

paragraphs 1, 2, 3 and 4 shall be apportioned in the proportion of the gross income from sources in Minnesota to the gross income from all sources, and in any event a minimum credit of \$5 shall be allowed.

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CHAPTER 848—H. F. No. 1529

[Not Coded]

*An act relating to a building for the department of employment security at Minneapolis, authorizing the acquisition by gift, purchase or condemnation of certain property and appropriating money therefor.*

WHEREAS, the Congress of the United States by Public Law 567, 83d Congress, Chapter 657, enacted the Employment Security Administrative Financing Act of 1954, which was approved August 5, 1954; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to said act there was deposited to the credit of the State of Minnesota in the federal unemployment trust fund on June 30, 1956, the sum of \$533,138.23; and

WHEREAS, it is anticipated that on June 30, 1957, the further sum of \$994,500 may be deposited to the credit of the State of Minnesota in the federal unemployment trust fund pursuant to said act; and

WHEREAS, said act provides that a state may, pursuant to a specific appropriation made by the legislative body of the state, use money withdrawn from its account in the payment of expenses incurred by it for administration of its unemployment compensation law and public employment offices; and

WHEREAS, the department of employment security incurs expenses for and on behalf of the State of Minnesota for rentals in the city of Minneapolis for buildings in which to provide unemployment compensation and public employment office services to the public; and

WHEREAS, buildings available in the city of Minneapolis, through rentals, are wholly inadequate for said purpose; and

WHEREAS, it is the intent of the legislature to provide in the city of Minneapolis a building which is adequate for said purpose through an appropriation of moneys now credited to the account of this state in the unemployment trust fund, pursuant to the provisions of the Public Law 567, Chapter 657,

and which may hereafter be so credited pursuant to said act to the account of this state in said fund; and

WHEREAS, it is the intent of the legislature that moneys provided by the federal government through administrative grants to the department of employment security in amounts equal to the fair rental value, as determined by the federal government, of said building, shall, as received, be redeposited by the commissioner of the department of employment security to the credit of the State of Minnesota in the unemployment trust fund until the cost of said building has been amortized, and thereafter that no request shall be made to the federal government by the State of Minnesota for rental grants to the department of employment security for such building so long as such building is used by the department of employment security to provide unemployment compensation and employment services to the public in the city of Minneapolis; and

WHEREAS, there is available through administrative grants to the department of employment security from the federal government funds for the maintenance of such building including light, heat, water, power and communications, now, therefore,

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

Section 1. **Appropriation, building for department of employment security.** Subdivision 1. There is hereby appropriated from the moneys credited and which may hereafter be credited to this state's account in the federal unemployment trust fund by the secretary of the treasury of the United States of America pursuant to the provisions of Public Law 567, Chapter 657, entitled the Employment Security Administrative Financing Act of 1954, the sum of \$1,250,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary for the purposes stated herein. Subject to the provisions of section 903 (c) (2) of said act, the commissioner of employment security may requisition moneys appropriated by this act and upon receipt shall deposit such moneys in the state treasury to the credit of the employment security administration fund to be made available as necessary to the commissioner of administration for either of the purposes stated in subdivisions 2 and 3 of this section. Upon the accomplishment of the project authorized by this act but not later than the close of the two-year period beginning with the effective date of this act, any unexpended portion of the moneys appropriated by this act shall be redeposited in the federal unemployment trust fund to the credit of the State of Minnesota and the amount of such unexpended portion is hereby appropriated for such purpose. Moneys requisitioned and deposited in the employment security administra-

tion fund pursuant to this subdivision shall remain a part of the unemployment compensation fund until expended.

Subd. 2. The acquisition for the State of Minnesota of an existing building within the city of Minneapolis suitable to be used by the department of employment security to provide unemployment compensation and employment services to the public in said city, including the remodeling or rehabilitation thereof if necessary.

Subd. 3. The acquisition of a site for the State of Minnesota and the construction of a building thereon within the city of Minneapolis suitable to be used by the department of employment security to provide unemployment compensation and employment services to the public in said city.

Sec. 2. **Acquisition of land for building.** The commissioner of administration may acquire any real estate required under section 1, subdivisions 1 or 2 of this act, by gift, purchase or condemnation. If it is deemed necessary to acquire such real property by condemnation, proceedings shall be instituted therefor under and pursuant to Minnesota Statutes 1953, Chapter 117, and any acts amendatory thereof or supplementary thereto.

Sec. 3. **Duties of commissioner of administration.** Subdivision 1. The commissioner of administration, with the approval of the commissioner of employment security, may enter into an agreement, for and in behalf of the State of Minnesota, with the United States of America or any department or agency thereof pursuant to any federal law or rule or regulation promulgated thereunder governing or relating to the availability and use of the funds contemplated by this act and upon such terms and conditions as may be prescribed by the United States of America or any department or agency thereof, notwithstanding the provisions of any state law to the contrary or inconsistent therewith.

Subd. 2. Unless the laws of the United States of America or any rule or regulation promulgated thereunder otherwise direct, the moneys appropriated by this act shall be expended in accordance with the laws of the State of Minnesota.

Sec. 4. **Commissioner of employment security to approve expenditures.** No obligation shall be incurred or any money expended pursuant to the appropriation herein made without the approval and concurrence of the commissioner of employment security.

Sec. 5. This act shall be effective immediately upon its final enactment.

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CHAPTER 849—H. F. No. 1552

[Coded in Part]

*An act providing for the conservation, protection and reclamation of publicly-owned harbor lands in the state of Minnesota, creating a Minnesota Seaway Property Conservation Fund, providing for the levy of taxes for the support thereof, and the issuance of tax anticipation certificates of indebtedness, providing for the use of said funds and a public audit of the recipients thereof; creating a commission to investigate and study the need for further state participation in the conservation, protection and reclamation of publicly-owned harbor lands and appropriating moneys therefor.*

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

Section 1. [458.50] **Policy declaration.** It is hereby determined and declared that the harbors in this state are valuable natural resources; that there are tracts of land in this state located in harbors upon the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence Seaway, which by reason of topography, submersion, erosion, depletion and other causes tend to impede navigation and are valueless for any useful riparian purpose; that the conservation, development, reclamation and protection of these lands so as to constitute them economically valuable is an essential governmental function of the state of Minnesota; that the conservation, development, reclamation and protection of such lands will promote the public welfare of the state of Minnesota by developing to usefulness certain of these lands, and that such processes are essential to assure the inclusion of the state of Minnesota in both domestic and foreign systems of water-borne commerce; that the fortunate position of the state of Minnesota with respect to the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence Seaway will not be fully realized in terms of economic benefit to the citizens of this state unless certain of such lands are conserved, developed, reclaimed, and protected; that these processes of restoring such lands to economic usefulness will provide employment; will reduce unemployment; will tend to increase navigation and commerce in the state of Minnesota; and will benefit in many other ways the people of the state of Minnesota.