

S. F. No. 504.

CHAPTER 153.

An act relating to the engrossing and enrolling of legislative bills, joint resolutions and acts.

Engrossing
and enrolling
legislative
bills, etc.

Whereas, hitherto it has been customary to engross and enroll bills, joint resolutions and legislative acts with pen and ink, in long hand, and

Whereas, during the last days of every legislative session such method often occasions unnecessary and embarrassing delay, now therefore,

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

SECTION 1. That all bills, joint resolutions and legislative acts may be engrossed, or enrolled, as the case may be, by pen and ink, in long hand, or by printing, or by typewriting, or partly in either manner.

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typewritten.

SEC. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

Approved April 12, 1905.

S. F. No. 516.

CHAPTER 154.

An act regulating the fees to be charged by the register of deeds and fixing compensation for clerk hire in offices of register of deeds in certain cases.

Fees and
clerk hire
for register
of deeds in
certain
counties.

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

SECTION 1. In all counties of this state now containing or that hereafter shall contain 60 or more organized congressional townships and containing a population of not less than 45,000 and not more than 75,000, and in which the salary of the Register of Deeds is fixed by law at \$1,500 per annum, such Register of Deeds shall charge and collect the same fees as are now provided for by law except that for entering or recording any deed or other instrument he shall charge the sum of five (5c) cents per folio to be paid when the same is left for record.

SEC. 2. In any such county the county commissioners may allow a sum not to exceed \$2,500.00 per annum for clerk hire in said register of deeds office. At the end of each month the register of deeds shall furnish each of the clerks and deputies employed in his office with a certificate showing the compensation such clerk or deputy is entitled to for such month and upon the presentation of

said certificate the county auditor shall issue to such clerk or deputy his warrant upon the county treasurer for the amount thereof. The allowance for clerk hire shall in all cases be for actual services rendered. At the first meeting of the county commissioners of such county after the passage of this law the said county commissioners shall fix the amount to be allowed for such clerk hire for the remainder of the year 1905 and shall annually thereafter at the first meeting in January fix the amount to be allowed for such clerk hire during said year.

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SEC. 3. That this act shall in no way affect or modify any existing law regulating the salaries of register of deeds in such counties, but that the same shall be and remain as now fixed by law, and all fees collected by the register of deeds of such counties shall be turned into the county treasury of said county as now provided by law.

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

Approved April 12, 1905.

CHAPTER 155.

S. F. No. 517.

An act providing for additional clerk hire for judges of probate in certain cases.

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

SECTION 1. In all counties of this state containing a population of not less than 45,000 and not more than 75,000, and in which the salary of the judge of probate is now or may hereafter be less than that provided for by the General Laws of the State of Minnesota, the county commissioners of such county may allow a sum not to exceed \$500 per annum for additional clerk hire in said probate office in addition to the sum now allowed by law for the salary of the clerk of probate. Said amount so to be allowed to be fixed by the county commissioners for the year 1905 at their next meeting after the passage of this act and annually thereafter on the first meeting of each year, and said clerk hire shall in all cases be for actual services rendered and shall be paid monthly upon the presentation of a certificate of the judge of probate to the county auditor who shall issue to such person entitled thereto his warrant upon the county treasurer of said county for the amount thereof.

Clerk hire
for probate
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