## CHAPTER 177—H. F. No. 1222

An act relating to certain cemetery associations duly incorporated as public cemeteries and granting them perpetual succession.

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

Section 1. Certain cemetery associations granted perpetual successions.—In all cases where an attempt has been made in good faith by the citizens or residents of any county or counties in this state to organize a cemetery association pursuant to the laws of this state, and where articles of incorporation have been executed and filed in the office of the register of deeds of such county, prior to the first day of January, 1909, and where the period of duration has been limited and has since expired, and has not been renewed prior to such expiration, and where such association has in good faith entered upon the work of acquiring and maintaining a cemetery and has actually purchased or acquired property for such purpose, which property has ever since been used and maintained as a public cemetery, the association so attempted to be formed is hereby declared to be a duly incorporated public cemetery and body politic, with all the rights, powers and privileges now conferred by law upon public cemetery associations, and such cemetery associations hereby legalized shall have perpetual succession.

Sec. 2. Limitations of act.—This act shall not apply to cemetery associations in counties containing a city of more than 50,000 inhabitants.

Approved April 8, 1939.

## CHAPTER 178-H. F. No. 1232

An act authorizing any county and city of the first class within such county, which such city now or hereafter contains taxable property having an assessed valuation of more than 95 per cent of the assessed valuation for taxation purposes of all property in such county, and which city and county now or hereafter jointly conduct a county welfare board to supervise and care for the poor therein, to issue bonds for the relief of the poor in such city and county; and amending Laws 1929, Chapter 371, Section 6, as amended by Extra Session Laws 1935-1936, Chapter 90.