

he is no longer a candidate for the office for which he has filed. The names of all candidates who have not withdrawn in accordance with the provisions of this Act shall be printed in the sample ballot provided for herein and in the official ballots for such election."

Approved April 16, 1931.

CHAPTER 178—H. F. No. 653

An act to amend Mason's Minnesota Statutes of 1927, Sections 3675 and 3681, relating to farmers and township mutual reinsurance associations.

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

Section 1. Mutual reinsurance or guarantee associations.—That Mason's Minnesota Statutes of 1927, Section 3675, be amended so as to read as follows:

"3675. Not less than six *duly licensed* township mutual fire insurance companies or farmers' mutual fire insurance companies may organize a mutual association for the purpose of *reinsuring specific risks in such amounts as shall be fixed by the by-laws of such association and/or for the purpose of reinsuring all risks of the member companies in excess of such amounts as shall be fixed by the by-laws of such association.*"

Sec. 2. Assessments to be paid.—That Mason's Minnesota Statutes of 1927, Section 3681, be amended so as to read as follows:

"3681. Member companies of any such association shall each year pay to the treasurer thereof *such assessments as shall be fixed or authorized* by the by-laws of such association, which *assessments* shall be based upon the amount of insurance of each of its member companies during the calendar year ending December 31st next preceding. The individual members of the member companies shall be subject to assessment in case the funds of the member companies are insufficient to pay *any* assessment made by the association, to the same extent and in the same manner as though said assessment by the association *were to cover* a loss by fire for which the member company was liable."

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