

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

Section 1. Possession of certain drugs prohibited.—No person shall in the state of Minnesota produce or possess the drug Cannabin, otherwise commonly known as Marijuana, Hashish, and other colloquial names, or sell or have in possession for sale or distribution, or manufacture, or cause to be prepared or manufactured, any compound, salt, derivative, or mixture thereof for use in cigarettes, cigars, liquid, confection, or in any other manner, or use or induce any person to use any such product or preparation so manufactured or prepared, or have the drug Cannabin in his possession or control for use or distribution for such purposes.

Nothing herein contained shall prohibit a duly licensed pharmacist from having Cannabis or any compound, salt, derivative, or mixture thereof, in his possession and from selling and distributing the same for medicinal purposes only; nor shall anything herein contained prohibit a wholesale dealer of drugs from having in his or its possession, and from selling and distributing, Cannabis, or any compound, salt, derivative, or mixture thereof, provided that such sale and distribution shall be made to duly licensed pharmacists only.

Sec. 3. Violation a gross misdemeanor.—Any person who shall violate any provision hereof shall be guilty of a gross misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be punished as follows: for the first offense, by a fine not exceeding \$1,000.00, or by imprisonment for not exceeding one year, or by both such fine and imprisonment, and for any subsequent offense, by imprisonment for not less than one year.

Sec. 4. Who may enforce act.—Sheriffs, constables, and other police officers shall enforce the provisions of this act with or without the cooperation of the Department of Agriculture, Dairy and Food, and the Departments of Health of Cities of the First Class.

Sec. 5. This Act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 29, 1935.

CHAPTER 322—H. F. No. 85

An act to withdraw from sale all state lands containing deposits of peat in commercial quantities.

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

Section 1. Peat lands withdrawn from sale.—All lands now or hereafter owned by the state which are chiefly valuable by reason of deposits of peat in commercial quantities, are hereby withdrawn from sale.

Sec. 2. Commissioner of Conservation to examine land.—Before any state land is offered for sale the Commissioner of Conservation shall cause such land to be examined to determine whether such land is chiefly valuable by reason of deposits of peat in commercial quantities.

Sec. 3. All acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed so far as, and only so far as, inconsistent herewith.

Approved April 29, 1935.

CHAPTER 323—H. F. No. 201

An act providing aid to certain school districts and appropriating money therefor.

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

Section 1. State aid to certain school districts.—The state shall pay to each school district wherein any lands were exempt from taxation during the years 1933 and 1934, or during any one or more of said years, by reason of the title thereto having been acquired by the state in the operation of the rural credits system, an amount equal to the amount that would have been produced by a tax upon the valuation of such lands, as fixed by the last assessment thereof, at the rate at which non-exempt lands were taxed for such school district purposes, during each of such years as said lands were so exempt from taxation, the amount to be determined as hereinafter provided.

Sec. 2. State Auditor to make statement.—The county auditor of any county or counties in which any school district entitled to aid hereunder is situated shall, on or before June 30, 1935, certify to the state auditor a statement of the facts entitling such school district to aid hereunder. Such certificate, in addition to any other information required by the state auditor, shall contain a statement of the following facts: