

Subd. 2. Subject to the availability of legislative appropriation, the commissioner of administration may contract for the preparation and printing of Minnesota Statutes by means of electronic data processing equipment including, but not limited to, computers. The provisions of Minnesota Statutes 1967, Chapter 16, as they relate to competitive bidding shall not apply to such contracts.

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CHAPTER 46—H. F. No. 671

[Coded in Part]

An act relating to education; providing for performance of duties in discontinued county superintendencies; amending Minnesota Statutes 1967, Section 121.35, Subdivisions 1 and 4, and adding a subdivision.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1967, Section 121.35, Subdivision 1, is amended to read:

121.35 County superintendents of schools; discontinuance of office. Subdivision 1. The office of county superintendent of schools in each county shall be filled by election according to law, *provided that no election shall be held for any term of office the duties of which would begin after December 31, 1970.*

Section 2. Minnesota Statutes 1967, Section 121.35, Subdivision 4, is amended to read:

Subd. 4. In any county where the office of the county superintendent is abolished the duties imposed by law upon the county superintendent shall be performed ~~by the commissioner unless the county board makes provision for the performance of these duties under the provisions of this section~~ *according to arrangements determined by the county board.* The county board ~~may~~ *shall* provide for the performance of the duties of the office by ~~either one~~ of the following methods:

(a) By contract with the board of any independent district located in the county providing for the performance of the duties by the superintendent of the district.

(b) By contract with the county board of any other county

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providing for the performance of the duties by the county superintendent of such other county.

(c) *By contract with an incumbent county superintendent or other qualified successor for the continuation of services on an appointive basis for not to exceed two years beyond the termination of the elected term.*

Upon the execution of such contract and the filing of a copy thereof with the commissioner, the superintendent whose services are provided for shall have and assume the duties of the county superintendent according to the terms of the contract. Upon the amendment or termination of the contract, other than according to its terms, a copy thereof shall be filed with the commissioner.

Sec. 3. Minnesota Statutes 1967, Section 121.35, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

Subd. 5. In any county where the office of the county superintendent has been abolished, permanent records of the office shall be filed in accessible, fireproof storage as determined by the county board of commissioners.

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CHAPTER 47—H. F. No. 679

An act relating to the membership of the board of examiners in the basic sciences; amending Minnesota Statutes 1967, Section 146.03.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1967, Section 146.03, is amended to read:

146.03 Basic sciences examiners; qualifications; membership. The state board of examiners in the basic sciences shall consist of two full-time paid professors, or associate or assistant professors, or *in lieu of one of such full-time paid professors, associate professors, or assistant professors, a professor emeritus or an associate or assistant professor emeritus*, who are not actively engaged in the practice of healing, who shall be appointed, as hereinafter provided, from the University of Minnesota or any university or college in Minnesota accredited by the University of Minnesota, one doctor

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