

Provided further, that the provisions of this act shall not be construed to prohibit or make unlawful the interchange of passenger transportation and message service between such railroad companies and telegraph companies and provided further that the provisions of this act shall not be construed to prohibit or make unlawful the interchange between railroad, express, telegraph and telephone companies of the transportation of persons and property, and the transmission of messages.

Provided further, that no free transportation shall be issued or given to any person when such person is a member of, employed by, or in any way connected with any political committee, or a candidate for, or incumbent of any office or position under the constitution and laws of this state, except as herein provided, and except that any railroad company may issue free passes to its employees, while occupying office or position, other than judicial, under a municipality, county or public school district, or while acting under appointment as a Notary Public in this State, and except that any railway company may issue free passes to any member of the legislature who is and has been an employee of such railway company for a continuous period of five years prior to his election to such office; provided, however, that such free transportation shall not be used by such member of the legislature during the period of any legislative session nor for any travel for which mileage is collected from the state.

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

Approved March 30, 1927.

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#### CHAPTER 87—S. F. No. 698

*An act to validate and legalize certain warrants and orders issued by townships and less than one hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$150,000) assessed valuation.*

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

Section 1. **Certain warrants validated.**—That all warrants and orders drawn and issued by any township in this State having at the present time less than \$150,000 Assessed Valuation, where said township has outstanding bonds voted to the State of Minnesota, be and the same are hereby legalized and declared valid obligations of said township. Provided that the provisions of this act shall not apply to any action or proceedings now pending in any of the Courts of the State.

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

Approved March 28, 1927.