by 14 inches and not less than 2 1/2 inches of the 14 inches shall be blank for binding purposes, and such survey shall be filed in triplicate with the registrar of titles upon the payment of a fee of \$15. Before filing, however, any such survey shall be approved in the manner required for the approval of subdivision plats, which approval shall be endorsed thereon or attached thereto.

In counties having microfilming capabilities, the survey may be prepared on sheets of suitable mylar or on linen tracing cloth by photographic process or on material of equal quality. Notwithstanding any provisions of subdivision 5 to the contrary, no other copies of the survey need be filed.

The registrar shall furnish to any person a copy of said registered land survey, duly certified by him, for a fee of \$7.50, which shall be admissible in evidence.

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CHAPTER 500-S.F.No.1194

An act relating to real estate; removing specific charge for copies of instrument filed with registrar; amending Minnesota Statutes 1976, Section 508.38.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1976, Section 508.38, is amended to read:

508.38 FORMS OF RECORDS ADOPTED. Every instrument affecting the title to land, filed with the registrar, shall be numbered by him consecutively, and he shall endorse upon the same the number thereof, together with the date, hour, and minute when the same is filed, and a reference to its proper certificate of title. Every such instrument shall be retained by him and regarded as registered from the time of filing except that such instruments may be copied or reproduced as provided by section 15.17, as amended, and the copies or reproductions thereof substituted for the originals with the equal force and effect of the same, which originals may be then destroyed as provided by said section 15.17. When the memorial of any instrument is made upon any certificate, the date, number, and time of filing thereof shall likewise be endorsed upon such certificate. All records and papers relating to registered land in the office of the registrar, shall be open to the inspection of the public at such times and under such conditions as the court may prescribe. Duplicates of all instruments, voluntary or involuntary, filed and registered with the registrar, may be presented with the originals, and shall thereupon be attested and sealed by him, and endorsed with the file number, and other memoranda on the originals, and returned to the person presenting the same. The registrar shall furnish certified copies of the instruments filed and registered in his office, upon payment of a fee of ten cents per folio for each folio contained in such instrument as provided in section 357.18. The court shall adopt general forms of memorials and notations to be used by the registrars in registering the common forms of conveyance and other instruments.

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