

CHAPTER 463—H. F. No. 993.

An Act to legalize certain proceedings heretofore taken for drainage of land in certain cases.

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

Section 1. **Certain drainage proceedings legalized.**—Where the county board of any county in this state has heretofore in pursuance to Chapter 230 of the General Laws of 1905 and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto located and established, or attempted to locate and establish any drainage ditch in any county of this state, and it has been determined by resolution adopted by said board that such ditch will be a public utility and will promote and be conducive to the public health and that the benefits to be derived from the construction thereof are greater than the total cost, including damages awarded, and where such ditch has been actually constructed or the county has entered into a contract or contracts for the construction thereof and such contracts have been partially performed, and the auditor of any such county has executed and filed in the office of the register of deeds the tabulated statement as provided for by law, making assessments for the cost of the location, establishment and construction of such ditch within such county against the land, corporations and roads benefited thereby, and where no appeals have been taken therefrom or from any of such proceedings, or if such appeals have been taken, that the same have been determined before the passage of this act, then the said proceedings from their inception to the time of the letting of said contract and all subsequent proceedings and all assessments or liens so levied or attempted to be assessed or levied and the payments of the actual cost of such work, including the damages awarded, and all proceedings of every kind and description had thereunder, including the service of all notices provided for by law, are hereby legalized and declared to be valid and in full force and effect to the same extent as though all or any of such proceedings had been conducted and had as required by law.

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CHAPTER 464—H. F. No. 1031.

An Act authorizing and regulating certain classes of indemnity contracts empowering corporations to make such contracts for fixing certain fees, and the penalty for violation thereof.

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

Section 1. **Reciprocal or inter-insurance contracts.**—Individuals, partnerships and corporations of this state, hereby