

## CHAPTER 355—H. F. No. 1664

[Not Coded]

*An act providing for the appointment of a law clerk for the district judge assigned to hold court in the counties of Rice, Steele, and Waseca; relating to salary and expenses therefor.*

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

**Section 1. District courts; Rice, Steele and Waseca counties; law clerks.** Subdivision 1. The district judge regularly assigned to hold court in Rice, Steele, and Waseca counties in the third judicial district by duplicate orders filed with the clerk of court and county auditor of Rice, Steele, and Waseca counties may appoint a competent law clerk to hold office during his pleasure. Such law clerk shall perform such duties as the judge shall direct.

Subd. 2. The judge by order filed with the county auditors on or before the first Monday in August, 1967, and annually on or before the first Monday in January thereafter shall fix and establish the salary of the law clerk at an amount not exceeding \$10,000 per year, and shall apportion the salary among the several counties to which the judge is assigned and each county shall be required by such order to pay a specified amount thereof in monthly installments which shall be such proportion of the whole salary as the population of the county is to the total population of the counties to which the judge is assigned as determined by the last census.

Subd. 3. The law clerk, in addition to his salary, shall be paid such sums as shall accrue as necessary mileage, traveling and hotel expenses while absent from home in the discharge of his official duties to be paid by the county for which the same were incurred upon presentation of a verified statement thereof approved by the judge, and the auditor of such county, upon presentation of such approved statement, shall issue his warrant in payment thereof.

Approved May 10, 1967.

## CHAPTER 356—H. F. No. 1700

[Not Coded]

*An act relating to Independent School District No. 692; authorizing it to issue bonds and levy taxes for their payment.*

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

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Section 1. **Independent School District No. 692; building bonds.** Independent School District No. 692, St. Louis County, Minnesota, may issue its bonds in an aggregate principal amount not exceeding \$1,825,000 in addition to any bonds heretofore issued or authorized, to provide funds for the construction, equipment, and furnishing of an elementary school; for construction of additional classroom space and associated facilities and equipping and furnishing the same in the John F. Kennedy High School; and for purchasing, equipping and furnishing other school facilities; and for payment of architects' and engineers' and legal fees incidental thereto. Such bonds shall be authorized, issued, sold, executed and delivered in the manner provided by Minnesota Statutes, Chapter 475, except that a vote of the people shall not be required. A resolution of the board levying taxes for the payment of said bonds and interest thereon as hereinafter authorized and pledging the proceeds of such levies for the payment of such bonds and interest thereon shall be deemed to be compliance with the provisions of said chapter with respect to the levying of taxes for the payment thereof.

Sec. 2. Subdivision 1. A plant or plants for the processing or concentration of taconite as referred to and defined in Minnesota Statutes, Sections 298.23 to 298.28, both inclusive, including plants for the primary crushing of taconite, located in the school district and the lands upon which such plant or plants are located, and buildings, machinery, equipment and other fixtures used in connection therewith, and lands containing taconite owned or leased by the owners or operators of such plant or plants as a source of taconite therefor and located in the school district, are hereby made subject to taxes for payment of 93 percent of the principal of and interest on any and all bonds issued under authority of this act, anything in said sections to the contrary notwithstanding. In event such properties are all owned by one person or corporation, it shall not be necessary to make any determination of the value thereof. In event such properties are owned by more than one person or corporation, the taxes shall be apportioned annually between them by the county auditor on the basis of the relative values thereof owned by each, upon such investigation of the facts as the auditor shall deem necessary.

Subd. 2. After the sale and before the delivery of any bonds under authority of this act, the school board shall, by resolution, levy upon all of the property described in subdivision 1 a direct, general tax for each year of the term of the bonds in amounts such that, if collected in full, they will produce the amounts needed to meet when due 93 percent of the principal and interest payments on the bonds. A copy of such resolution shall be filed and the taxes so levied shall be extended, assessed and collected and remitted as

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nearly as may be in the manner specified in Minnesota Statutes, Section 475.61. Such levies shall not be included in computing permissible levies under Minnesota Statutes, Section 275.12, or any amendments thereof.

