

Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 1949, Section 620.03, is hereby repealed.

Approved April 15, 1953.

CHAPTER 363—S. F. No. 1010

[Not Coded]

*An act providing for the appointment of stenographic reporters of the municipal court of the city of Minneapolis, Hennepin County, Minnesota; fixing their salaries, defining their duties, and repealing Laws 1909, Chapter 225 as amended.*

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

**Section 1. Municipal court reporter, Minneapolis.**  
**Subdivision 1. Appointment; tenure; retirement.** Each judge of the municipal court of the city of Minneapolis may appoint a stenographic reporter, who shall be well skilled in his profession and competent to discharge the duties required. This stenographic reporter shall be a sworn officer of the court, and hold his office during the pleasure of the judge appointing him, notwithstanding any rule or regulation heretofore or hereafter made by any board or commission of said city, establishing and fixing a compulsory age of retirement of employees of said city. It shall not be compulsory for any such stenographic reporter, who is a member of the public employees' retirement association, to become a member of any municipal pension or retirement fund.

**Subd. 2. Salary.** Beginning January 1, 1953, and continuing until May 1, 1955, the salary of said reporter shall be \$5,800 per annum and thereafter it shall be \$5,300 per annum, payable in semi-monthly installments by the city treasurer of the city of Minneapolis from any funds in the city treasury not otherwise appropriated.

**Subd. 3. Duties, unlawful detainer actions.** Each such reporter upon request of the party to an action for forcible entry or unlawful detainer, or his attorney, shall take notes of the evidence in such action without charge to such party.

**Sec. 2. Duties, generally.** It shall be the duty of each of said stenographic reporters to take, or cause to be taken, full stenographic notes of all proceedings and the testimony of all trials in said court before the judge so appointing him, whenever so directed by the judge and without such direction, to take full notes of all proceedings and testimony at hearings for binding a defendant over to the grand jury; and each of

said reporters shall act in the capacity of a private secretary to the judge so appointing him, whenever so directed by said judge, in taking notes of any findings, decisions or orders of said judge, so given or rendered in open court or dictated at chambers to said reporter; and each of said reporters shall, when requested by said judge so appointing him, without charge therefor, transcribe such notes, or any part thereof, for the use of said judge, or for such other purpose in furtherance of justice as said judge may order, and each of said reporters shall furnish a typewritten copy of said notes, or any part thereof, at the request of any party to an action in said court, for which copy he shall be entitled to charge at the rate of 20 cents per folio, or for every 100 words so written out; and whenever such transcript has been filed as provided by the rules of the court, the amount paid by any party for such copy to be used upon a motion for a new trial or appeal may be taxed and allowed as other disbursements are taxed and allowed in an action.

Sec. 3. Laws 1909, Chapter 225, as amended by Laws 1913, Chapter 517, by Laws 1919, Chapter 331, by Laws 1929, Chapter 128, by Laws 1941, Chapter 30 and by Laws 1943, Chapter 461, is hereby repealed.

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#### CHAPTER 364—S. F. No. 1104

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*An act relating to certain cities of the fourth class, providing for issuance and sale of obligations thereof, providing for the payment thereof from municipal liquor store earnings and proceeds of a tax levy authorized herein, and authorizing appropriation of proceeds from sale of the obligations to a community hospital.*

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

**Section 1. Cities fourth class, certain obligations payable from liquor dispensary fund.** If the voters of any city of the fourth class operating under a home rule charter or otherwise, operating one or more municipal liquor stores, at a general or special election, vote in favor of issuing obligations of the city to provide money for the construction, equipment and maintenance of a community hospital providing that the principal thereof and the interest thereon shall be payable from profits in its liquor dispensary fund and, in the event of any deficiency in the moneys available for such payment,