice-president, and secretary-treasurer, who shall each serve