

CHAPTER 57—S. F. No. 208

An act relating to narcotics; authorizing state board of health after hearing to exempt preparations found non-addiction forming; amending Minnesota Statutes 1957, Section 618.08.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1957, Section 618.08, is amended to read:

618.08 Preparations exempted; condition of exemption. Except as otherwise in this chapter specifically provided, this chapter shall not apply to the following cases:

Administering, dispensing, or selling at retail any medicinal preparation that contains in one fluid ounce, or if a solid or semi-solid preparation, in one avoirdupois ounce, not more than one grain of codeine or of any of its salts, or not more than one-sixth grain of dihydrocodeinone or any of its salts; *nor shall it apply to any drug or medicinal preparation which is hereafter exempted from the application of the federal narcotic law and found by the state board of health after reasonable notice and opportunity for hearing to be non-addiction forming or to have no addiction-sustaining liability from the effective date of determination of such finding by said state board of health.*

The exemption authorized by this section shall be subject to the following conditions: (1) that the medicinal preparation administered, dispensed or sold, shall contain, in addition to the narcotic drug in it, some drug or drugs conferring upon it medicinal qualities other than those possessed by the narcotic drug alone; and (2) that such preparation shall be administered, dispensed, and sold in good faith as a medicine and not for the purpose of evading the provisions of this chapter. No person shall administer, dispense or sell, under the exemption of this section, any preparation included within this section, when he knows, or can by reasonable diligence ascertain, that such administering, dispensing or selling will provide the person to whom or for whose use such preparation is administered, dispensed or sold, within any 48 consecutive hours, with more than six grains of codeine or any of its salts, or more than one grain of dihydrocodeinone, or any of its salts.

Nothing in this section shall be construed to limit the quantity of codeine or of any of its salts that may be prescribed, administered, dispensed, or sold, to any person or for the use of any person or animal, when it is prescribed, ad-

ministered, dispensed, or sold, in compliance with the general provisions of this chapter.

Approved March 3, 1959.

CHAPTER 58—S. F. No. 220

An act relating to cities of the second class; amending Minnesota Statutes 1957, Section 197.64, Subdivision 1.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1957, Section 197.64, Subdivision 1, is amended to read:

197.64 **Veteran's referral center, 2nd class cities.**
Subdivision 1. Any city of the second class may appropriate not more than \$4,000 in any one year for the maintenance of a veterans referral center operated under the direction of a bona fide county veterans service committee; in the event any such city makes such appropriation, the county board of the county wherein such city is located may by resolution appropriate for the maintenance of such veterans referral center not more than \$8,000 in any one year, and the governing body of any such city and such county may make a written agreement or agreements fixing the percentage of the total cost and expense of maintaining such veterans referral center to be paid by each.

Approved March 3, 1959.

CHAPTER 59—S. F. No. 235

[Not Coded]

An act authorizing certain expenditures by the Village of Henning.

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

Section 1. **Henning, school district aid.** The village of Henning is authorized and empowered to pay the sum of \$10,000 to independent school district number 545 for the purpose of assisting the school district to erect a building in the village of Henning.

Sec. 2. This act becomes effective upon the approval of