

salary. The annual salary of each reporter is ~~\$8,240~~ \$8,500 and is payable in semimonthly installments by the county treasurer from any funds in the county treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Sec. 2. *The provisions of section 1 hereof shall be retroactive to January 1, 1965.*

Approved May 26, 1965.

CHAPTER 847—S. F. No. 1590

[Coded]

An act relating to the municipal court of Hennepin county; amending Minnesota Statutes 1961, Chapter 488A, as amended, by adding a section, and repealing Minnesota Statutes 1961, Section 488A.02; and Laws 1963, Chapter 824, Section 1; Chapter 877, Section 7; and Chapter 885, Section 1.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1961, Chapter 488A, as amended, is amended by adding a section to read:

[488A.021] Municipal court; Hennepin county; judges. *Subdivision 1. Number of judges. There are 14 judges of the municipal court of the county of Hennepin.*

Subd. 2. Qualifications and oath. Each judge shall be a person learned in the law who is admitted and qualified to practice in the supreme court of this state and is a resident of the county of Hennepin in this state. Before entering upon the duties of office, each judge shall take and subscribe an oath, in the form prescribed by law for judicial officers, and shall file that oath in the office of the county auditor.

Subd. 3. Term; vacancies; appointments and election. (a) Each elected judge holds office for six years beginning the first Monday in January next succeeding his election.

(b) Whenever there is a vacancy in the office of judge, the governor shall appoint a qualified person to fill the vacancy, to hold office until his successor is elected and qualified. The successor shall be elected for a six year term at the next general election occurring more than one year after such appointment.

(c) At the general election immediately preceding the expira-

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tion of his term, the qualified voters of the county of Hennepin shall elect the successor to any elected or appointed judge.

(d) *Each judge holds a separate non-partisan office.*

(e) *When one or more judges of the court are to be nominated or elected at an election, the notice of election shall state the name of each judge whose successor is to be nominated or elected. The official ballot shall contain the names of all candidates for each such office, state the number of judges to be elected and the number of candidates for whom an elector may vote, and designate each candidacy as "For the office of Judge of the Municipal Court of the county of Hennepin to which*

(name of judge)

term", or: "For the office of Judge of the Municipal Court of the county of Hennepin to which

was appointed," as

(name of judge)

the case may be. The official ballots shall show in the spaces for the purpose the name of the judge whose successor is to be elected. When any judge is a candidate to succeed himself, the word "incumbent" shall be printed after his name where it appears among the names of the candidates for the office. When voting machines are used and such statements cannot be inserted in full, the designation shall be "Successor to

(elected)", or "Successor to

(name of judge)

or to

(appointed)", as the case may be.

(name of judge)

(f) *Each person desiring to have his name placed upon the primary ballot as a candidate for judge shall state in his affidavit of candidacy the office of the particular judge for which he is a candidate. The filing of this affidavit with the county auditor and a compliance with all other requirements constitutes such person a candidate for that office, and for that office only. No person shall at any election be a candidate for more than one such office.*

Subd. 4. Powers. The judges have the general powers of judges of courts of record and all powers necessary to effectuate the purposes of this act. Each judge may administer oaths and take and certify acknowledgments. Each judge is a conservator of the peace and has all powers and authority vested in justices of the peace or magistrates.

Subd. 5. Contempt of court. Any judge has the power to punish for contempt of court by a fine not exceeding \$100 or by imprisonment in the county jail or city workhouse not exceeding 90 days.

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Subd. 6. Court rules. A majority of the judges may promulgate rules of court consistent with this act. Unless the rule forbids, a judge may waive its application.

Subd. 7. District court judges. Upon a request of a majority of the judges of the municipal court, any one or more district court judges of this state may, while serving pursuant to such request, perform all the duties and exercise all the powers and functions of a judge of the municipal court. Each district court judge so acting shall be additional to the number of municipal judges provided for elsewhere in this act, but shall receive no additional salary for so acting.

Subd. 8. Salaries. Each judge shall be paid an annual salary of \$17,000 in semimonthly installments out of the treasury of the county of Hennepin. If a judge dies while in office, the amount of his salary remaining unpaid for the month in which his death occurs shall be paid to his estate.

Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 1961, Section 488A.02; and Laws 1963, Chapter 824, Section 1; Chapter 877, Section 7; and Chapter 885, Section 1, are repealed.

Approved May 26, 1965.

CHAPTER 848—S. F. No. 1592

[Not Coded]

An act fixing the compensation of members of the board of estimate and taxation of the city of Minneapolis.

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

Section 1. Minneapolis, city of; board of estimate and taxation. Notwithstanding the provisions of any statute or the city charter to the contrary, members of the board of estimate and taxation of the city of Minneapolis, except those receiving other compensation in excess of \$10,000 from the city, shall receive \$25 per diem but not to exceed \$1,250 per year as full compensation for their services on the board.

Sec. 2. This act shall become effective only after its approval by a majority of the governing body of the city of Minneapolis, and

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