

mills for the purchase of school sites and the erection and equipment of school houses; but in such districts in which such ten-mill tax will not produce six hundred dollars, a greater tax may be levied for school sites and buildings, not to exceed twenty-five mills on the dollar, nor six hundred dollars in amount. In common districts having less than ten voters the district school tax shall not exceed four hundred dollars. In independent districts no tax in excess of eight mills on the dollar shall be levied for the purpose of school sites and the erection of school houses. In special districts such amounts may be levied as may be allowed by special law at the same time when the Revised Laws take effect. *Provided, that in any common school district of this state in which there is now or shall hereafter be maintained a high school or a graded school, the district school tax for the support of schools may be not to exceed twenty-five mills on the dollar.*

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CHAPTER 37—H. F. No. 337.

An Act authorizing the body or authority having the control and management of the waterworks system in cities now or hereafter having a population of over fifty thousand inhabitants, to adopt rules as to the time of payment of water rentals.

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

Section 1. Water board to adopt rules and regulations as to water rentals.—That in all cities of this state now or hereafter having a population of over fifty thousand inhabitants, and owning a municipal waterworks system, the board of water commissioners of such city, or other body or authority having the control and management of such waterworks system, may adopt and enforce such rules and regulations as to the time when water rentals shall become due and payable as such body or authority may deem advisable.

Sec. 2. Inconsistent acts repealed.—All acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

Sec. 3. Application.—This act shall apply to cities existing under a charter framed pursuant to Section 36 of Article 4 of the Constitution.

Sec. 4. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

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