

## CHAPTER 360—H. F. NO. 616.

*An Act to amend section fourteen hundred and ninety-eight (1498) Revised Laws of one thousand nine hundred and five (1905) relating to temporary relief to poor.*

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

**Relief, how granted.**—Section 1. That section fourteen hundred and ninety-eight (1498) Revised Laws of one thousand nine hundred and five (1905) be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Sec. 1498. Temporary relief—If upon inquiry, such member be of the opinion that only temporary and limited assistance will be required by such person, or any member of his family, and that it will be for the best interest of the county to grant the same, instead of making the order aforesaid he may allow such person or any member of a family relief to the amount that he may deem expedient, subject to the following conditions:

1. No money shall be paid to any poor person under this section except that when transportation is furnished, a small sum may be given to such person to buy food.

2. Relief shall not be granted to any one person or any one member of a family in a sum exceeding thirty-five (\$35.00) dollars in one calendar year, except that in cases extended relief is asked for before July 1st and approved by the commissioner, the board may, by resolution, authorize him to increase the relief to the amount of seventy-five (\$75.00) dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

When relief is given under this section, an itemized and verified bill of goods furnished or services rendered, accompanied by an acknowledgment of the same from the person receiving them, must be presented to such member. Upon his approval thereof, he shall direct the auditor in writing to issue his warrant for the amount specified to be paid out of the fund for the support and relief of the poor. A blank form for such bill, acknowledgment, approval and order, shall be provided by the auditor and used in all such cases.

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

Approved April 23, 1907.