

CHAPTER 4—H. F. No. 81

An act making the 1938 Supplement to Mason's Minnesota Statutes of 1927 prima facie evidence of the statutes therein contained.

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

Section 1. **1938 supplement to be prima facie evidence.**—The 1938 Supplement to Mason's Minnesota Statutes of 1927 shall be prima facie evidence of the statutes therein contained.

Approved January 30, 1939.

✓ CHAPTER 5—H. F. No. 146

An act to amend Mason's Minnesota Statutes of 1927, Section 991, as amended by Extra Session Laws 1933 and 1934, Chapter 69, as amended by Laws 1935, Chapter 17, relating to contracts of county boards in counties of less than 75,000 inhabitants.

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

Section 1. **Contracts of county boards in certain counties.**—Mason's Minnesota Statutes of 1927, Section 991, as amended by extra session Laws 1933 and 1934, Chapter 69, as amended by Laws 1935, Chapter 17, is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

"991. In counties having *less than seventy-five thousand population*, no contract for *work or labor*, or for the purchase of furniture, fixtures, or other property, or for the construction or repair of *roads, bridges, or buildings*, the estimated cost or value of which shall exceed five hundred dollars, shall be made by the county board without first advertising for bids or proposals in some newspaper of the county. If for the purchase of property, or for work and labor, two weeks' published notice that proposals will be received, stating the time and place, shall be given. If for the construction or repair of roads, bridges, or buildings, three weeks' published notice shall be given, and also fifteen days' posted notice in the town where the construction is to be done. Such notice shall state the time and place of awarding the contract, and contain a brief description of the work. Every such contract shall be awarded