Subd. 3. The taxes levied in accordance with this section shall be *billed to and collected from each such person or corporation at the same time and in the same manner as taxes levied in and for the school district upon real property subject to taxation therein; provided, any portion of such taxes levied for the payment of an installment of principal of such bonds may be paid without penalty on or before October 31 of the year in which such taxes became due and payable if such installment of principal is not due until more than 60 days thereafter.*

Sec. 3. In addition to the levies made in accordance with Section 2 hereof, the school board shall at the same time by resolution levy on all property in the school district subject to the general ad valorem school tax levies, and not subject to taxation under Minnesota Statutes 298.23 to 298.28, both inclusive, a direct annual, ad valorem tax for each year of the term of the bonds in amounts such that, if collected in full, they will produce the amounts needed to meet when due seven percent of the principal and interest payments on the bonds. A copy of such resolution shall be filed, and the taxes so levied shall be extended, assessed and collected and remitted as nearly as may be in the manner specified in Minnesota Statutes, Section 475.61. Such levies shall not be included in computing permissible levies under Minnesota Statutes, Section 275.12, or any amendments thereof.

Sec. 4. The bonds issued under authority of this act shall be the general obligations of the school district, for which its full faith and credit and unlimited taxing powers shall be pledged, and, in the event there shall be any deficiencies in the collections of the taxes levied pursuant to sections 2 and 3 hereof, the deficiencies shall be made good by general levies without limitation as to rate or amount on all taxable properties in the district in accordance with Minnesota Statutes, Section 475.74, and if any such deficiency levies are found necessary the school board is empowered to effect a temporary loan or loans on certificates of indebtedness issued in anticipation thereof for the purpose of meeting payments of principal and interest on the bonds due or about to become due. Bonds may be issued under authority of this act notwithstanding any limitations upon the indebtedness of said district, and the amounts thereof shall not be included in computing the indebtedness of the district for any purpose, including *the issuance of subsequent bonds and the incurring of subsequent indebtedness.*

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Sec. 5. This act shall be effective upon its approval by the school board of Independent School District No. 692 and upon compliance with Minnesota Statutes, Section 645.021.

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CHAPTER 357—H. F. No. 1758

*An act relating to insurance; setting certain fees; amending Minnesota Statutes 1965, Sections 60.09, 60.11, 63.20, 63.31, and 67.38.*

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1965, Section 60.09, is amended to read:

60.09 **Insurance; fees.** When any visitation, examination, or appraisal is made by the commissioner, his deputy, actuary, or chief examiner, *or CPA retained by the Insurance Department*, the company so examined, including fraternal, township mutuals and reciprocal exchanges, shall pay a fee to the department of insurance of ~~\$35~~ \$45 per day for each and every day necessarily occupied by such a person, and each one thereof, in making the examination, or in making an appraisal of any of the assets of the company. When the visitation, examination, or appraisal is made, or engaged in, by any other person regularly employed in the department of insurance and receiving a salary from the state, the company so examined, including fraternal, township mutuals and reciprocal exchanges, shall pay as fees to the department of insurance the sum of ~~\$25~~ \$35 per day for each and every day necessarily occupied by such other person, and each one thereof, in making or assisting to make the examination, or in making an appraisal of any of the assets of the company. In addition to the fees mentioned herein, the company so examined shall also pay to the department of insurance the necessary expenses of any such person so engaged in connection with any such examination or appraisal. All of these fees and expenses shall be accounted for and turned into the state treasury. The necessary expenses of any such person or persons so engaged in connection with any such examination or appraisal shall be repaid by the state treasurer to any such person so engaged in connection with the examination or appraisal, upon vouchers of the same, on condition that such expenses shall have been previously charged to such company so examined and the full amount thereof by it paid into the state treasury.

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