

determine paternity actions, reciprocal enforcement of support actions and criminal non-support cases.

Sec. 4. **[484.66] Chambers, court rooms, personnel.** *The board of county commissioners of Hennepin and Ramsey counties shall provide suitable chambers and court room space, clerks, reporters, bailiffs, and one or referees and other personnel to assist said judge, together with necessary library, supplies, stationery and other expenses necessary thereto.*

Sec. 5. **[484.67] Assignment of judges.** *In cases of absence, sickness or other disability which prevents said judge from performing his duties, the chief judge of the district court of the second and fourth judicial districts may designate or assign one or more of the other judges of the district court to perform the duties of the district judge, family court division. The chief judge of the district court may assign one or more family court matters to another judge of said judicial district for hearing and determination.*

Sec. 6. **[484.68] Designation to regular duties.** *The judge of the family court division may be designated in writing by the chief judge of the district court of the second and fourth judicial district to the regular or ordinary duties of a judge of the district court without thereby affecting the term of office to which such judge was appointed.*

Sec. 7. *Sections 1 through 6 of this act shall become effective on July 1, 1967.*

Sec. 8. **[542.18] State as party to civil action, removal from Ramsey county.** *Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, the trial of any civil action in the county of Ramsey to which the state or any officer, department or agency thereof is a party may, in the discretion of the court, be removed to any other county in which one of the parties resides on motion made to the court as in civil actions by any of the parties to the action, if the court finds that such removal is (1) in the interests of justice, (2) that no party to the action will be prejudiced thereby and (3) that the trial of the action will be expedited thereby.*

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EXTRA SESSION

CHAPTER 23—S. F. No. 31

An act relating to tax-forfeited lands; authorizing certain ex-

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penditures from the forfeited tax sale fund; amending Minnesota Statutes 1965, Section 282.09, Subdivision 2.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1965, Section 282.09, Subdivision 2, is amended to read:

Subd. 2. **Forfeited tax sale fund; expenditures.** In all counties, from said "Forfeited Tax Sale Fund," the authorities duly charged with the execution of the duties imposed by sections 282.01 to 282.13, at their discretion, may expend moneys in repairing any sewer or water main either inside or outside of any curb line situated along any property forfeited to the state for nonpayment of taxes, *to acquire and maintain equipment used exclusively for the maintenance and improvement of tax-forfeited lands*, and to cut down, otherwise destroy or eradicate noxious weeds on all tax-forfeited lands. In any year, the moneys to be expended for the cutting down, destruction or eradication of noxious weeds shall not exceed in amount more than ten percent of the net proceeds of said "Forfeited Tax Sale Fund" during the preceding calendar year, or \$10,000, whichever is the lesser sum.

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EXTRA SESSION
CHAPTER 24—S. F. No. 33

[Not Coded]

An act relating to the county of Hennepin and creating a library system; providing for the levy of taxes to finance such county library system, repealing Laws 1965, Chapter 898.

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

Section 1. **Hennepin county; library system.** Subdivision 1. Notwithstanding the provisions of Minnesota Statutes 1965, Section 375.33, the county of Hennepin, through its board of county commissioners, may establish and maintain at locations determined by the board, a system of public libraries for the free use of residents of the county, and may levy for library operation and maintenance an annual tax not to exceed 6 1/2 mills on each dollar of assessed value of all taxable property within the county which is

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