CHAPTER 208—H. F. No. 737

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An act relating to the city of Duluth; authorizing the levy of taxes for firemen's relief purposes.

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

Section 1.   **Duluth, city of; firemen's relief; tax levy.**   In the city. of Duluth, notwithstanding the provisions of Minnesota Statutes 1961, Section 69.36, or any other provision of law to the contrary, or of the provisions of the charter imposing a per capita limitation on tax levies, the city council shall each year at the time the tax levies for the support of the city are made, in addition thereto levy a tax on all taxable property in an amount sufficient to pay pensions due and payable under the law in the fiscal year of the payment of said pensions less the amount of moneys received in said year from state taxes, surcharges on insurance premiums, earnings on investments not needed for administrative expenses, and relief association dues. The city treasurer, when the taxes levied as above provided are received by him, shall pay the same over to the treasurer of the firemen's relief association of the city of Duluth.

Sec. 2.   The amount so paid to the relief association by the state and city of Duluth shall be set aside and deposited as a special fund and shall be appropriated and disbursed by the association for the following purposes:

(1)   For the relief of sick, injured and disabled members of the relief association, their widows and orphans;

(2)   For the payment of disability and service pensions to members of the relief association; and

(3)   For the reasonable and necessary administrative expenses of such association as authorized by the board of trustees, but not to exceed earnings on the assets of the special fund of the firemen's relief association.

Sec. 3.   This act shall become effective only after its approval by a majority of the governing body of the city of Duluth and upon compliance with the provisions of Minnesota Statutes, Section 645.021.

Approved April 9, 1963.