

CHAPTER 675—S. F. No. 1774

[Not Coded]

An act relating to the compensation of the register of deeds of Cass county, and authorizing the county to charge fees for preparation of abstracts of title, and providing for purchase of records in certain cases.

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

Section 1. Cass county; register of deeds; compensation. The board of county commissioners of Cass county shall fix the annual salary for the combined office of register of deeds and registrar of titles at not less than \$5,000 nor more than \$7,000.

Sec. 2. If the board of county commissioners of Cass county sets the salary of the combined office of register of deeds and registrar of titles as provided in section 1, then at that time, all fees collected by the combined office of register of deeds and registrar of titles shall be paid to the county in the manner, and at the times prescribed by the county board. No such official shall then receive any such fees as additional compensation.

Sec. 3. The board of county commissioners may, by resolution, fix the proper fees that the county may charge for the preparation of abstracts of title by the register of deeds. If deemed necessary by the board of county commissioners the county may purchase any books and records pertaining to land titles in said county owned by any person or abstract company in said county.

Sec. 4. This act shall become effective only after its approval by a majority of the board of county commissioners of Cass county and upon compliance with Minnesota Statutes, Section 645.021.

Approved May 13, 1963.

CHAPTER 676—S. F. No. 1778

[Not Coded]

An act providing for the consolidation of certain unorganized school territory in Lake of the Woods county with Independent School District No. 690 of Warroad.

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

Section 1. Northwest Angle; consolidation into school dis-
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trict. That portion of the unorganized school territory of Lake of the Woods county situated in what is known as Northwest Angle including the islands adjacent thereto in Lake of the Woods may be consolidated with Independent School District No. 690 of Warroad, notwithstanding, that the areas are not contiguous.

Sec. 2. The provisions of Minnesota Statutes 1961, Section 122.23 shall be applicable to the consolidation provided for in section 1, except as to the said section's requirement of contiguous areas.

Sec. 3. This act shall become effective only after its approval by a majority of the county board of education for unorganized territory in Lake of the Woods county, and the governing body of Independent School District No. 690 of Warroad, and upon compliance with the provisions of Minnesota Statutes, Section 645.021.

Approved May 13, 1963.

CHAPTER 677—S. F. No. 1840

[Not Coded]

An act authorizing the issuance and sale of bonds of the state of Minnesota pursuant to the Constitution, Article IX, Section 6, to refund certificates of indebtedness authorized before January 1, 1963, and appropriating money in connection therewith.

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

Section 1. State bonds; refunding certificates of indebtedness. The state auditor is directed to issue and sell bonds of the state of Minnesota in a principal amount not to exceed \$40,700,000 pursuant to Article IX, Section 6, Subdivision 2 of the Constitution, to refund certificates of indebtedness of the issues described in section 2, authorized by the legislature prior to January 1, 1963, which are now held in the permanent school fund and other funds of the state. The full faith and credit and taxing powers of the state are irrevocably pledged for the prompt and full payment of these bonds and the interest thereon. In accordance with said section 6, subdivision 4, the state auditor shall levy each year on all taxable property within the state a tax sufficient, with the balance then on hand in the state bond fund maintained by the state treasurer, to pay all principal and interest on these bonds and all other bonds issued under said section 6, due and to become due within the then ensuing year and to and including July 1 in the second ensuing year. Such tax shall be levied upon all real property used for the purposes of a homestead, as well

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