

## CHAPTER 461—H. F. No. 844

*An act providing for the preparation, printing, publication, and distribution of "Annotations to Minnesota Statutes" and appropriating money therefor.*

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

**Section 1. Annotations to Minnesota Statutes.** Immediately after the end of the biennial session of the legislature in 1945, the revisor of statutes shall deliver to the commissioner of administration printer's copy for "annotations to Minnesota Statutes," which shall contain annotations to the Constitution of the State of Minnesota, annotations to the statutes in force at the close of the 1943 session of the Legislature, and the source and legislative history of each section of Minnesota Statutes.

**Sec. 2. Commissioner to print.** Upon delivery of such printer's copy, the commissioner of administration shall print and deliver, as soon as possible, an edition of 3,000 copies. He shall specify the price at which copies of "Annotations to Minnesota Statutes" shall be sold.

**Sec. 3. Supplements.** The revisor of statutes shall prepare accurate and complete annotations of court decisions construing the statutes so as to supplement the annotations contained in "Annotations to Minnesota Statutes" and deliver to the commissioner of administration printer's copy therefor; and the commissioner of administration shall print and deliver biennially, commencing with the year 1946, as soon as possible, an edition of 3,000 copies. Such annotations shall be printed as supplements to "Annotations to Minnesota Statutes," and the commissioner of administration shall fix the price at which copies thereof shall be sold.

**Sec. 4. Financing. Subdivision 1. Revolving fund created.** The Minnesota Annotations Revolving Fund is hereby created for the purpose of printing, publishing and distributing the "Annotations to Minnesota Statutes" and supplements thereto, which fund shall be kept in the state treasury and paid out in the manner prescribed by law for money therein.

**Subd. 2. Defined.** Such fund shall consist of the money appropriated therefor and all money which may hereafter be deposited therein as the result of the sale of such annotations and supplements by the commissioner of administration which is reappropriated to the commissioner of administration for the purposes herein set forth.

Subd. 3. **Sole use.** Such fund shall be used solely for the purposes set forth in subdivision 2, and no part thereof may be used to pay any expense in connection with the preparation of printer's copy therefor.

Sec. 5. **Appropriation.** There is hereby appropriated out of the general revenue fund in the state treasury to be placed in the Minnesota Annotations Revolving Fund, the sum of \$50,000.

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#### CHAPTER 462—H. F. No. 850

*An act relating to the Minnesota Statutes; appropriating money therefor; and repealing Minnesota Statutes 1941, Chapter 648.*

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

**Section 1. Biennial publication.** Subdivision 1. **Revisor to prepare copy.** Immediately after the end of the biennial session of the Legislature in 1947 and each biennial session thereafter, the revisor of statutes shall prepare and deliver to the commissioner of administration printer's copy for a volume to be called "Minnesota Statutes," appending thereto the year of such biennial session, which shall contain the constitution of the United States, the constitution of this state, all general and permanent statutes in force, a table of the statutes which have been revised by the revisor of statutes, an alphabetical index, a table showing the terms of the district courts, and such other information as the revisor of statutes deems desirable and practicable, and which shall conform, as far as practicable, in classification, arrangement, printing, and binding with Minnesota Statutes 1945. The decimal system of numbering of sections contained in Minnesota Statutes 1945 shall be continued in all future editions of Minnesota Statutes.

Subd. 2. **New laws incorporated.** The revisor of statutes shall, as soon as possible after the adjournment of each such biennial session of the Legislature, incorporate with the body of the text of the Minnesota Statutes the amendments made to any of the statutes contained therein at such session of the Legislature and at any extra session of the Legislature held