

Sec. 3. Violation a misdemeanor.—Any person violating the provisions of this act shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

Approved April 24, 1925.

CHAPTER 341—S. F. No. 554.

An act to amend Subdivision 1 of Section 2554, General Statutes 1923, relating to the powers of the commissioners of highways.

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

Section 1. Highway Commissioner to secure land in certain cases.—That Subdivision 1 of Section 2554, General Statutes 1923, be and the same hereby is amended so as to read as follows:

Sub. 1. The commissioner of highways is empowered to carry out the provisions of Section 1 of Article 16, of the Constitution of the state, and is hereby authorized to acquire by purchase, gift, or condemnation as provided by statute all necessary right of way needed in *laying* out and constructing the trunk highway system, and to locate, construct, reconstruct, improve and maintain such trunk highway system, to contract on an equitable basis with railroad companies for the construction of bridges and approaches necessary for the separation of grades at points of intersection between railroads and trunk highways, to let all necessary contracts therefor, and to purchase all needed road material, machinery, tools and supplies necessary for the construction and maintenance thereof, and to *purchase* or rent grounds and buildings necessary for the storing and housing of such material, machinery, tools and supplies; and in carrying out the provisions of said Section 1, of Article 16 of the Constitution of the State, is hereby authorized to expend out of the trunk highway fund such portions thereof as may be available for the purposes herein provided, and there is hereby appropriated, annually, from such fund the entire amount thereof or so much as shall be necessary for the location, construction, reconstruction, improvement and maintenance of the trunk highway system including the cost of acquiring title to any needed right of way, and the cost of *purchasing* or renting grounds and buildings for such storage and housing, the purchase of the necessary road material, tools, machinery and supplies for the construction and maintenance of said trunk highway system and for the compensation of all persons employed and the necessary expenses incurred in the execution of such work, such expenditures to be made as provided in this act. Where any trunk highway runs to any interstate water forming the boundary between Minnesota and any other state and there connects with any interstate bridge across such boundary water or runs into any city or village situated on such water boundary and intersects any street thereof adjacent to and

connecting with any such bridge, in every such case all that part of any such bridge within the limits of this state shall be considered as a part of such trunk highway system except where any such bridge is owned by a private person or corporation or is operated as toll bridge and said commissioner is authorized and directed to cooperate with the duly authorized authorities of such adjoining state in the maintenance, repair, construction and reconstruction of any such bridge.

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CHAPTER 342—S. F. No. 592

An act to legalize conveyances of real property heretofore made and the records thereof.

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

Section 1. **Conveyances of real property legalized.**—That all conveyances of real property heretofore made in which a married man or married woman has conveyed real property directly to his or her spouse, or that the husband has conveyed to his spouse and children and the children in turn have re-conveyed an interest to said spouse and mother, or that a husband executed and acknowledged a deed in this state, and his wife executed such deed in a foreign country but did not acknowledge such deed or have the acknowledgement certified, shall be, and the same are hereby declared legal and valid, and the records of such conveyances heretofore actually recorded, and if not recorded, that the register of deeds is hereby authorized to record the same in the proper county on or before September 1, 1925, shall be in all respects valid and legal; such conveyances and records thereof shall have the same force and effect in all respects as conveyances of title and for the purpose of notice, evidence or otherwise, as may be provided by law in regard to conveyances and their records in other cases. Provided, that the provisions of this act shall not apply to any action or proceeding now pending in any of the courts of this state.

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CHAPTER 343—S. F. No. 983

An act providing for agreements for extensions of time for payment of life insurance premiums and lapsing of insurance policies upon failure to pay the same.

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

Section 1. **Life insurance premiums—Extension of payment.**