

five years experience immediately preceding their appointment in the preparation and disposition of dead human bodies and in the practice of mortuary science. A third examiner shall be a representative of the board, and the fourth examiner shall be a full-time academic staff member of the course in mortuary science of the University of Minnesota. The members of the committee shall serve for one, two, and three years, respectively, and thereafter each for a term of three years and until their successors qualify. Vacancies in such committee shall be filled by like appointments for unexpired terms and members thereof may be removed by the board for cause. Each member shall receive such sum per diem, and be reimbursed his necessary expenses for each day of actual service rendered, as the board may determine by its order.

Approved April 24, 1959.

CHAPTER 396—H. F. No. 1128

An act relating to commissioners of seaway port authorities; amending Minnesota Statutes 1957, Section 471.88.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1957, Section 471.88, is amended to read:

471.88. Exceptions. The governing body of any *seaway port authority*, town, school district, village, or city, by unanimous vote, may contract for goods or services with an interested officer of the governmental unit in any of the following cases:

(a) The designation of a bank in which the officer is interested as an authorized depository for public funds when it is the only bank in the governmental unit, or when such governmental unit does not have a bank and such bank is the only bank within the nearest governmental unit; *or in the case of a seaway port authority only, no restriction shall apply to the deposit of any funds or the designation of a depository by such authority in any bank in which a member of an authority shall have an interest if such funds are deposited and protected in accordance with Minnesota Statutes, Chapter 118. Provided however that any commissioner having such an interest shall disclose the same, which disclosure shall be entered upon the minutes of the authority.*

(b) The designation of an official newspaper, or pub-

lication of official matters therein, in which the officer is interested when it is the only newspaper complying with statutory or charter requirements relating to the designation of publication;

(c) A contract with a cooperative association of which the officer is a shareholder or stockholder but not an officer or manager;

(d) Subject to section 365.37, a contract for which competitive bids are not required and involving not more than \$500, when the commodity or service contracted for cannot be otherwise obtained either in the governmental unit or in a contiguous like governmental unit;

(e) A contract with a volunteer fire department for the payment of compensation to its members or for the payment of retirement benefits to these members;

(f) A contract with a municipal band for the payment of compensation to its members;

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(g) omitted
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See enrollment*

CHAPTER 397—S. F. No. 606

[Not Coded]

An act authorizing and directing the legislative research committee to study the establishment of a four year state college centrally located in western and southwestern Minnesota.

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

Section 1. Additional state college, study of establishment. The Legislative Research Committee shall study and report to the sixty-second session of the Legislature not later than January 15th, 1961, its findings concerning the possible establishment of a four year state college centrally located in the western and southwestern section of Minnesota. The Committee shall determine the needs of such a four year state college in this area considering possible enrollment together with other circumstances related thereto.

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