

receiving, handling and delivering grain at such warehouse ~~shall not exceed three cents per bushel. The charge and the charges for storing grain in such warehouse shall not exceed one twentieth of a cent per bushel for each day or part thereof~~ be fixed by the commission, subject to the provisions of Minnesota Statutes 1969, Chapter 15.

Sec. 2. This act shall be in effect on and after July 1, 1971.

Approved June 1, 1971.

CHAPTER 625—S.F.No.1119

An act relating to motor vehicles; deputy registrars; increasing the application filing fee and certain fees for the issuance of drivers licenses; amending Minnesota Statutes 1969, Sections 168.33, Subdivision 2 and 171.06, Subdivision 4.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1969, Section 168.33, Subdivision 2, is amended to read:

Subd. 2. **DRIVERS LICENSES; FEES; POWERS.** The registrar shall have the power to appoint, hire and discharge and fix the compensation of the necessary employees, in the manner provided by law, as may be required to enable him to properly carry out the duties imposed upon him by the provisions of this chapter. Before entering upon the discharge of his duties, each deputy and each employee having the charge of handling any money or number of plates shall give bond to the state in the sum of at least \$2,000, or in such larger amount as the registrar may fix, conditioned upon the faithful discharge of his duties. Premiums on such bonds shall be paid by the state from money provided for the maintenance of the registrar's office.

The registrar may appoint, and at his pleasure discontinue, the county auditor of each county as a deputy registrar. The auditor, with the approval of the director, may appoint the clerk or equivalent officer of each city, village, and borough or any other person as a deputy registrar as public interest and convenience may require. Each such deputy, before entering upon the discharge of his duties, shall qualify with the requirements imposed for the qualifying of registrar, except that the amount of the bond required to be given by

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the deputy shall be \$10,000, or such larger sum as the registrar, from time to time, shall require. Each deputy registrar appointed hereunder shall keep and maintain, in a convenient public place within the place for which he is appointed, a registration and motor vehicle tax collection bureau, to be approved by the registrar, for the registration of motor vehicles and the collection of motor vehicle taxes thereon. He shall keep such records and make such reports to the registrar as that officer, from time to time, may require. He shall charge and receive for each application presented a filing fee of 50 75 cents, and shall report daily to the registrar all registrations made and taxes and fees collected by him. The filing fee of ~~50 75~~ cents shall be deposited in the treasury of the place for which he is appointed, or if such deputy is not a public official, he shall retain the filing fee, but the registration tax and any additional fees for delayed registration he has collected he shall deposit each day in an approved state depository to the credit of the state through the state treasurer. The place for which the deputy registrar is appointed through its governing body shall provide the deputy registrar with facilities and personnel to carry out the duties imposed by this subdivision if such deputy is a public official. In all other cases, the deputy shall maintain a suitable facility for serving the public.

Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 1969, Section 171.06, Subdivision 4, is amended to read:

Subd. 4. **APPLICATION, FILING.** Any applicant for an instruction permit, a driver's license, restricted license, or duplicate license may file his application with a clerk of the district court. Such clerk shall and he is hereby authorized to receive and accept such application. To cover all expenses involved in receiving, accepting, or forwarding to the department applications and fees, the clerk of the district court ~~shall retain ten cents of the fee collected with each application for an instruction permit or a duplicate license and 25 cents of the fee collected with each application for a driver's license or a restricted license; may charge and retain 50 cents for each application for an instruction permit, duplicate license, driver license, or restricted license, such 50 cents to be in addition to the fees otherwise provided by law;~~ provided, that in all counties of this state where the clerk of the district court receives a stated salary and no fees, the amount allowed to be retained by the clerk of the district court shall be paid into the county treasury and credited to the general revenue fund of the county. The clerk of court shall forward all applications and fees, less the amount herein allowed to be retained for expense, to the department within 15 days of the receipt by him. The clerks of the district courts may appoint agents to assist in accepting applications, but the clerks shall require every such agent to forward to the clerk by whom he is appointed all applications accepted and fees collected by him, except for the fees which an agent may charge and retain under this subdivision. The

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agent may charge and retain the following fees which are in addition to the fees otherwise provided by law: ~~\$.25~~ 50 cents for each instruction permit, driver's license, restricted license, or duplicate license application. The clerks of court shall be responsible for the acts of agents appointed by them and for the forwarding to the department of all applications accepted and those fees collected by such agents and by themselves as are required to be forwarded to the department.

Sec. 3. The provisions of section 1 of this act shall not be effective if any other law is enacted increasing the fee for the filing of an application for the registration of a motor vehicle by a deputy registrar to an amount in excess of the amount provided for such filing in section 1 of this act.

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CHAPTER 626—S.F.No.1129

An act relating to health; authorizing the state board of examiners for nursing home administrators to charge a fee for examinations; amending Minnesota Statutes 1969, Section 144.955.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1969, Section 144.955, is amended to read:

144.955 NURSING HOMES; ADMINISTRATORS; LICENSE FEES. Each person licensed as a nursing home administrator shall be required to pay initial and renewal license fees in amounts to be fixed by the board, which fees shall not exceed \$100. In addition each person who takes an examination as prescribed by section 144.953 shall be required to pay a fee, the amount to be fixed by the board, and shall not exceed \$50. An initial license shall expire on June 30 of the year following its issuance, and shall be renewable pursuant to the relevant provisions of section 144.96.

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