Sec. 4 **Retroactive**; The retirement allowances authorized under this act are made retroactive to January 1, 1953.

Sec. 5 Certain cities affected. This act shall be effective only as hereinafter provided in those cities where an increase in pensions has been granted as a result of Chapter 408 of the Laws of 1949, and the increases provided shall be effective only in those cities in which the city council or governing body shall approve the increase by a two-thirds vote of all members of the governing body.

Approved March 5, 1953.

CHAPTER 84-H. F. No. 37

An act relating to the public defender in certain counties; amending Minnesota Statutes 1949, Section 611.13, Subdivision 4, as amended.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1949, Section 611.13, Subdivision 4, as amended by Laws 1951, Chapter 657, is amended to read:

Subd. 4. Compensation The public defender shall receive such compensation for his services as the judges of the district court shall fix, in a sum not to exceed \$3,600, such compensation to be paid by the county in the same manner and at the same time as the salaries of other county officials.

Approved March 5, 1953.

CHAPTER 85-H. F. No. 407

An act relating to depositors of school district funds, and designating the amount thereof without the execution of bond, amending Minnesota Statutes 1949, Section 127.07.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1949, Section 127.07 is amended to read:

127.07 **Depositories of school funds.** The governing board of *each* common, independent, *or* special school districts in this state may in its discretion select and designate as depositories for school district money any national or state banks for a period not exceeding three years, on the execution by such bank of a sufficient bond to the school district in double the