

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

Section 1. **Auctioneers' licenses.**—That Section 7322, General Statutes 1923, be and the same hereby is amended so as to read as follows:

"7322. The county board or auditor may license any voter in its county as an auctioneer. Such license shall be issued by the auditor and shall authorize the licensee to conduct the business of an auctioneer in the state of Minnesota for the period of one year. It shall be recorded by the auditor in a book kept for that purpose. Before such license is issued the licensee shall pay into the county treasury a fee of ten dollars (\$10.00). Provided, that any person may be licensed as an auctioneer for the purpose of making sales of pure bred or grade live stock only upon the payment of the fee and the giving of the bond as above provided. *Provided, further, that any person resident in an adjoining state which issues auctioneers' licenses to residents of Minnesota on the same basis as to the residents of such adjoining state, may be licensed as an auctioneer upon payment of the fee required therefor in such adjoining state and giving an approval of a bond as provided in the next succeeding section.*"

Approved April 13, 1927.

CHAPTER 174—H. F. No. 726

An act to legalize, validate and confirm the attempted renewal of corporate existence of co-operative creamery associations whose period of duration expired without renewal thereof, and validating acts and contracts of such associations done or entered into subsequent to the expiration of the original period of existence.

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

Section 1. **Renewal of corporation legalized.**—That in any case where the original period of duration of corporate existence as specified in the articles of association of a cooperative creamery association organized and existing under the laws of this state expired less than two years prior to the passage and approval hereof, and the association has continued in good faith to carry on and transact business and has heretofore in good faith attempted to renew the period of its corporate existence for a period of not exceeding 20 years from and after the expiration of its said original period of duration and such renewal proceedings were in all respects regular and in accordance with law, save that the same were not taken and completed prior to the expiration of said period, the extension of the corporate existence of such association shall be and hereby

is declared to be in all respects legal and valid and shall have the same force and effect as if renewed prior to the expiration of its term of existence.

Sec. 2. Acts validated.—In any such case such proceedings shall relate back to the date of the expiration of said original corporate period, and any and all corporate acts and contracts of such association done or entered into after the expiration of said original period shall be and each hereby is declared to be legal and valid.

Sec. 3. Application.—This act shall not apply to any co-operative creamery association the charter of which has been declared forfeited by the final judgment of any court of competent jurisdiction in this state, nor to any action or proceeding now pending in any of the courts of this state.

Approved April 13, 1927.

CHAPTER 175—H. F. No. 904

An act to amend General Statutes 1923, Section 5606, relating to state fishing operations and to the disposition of fish taken thereunder.

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

Section 1. Bond required.—That General Statutes 1923, Section 5606, be and the same hereby is amended so as to read as follows:

"5606. Fish so taken and removed shall be sold by the commissioner at not more than the prevailing market price, and the proceeds of such sales shall be paid by the commissioner into the state treasury and by the treasurer credited to the revolving fund aforesaid."

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CHAPTER 176—H. F. No. 1132

An act authorizing any city of the first class in this state, now or hereafter operating under a home rule charter, and now or hereafter containing a city hall building on land contiguous to the county court house, and jail grounds, to enter into contract with the county in which any such city is located, for the furnishing to such city of jail facilities in such county jail building and furnishing of heating and lighting service by such county to such city, and the construction and maintenance of a connecting tunnel between the county court house and county jail and the city hall