CHAPTER 690-S.F.No.430

An act relating to education; school districts; compensation and transportation reimbursement to local school board members; amending Minnesota Statutes 1971, Section 123.33, Subdivision 12.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1971, Section 123.33, Subdivision 12, is amended to read:

Subd. 12. SCHOOL BOARDS; EXPENSES OF MEMBERS. The clerk, treasurer, and superintendent of any district shall receive such compensation as may be fixed by the board. Unless otherwise provided by law, the other members of the board shall also receive such compensation as may be fixed by the board but not to exceed \$15 per diem nor more than \$300 a year. All members of the board may receive reimbursement for transportation at the rate provided for in Minnesota Statutes, Section 15A.20, except in independent districts which were classified as county districts at the time of the adoption of this code in which district the members of the board shall receive \$15 while attending any regular or special meeting of the board, but not more than \$300 in any one year, and receive seven and one half cents per mile in going to and from his place of residence to the place of meeting by the usual route of travel.

The chairman, clerk, and treasurer of a district reclassified from a county district shall receive such additional compensation as may be fixed by the board of education. The chairman shall not receive more than \$300, the clerk shall not receive more than \$720, and the treasurer not more than \$600 in any one year.

In addition to their salaries, the members of boards in districts reclassified from county districts shall be paid their actual expense and necessary travel expenses incurred and paid by each of them in the conduct of their official duties, including the visitation of schools. Such expenses should be paid upon the presentation of duly itemized statements, approved by the board, and which shall be made a part of the official records of the board.

In independent districts which were classified as common districts composed of ten or more townships at the time of the adoption of this code each member of the board shall receive as annual compensation for his services as a member of such board the amounts stated as follows:

\$200 a year where such district contains 30 public schools; \$400 a year where such district contains 31 public schools but less than

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61; \$600 a year where such district contains 61 public schools but less than 91; \$800 a year where such district contains 91 public schools or more; provided that in such districts containing less than 30 public schools and in which is maintained a high school, the annual compensation of the members of the school board shall be prescribed for all other independent districts.

In such district containing more than 20 full and fractional townships each member of the school board shall-receive as annual compensation for his services as a member of such board \$600 a year.

Sec. 2. This act takes effect July 1, 1973.

Approved May 24, 1973.

CHAPTER 691—S.F.No.452

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An act relating to the city of St. Paul; providing for the division of the city into districts for election of the city council; providing for an alley system of electing the city council; changing the election day for election of city officers and changing the term of office of the mayor and councilmen; providing a method for fixing compensation of elected officials; repealing Laws 1971, Chapter 473.

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

Section 1. ST. PAUL, CITY OF; COUNCIL ELECTION; DISTRICTS. Subdivision 1. The council of the city of St. Paul shall divide the city into four districts equal so far as possible in population at least 60 days prior to the first day for filing for the city elections. In the city general election next following the effective date of this section and thereafter four councilmen who shall be residents of the district shall be elected, one from each district, and three councilmen shall be elected at-large. Each person desiring to have his name placed on the primary ballot shall state in his affidavit of candidacy which office he is a candidate for specifying the district or specifying one of the three at-large positions. Incumbency shall not be indicated on election ballots. After the 1980 federal census and each federal census every ten years thereafter, the city council shall reapportion as necessary the four council districts provided herein. Except as provided herein

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