

to public inspection. *This subdivision shall not apply to the purchase of fibre used in the manufacture of binder twine, ply twines, and rope at the state penal institutions, which shall be purchased in accordance with such regulations as the commissioner may prescribe, requiring competitive bids as far as practicable.*"

Approved April 16, 1941.

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CHAPTER 282—S. F. No. 22

*An act providing for the repeal of Mason's Supplement 1940, Section 5887, Sub-sections 30-k, l, m, n, o, p, q, r, s, t, relating to licensing of painters.*

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

**Section 1. Laws repealed.**—Mason's Supplement 1940, Section 5887-30, sub-sections k, l, m, n, o, p, q, r, s, and t, is hereby repealed.

**Sec. 2. Refundment of license fees paid in 1941.**—Refundment of the amount of the license money paid by licensees for the year 1941 shall be made to said licensees provided that if the amount in the fund created by the law hereby repealed is not sufficient for refundment of all license fees paid for the year 1941, refundment shall be made to licensees on a pro rata basis.

**Sec. 3. Act to continue in force for limited time.**—This act shall be in force and of effect from and after its passage, but the Industrial Commission is hereby authorized to continue the division of painting standards for the period of time necessary to make the refundments provided by this act. However, said time of continuation of said division shall not exceed ninety days after the passage of this act.

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CHAPTER 283—S. F. No. 27

*An act to prohibit discrimination by insurance companies and providing penalties for violation thereof.*

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