after notice has been served upon him by the commission by certified mail. These penalties may be recovered jointly or separately in a civil action brought in the name of the state by the attorney general in any court having jurisdiction. Whenever any such failure occurs the commission shall immediately certify the fact thereof to the attorney general. Upon receipt of such certification the attorney general shall forthwith commence and prosecute such action. All penalties recovered by the state in any such action shall be paid into the state treasury and credited to the special compensation fund. If an employer fails to comply with the provisions of subdivision 2, to secure payment of compensation after having been notified of his duty, the attorney general, upon request of the commission, may proceed against the employer in any court having jurisdiction for an order restraining him from having any person in his employment at any time when he is not complying with the provisions of subdivision 2.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 1959.

Approved April 16, 1959.

CHAPTER 266-H. F. No. 595

[Not Coded]

An act relating to the salary of the auditor of Wright -County.

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

Section 1. Auditor's salary. The salary of the auditor of Wright county shall not exceed \$7500 per annum.

Sec. 2. Any statute inconsistent herewith is hereby repealed.

Sec. 3. This act becomes effective upon approval by the county board of Wright county.

Approved April 16, 1959.

CHAPTER 267-H. F. No. 643

An act relating to the change of designation of the director of public institutions to the commissioner of public welfare; amending Minnesota Statutes 1957, Section 525.749, Subdivisions 8 and 10. Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1957, Section 525.749, Subdivision 8, is amended to read:

Subd. 8. State hospital. "State hospital" means any hospital under the administration and management of the *commissioner of public welfare* for the care of mentally ill, senile, or inebriate persons.

Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 1957, Section 525.749, Subdivision 10, is amended to read:

Subd. 10. Commissioner of public welfare. "Commissioner" means the commissioner of public welfare.

Sec. 3. [482.19] Revisor of statutes to change designation. Wherever the terms "director of public institutions" or "director" appear in Minnesota Statutes 1957, Sections 525.61 and 525.75 to 525.79, the revisor of statutes shall substitute the terms "commissioner of public welfare" or "commissioner."

Approved April 16, 1959.

CHAPTER 268-H. F. No. 647

An act relating to municipal borrowing and prescribing the net indebtedness limit of certain school districts; amending Minnesota Statutes 1957, Section 475.533.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1957, Section 475.533, is amended to read:

475.533 School districts containing exempt property. When the taxable properties of any school district in this state are made up, to the extent of at least 20 percent in value of, property which is exempt from local taxation, because taxes thereon are paid into the state treasury under the provisions of the gross earnings tax laws applicable to common carrier railroads, such district shall have authority to incur and be subject to a net indebtedness aggregating not more than the sum of (a) 50 percent of the last assessed value of all taxable property therein as defined in Minnesota Statutes, section 475.51, subdivision 5 plus (b) 30 percent of the value of rail-

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