

where such payments consisted of the full amount of the installment due with accrued interest, said payments are hereby legalized and made valid to the extent that they would have been legal if paid within the time specified in said repurchase agreements.

Approved April 23, 1945.

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CHAPTER 506—S. F. No. 28

*An act to appropriate money to compensate certain school districts for loss of school revenue due to changes arising from war conditions.*

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

**Section 1. Appropriation to certain school districts.** There is hereby appropriated, out of any moneys in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of \$10,065.00 to Independent School District Number One, St. Louis County, and the sum of \$12,954.70 for Independent School District No. 152, Stearns County, to reimburse said districts for loss of income due to war conditions, which amounts are to be paid immediately after the passage of this act for the operation of the schools during the 1943-1944 school year.

Approved April 23, 1945.

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CHAPTER 507—S. F. No. 89

*An act relating to the salaries and retirement compensation of justices of the supreme court and of judges of the district court, and amending Minnesota Statutes 1941, Sections 350.09 and 350.10.*

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

**Section 1.** Minnesota Statutes 1941, Section 350.09, is amended so as to read as follows:

**350.09. Salaries; office of the supreme court.** The yearly salaries to be paid to the officers and employees in the office of the supreme court shall be as follows:

- (1) Chief justice, \$10,000;
- (2) Associate justices, \$9,500 each;
- (3) Clerk of the supreme court, \$4,500; provided, that of the moneys appropriated for salaries, \$500.00 is additional salary for each of the years ending June 30, 1942, and June 30, 1943, of the clerk of the supreme court;
- (4) Deputy clerk, \$3,000; provided, that of the moneys appropriated for salaries, \$400.00 is additional salary for each of the years ending June 30, 1942, and June 30, 1943, of the deputy clerk of the supreme court;
- (5) Stenographer, \$1,500;
- (6) Assistant clerk, \$1,500;
- (7) Supreme court reporter, \$3,600;
- (8) Reporter's assistant, to be appointed by him and approved by the court, \$2,000;
- (9) Marshal, \$1,500;
- (10) Janitor, \$1,200;
- (11) Each stenographer, such sum as shall be fixed by the justice or court commissioner appointing them, not exceeding \$1,500.

Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 1941, Section 350.10, is amended so as to read as follows:

350.10. **Salaries; judges of the district court.** The yearly salaries to be paid to the judges of the district court shall be \$7,000 each from the state and \$1,500 additional, payable monthly from each county in their respective districts having a population of 75,000 or more and \$300.00 additional in each judicial district having an area of more than 15,000 square miles, payable monthly from the counties comprising such judicial district in such proportion as the assessed valuation of each county bears to the total assessed valuation of such judicial district in the preceding year; provided, that when any district judge shall preside upon the trial or hearing of any cause outside of his resident judicial district, wherein the district judge receives a larger salary, he shall receive as additional compensation during the period of such trial or hearing the difference between his fixed compensation and the compensation of the district judge of the district where he has been so engaged, the same to be paid by the county wherein the trial or hearing was held upon certification of the senior resident district judge thereof.

Sec. 3. **Retirement compensation not increased.** *The retirement compensation for justices of the supreme court and judges of the district court, now in effect, shall not be increased by reason of the change in salaries provided for in this act, but shall be governed by the provisions of law and based on salaries in force immediately prior to the passage of this act.*

Sec. 4. **Effective date.** This act shall take effect and be in force from and after July 1, 1945.

Approved April 23, 1945.

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CHAPTER 508—S. F. No. 109

*An act relating to the state agricultural society and appropriating money therefor.*

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

**Section 1. State agricultural society; appropriation.** There is hereby appropriated to the state agricultural society from the general revenue in the state treasury \$400,000 available for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1946, for the construction of an agriculture-horticulture building on the state fair grounds, no part of such appropriation to cancel until the purpose for which such appropriation is granted shall have been accomplished.

Approved April 23, 1945.

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CHAPTER 509—S. F. No. 161

*An act relating to the duration of corporate existence and amending Minnesota Statutes 1941, Section 300.13.*

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

**Section 1.** Minnesota Statutes 1941, Section 300.13, is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

**300.13. Corporate existence; duration; renewal; notices of renewal, publication.** A railroad corporation may be formed for any period specified in its certificate of incorporation. A savings bank shall have perpetual succession. Every other corporation, except as hereinafter otherwise provided, shall