

at which Minnesota Grades are established, ascertain and determine what dockage contained in grain is of value and publish a list thereof in connection with the publication of said Minnesota Grades. Any foreign content of the grain shall not be considered in establishing the grade. They shall also render assistance and advice to the chief inspector of grain so as to enable him to instruct the deputy inspectors of grain under his jurisdiction in accordance with the decisions and work of the boards. Whenever grain containing dockage of value is sold to any public, local warehouse or mill, terminal warehouse, or to any flour mill located in St. Paul, Minneapolis or Duluth, or any other point within the State of Minnesota, which is now or may hereafter be designated as a terminal point, such sale shall not be considered to include such dockage of value, but such dockage shall be paid for at its market value or shall be returned to the vendor of said grain at the option of the vendee. At the time of establishing "Minnesota Grades" it shall be the duty of said Boards of Grain Appeal to establish such rules and regulations as shall be deemed necessary for the carrying out of the provisions and purposes of this act, and to publish said rules in connection with the publication of the said "Minnesota Grades."

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CHAPTER 259—H. F. No. 1400.

An act authorizing the county board to fix the salary of the county attorney and to fix the salary for the number of assistants, clerks and other help within certain limits, and fix their compensation and provide for their expenses in all counties in this state now or hereafter having a population of more than 150,000 inhabitants and less than 240,000 inhabitants, and having an area of more than 5,000 square miles, and repealing all inconsistent acts.

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

Section 1. Salary of County Attorney and assistants in certain counties.—That in all counties of this state now or hereafter having a population of more than 150,000 and less than 240,000 inhabitants and having an area of more than 5,000 square miles, the Board of County Commissioners of said county shall have authority within the limits hereinafter specified, to fix the salary, clerks hire allowance and expenses of the county attorney and the number of assistants, clerks and other help and their compensation as hereinafter provided.

Sec. 2. The County Board of such county may fix the salary of the county attorney at not less than \$4500.00 and not more than \$5500.00 per annum.

Sec. 3. Such county attorney shall appoint and employ a first assistant county attorney, whose salary shall be fixed by the county board of said county at not less than \$3600.00 and not more than \$4500.00 per annum; a second assistant county attorney whose salary shall be not more than \$3600.00 per annum; a third assistant county attorney, whose salary shall be not more than \$3300.00 per annum; a fourth assistant county attorney, whose salary shall be not more than \$3000.00 per annum; and one investigator whose salary shall be not more than \$2400.00 per annum, all as shall be fixed within such limits by the county board of any such county. All of said Assistant County Attorneys shall be attorneys duly admitted to practice in all the courts of the State of Minnesota, and they shall take the official oath of office and execute a bond in all respects the same as the county attorney is by law required to execute, and all said Assistant County Attorneys shall be fully authorized to do and perform, at the direction of the county attorney, any and all duties pertaining to such office of such county attorney. The said Investigator shall be a Peace Officer, and shall possess all powers by law provided and vested in Peace Officers, Police Officers and Deputy Sheriffs, and the said Investigator shall be under the sole and exclusive jurisdiction of the county attorney. Such county attorney and such assistant county attorneys and the said Investigator shall also receive actual and necessary traveling expenses incurred in the business of the county, which traveling expenses shall be allowed and paid by the county on a verified itemized bill, in the same manner as other bills against the county.

Sec. 4. Said county attorney may also employ help for stenographic and clerical work, but the aggregate of all salaries and expenses for such stenographic and other clerical work shall not exceed \$3,500.00 per annum.

Sec. 5. The above named salaries and compensation of said county attorney and said assistant county attorneys and said Investigator and said stenographers and clerks shall be paid monthly in the same manner as county officials are now paid, and the same shall be in full compensation for all services rendered by said county attorney, assistant county attorneys, investigator, stenographers and clerks respectively, in their capacity except as otherwise provided by law.

Sec. 6. All acts or parts of acts, whether general or special, that are inconsistent with this Act, are hereby repealed.

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CHAPTER 260—H. F. No. 275.

An act relating to building and loan associations and revising, amending, consolidating, and rearranging the laws relating thereto.