

221.02. **Definitions.** Subd. 14. **Contract carrier.** The term "contract carrier", as used in sections 221.18 to 221.39, means any person engaged in the business of transporting property for hire over the public highways of this state, other than as a common carrier. The terms "common carrier" and "contract carrier" shall not apply to a person engaged in agricultural pursuits who owns and uses a truck either for the purpose of transporting the products of his farm or occasionally transporting the property of others for hire, nor shall the terms "common carrier" and "contract carrier" apply to any person while engaged exclusively in the transportation of fresh vegetables from farms to canneries or viner stations, or from viner stations to canneries, or from canneries to canneries during the harvesting, canning, or packing season, nor shall the terms "common carrier" and "contract carrier" apply to a manufacturer, producer, dealer, or distributor who, in the pursuit of his business, owns and uses a truck, or trucks, either for the purpose of transporting his own products or occasionally transporting the property of others for hire. *The terms "common carrier" and "contract carrier" shall not apply to any person while engaged exclusively in the transportation of pulp wood, cord wood, mining timber, poles and posts from the place where the products are produced to the point where they are to be used or shipped.*

Approved April 10, 1947.

CHAPTER 300—H. F. No. 628

An act relating to minnow dealers and licenses therefor; amending Minnesota Statutes 1945, Section 97.40, Subdivision 27, Section 98.46, Subdivision 3, and Section 98.47, Subdivision 9.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1945, Section 97.40, Subdivision 27, is amended to read as follows:

97.40. **Definitions.** Subd. 27. **Itinerant minnow dealer.** "Itinerant minnow dealer" includes all persons engaged as owner or part owner in transporting minnows for a distance of 15 miles or more for the purpose of sale. Any other person

who catches or buys minnows for resale shall be known as a local minnow dealer or an *itinerant minnow dealer's helper*.

Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 1945, Section 98.46, Subdivision 3, is amended to read as follows:

98.46. Licenses, fees. Subd. 3. Fees. Subject to all applicable provisions of chapters 97 to 102, the following licenses shall be issued to either residents or non-residents upon payment of the fees herein specified;

- (1) To sell live minnows:
 - (a) Local minnow dealer, \$2.50;
 - (b) *Itinerant minnow dealer, \$25.00 plus \$10.00 for each vehicle used in addition to one;*
 - (c) *Itinerant minnow dealer's helper, \$2.50;*
- (2) To raise fish in a private hatchery, \$5.00;
- (3) To buy wild rice for the purpose of resale from a person who has harvested the same, \$1.00, if the amount purchased in a single year does not exceed 1,000 pounds; *in excess of 1,000 pounds, \$25.00;*
- (4) To buy fish from licensed commercial fishermen on Lake Superior for the purpose of resale, \$25.00;
- (5) To handle or buy fish taken by commercial fishermen licensed under this act on Lake of the Woods, Namakan, or Rainy Lake;
 - (a) Wholesale fish buyer's license, \$100;
 - (b) Resident fish buyer's license to ship from one place to another on international waters only, \$10.00;
 - (c) Fish peddler's license to peddle fish with the use of a motor vehicle, within the state only, \$5.00;
- (6) To tan or dress raw furs, \$2.00.

Sec. 3. Minnesota Statutes 1945, Section 98.47, Subdivision 9, is amended to read as follows:

98.47. Exceptions to license requirements. Subd. 9. **Helpers' licenses.** Helpers' licenses shall be issued under section 98.46, subdivision 1 (20) (e), (21), (c), (23) (b), and subdivision 3 (1) to the holder of a master's license, and shall be transferable upon his application. Every person assisting the holder of a master's license, in going to and from fishing

locations, or in setting or lifting nets, or removing fish from nets, shall have a helper's license, unless he be the holder of a master's license.

Approved April 10, 1947.

CHAPTER 301—H. F. No. 708

[Not Coded]

An act relating to civil service for county employees and county welfare board employees in certain counties; amending Laws 1941, Chapter 513, as amended by Laws 1943, Chapter 259, and adding new provisions.

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

Section 1. Laws amended; duties of commissioner. Laws 1941, Chapter 513, Section 6, as amended by Laws 1943, Chapter 259, Section 2, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 6. Classification of service. The officers and employees of such county and of any county or joint county and city agency, board or commission, supported in whole or in part by taxation upon the taxable property of such county, or appointed by the judges of the district court or probate court for such county, or by any board or agency composed of representatives of the county and any city in such county, *including the county welfare board employees employed in hospitals, preventoria, and county homes*, are hereby divided into the unclassified and classified service.

The unclassified service shall comprise:

(a) All officers elected by popular vote or persons appointed to fill vacancies in such offices.

(b) Judges, receivers, referees, examiner and assistant examiner of titles, public defender, arbiters, jurors, judges and clerks of election, notaries public, and persons appointed by the district or probate courts to make or conduct any special inquiry of a judicial and temporary character.

(c) The superintendent or principal administrative officer of any separate department of county government or agency which is now or hereafter created by law *and the superintendent, assistant superintendent or principal administrative officer or director of any institution under the county*