CHAPTER 241—S.F.No.1622

An act relating to bonds; increasing the fee for filing and mailing of notice; amending Minnesota Statutes 1971, Section 574.32.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1971, Section 574.32, is amended to read:

574.32 BONDS; FILING OF NOTICE; FEE. The commissioner of insurance or the county auditor in whose office the written notice is filed shall, upon receipt of such written notice, mail one copy of the same, by registered mail, to the principal contractor, at his last known address, and to each of the sureties on his bond, at their last known addresses, and the claimant shall, at the time he files the written notice, furnish the commissioner of insurance or the county auditor in whose office the notice is filed, at least two copies of the notice. The commissioner of insurance or county auditor with whom the notice is filed shall be entitled to charge a fee of \$3 \$5 for filing the notice and mailing the copies as herein provided. The failure of the commissioner of insurance or the county auditor with whom the notice is filed to mail these copies as herein provided, shall in no way affect the validity of the claim or the right of the claimant to maintain an action thereon.

Approved May 11, 1973.

CHAPTER 242-S.F.No.1627

An act relating to agriculture; promotion of commodities; amending Minnesota Statutes 1971, Sections 17.54, Subdivision 5; and 17.56, Subdivision 3.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1971, Section 17.54, Subdivision 5, is amended to read:

Subd. 5. AGRICULTURE; PROMOTION OF COMMODI-TIES; ORGANIZATION. The commissioner shall serve as chairman

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of the board without vote. The board shall <u>from its own member-</u><u>ship</u> elect a vice chairman, who shall act in the absence of the commissioner, a secretary, and such other officers as the board may deem appropriate. The terms of such officers shall expire on June 30 of each year and their successors shall be elected at the first meeting following that date.

Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 1971, Section 17.56, Subdivision 3, is amended to read:

Subd. 3. **REFERENDUM.** Following the hearing, or hearings, the advisory board and commissioner shall conduct a referendum on the proposed final promotional order. At least ten days' notice of the time and places of such referendum shall be published in a legal newspaper of general circulation in each county affected. In addition, direct written notice thereof shall likewise be given to each county extension office in any county involved in the referendum. Such notice shall include details of the promotional order to afford all producers of the subject commodity access to complete information about the promotional order. The promotional order shall become effective if approved by 55 percent or more a majority of those voting in the referendum, and such order shall be applicable only to those producers of the subject commodity within the area of the state organized pursuant to sections 17.51 to 17.69. Upon completion of the referendum the commissioner shall make findings and issue an appropriate order based on said findings.

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CHAPTER 243—S.F.No.1695

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An act relating to Hennepin county; revising membership of county library board; amending Extra Session Laws 1967, Chapter 24, Section 5.

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

Section 1. Extra Session Laws 1967, Chapter 24, Section 5, is amended to read:

Sec. 5. HENNEPIN COUNTY; LIBRARY BOARD. The direction, operation and management of such county library system shall be under the jurisdiction of the county board of commissioners who shall appoint a county library board consisting of nine seven members, six of the appointces to who reside in Hennepin county

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