

any town ~~any part of which lies within 25 miles of the city hall of a city of the first class~~, the governing body may fill by appointment any vacancy which may occur in the office of town treasurer; ~~furthermore, upon filling any such vacancy by any such appointment~~; The governing body may provide such compensation for any such ~~office town treasurer~~ as such governing body may deem proper, any other law notwithstanding.

Sec. 2. *Minnesota Statutes 1967, Section 367.20, is repealed.*

Approved May 27, 1969.

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CHAPTER 789—H. F. No. 2308

[Not Coded]

*An act relating to the township of St. Cloud firemen's relief association; authorizing the distribution of lump sum pension benefits to members upon dissolution of the fire department.*

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

Section 1. **St. Cloud, township of; firemen's relief association pension.** The fire department relief association of the township of St. Cloud, Stearns county, may upon the annexation of such township to the city of St. Cloud and the dissolution of the township fire department pay out of its special fund in a lump sum a service pension to each member of such association in active service on the date of dissolution, in an amount proportionate to the period of his service with such fire department.

Sec. 2. This act is effective upon its approval by the town board of St. Cloud township and compliance with Minnesota Statutes, Section 645.021.

Approved May 27, 1969.

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CHAPTER 790—H. F. No. 2370

[Not Coded]

*An act providing for payment by the city of Minneapolis of legal fees in certain cases.*

**Changes or additions indicated by italics, deletions by ~~strikeout~~.**

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

Section 1. **Minneapolis, city of; legal fees.** Notwithstanding any law or provision of the charter of the city of Minneapolis to the contrary, the governing body of said city may upon the recommendation of the city attorney engage any attorney licensed to practice law in this state to represent the city, its boards, commissions, officers or employees in any legal proceedings in which they may be a party if such proceedings arise from the duties, activities or functions of the government of the city. The governing body shall pay the necessary costs of the proceedings and the reasonable fees of the attorney in such instance.

Sec. 2. The city may reimburse its officer or employee any costs and reasonable attorney's fees incurred by him in defending charges of a criminal nature brought against him and arising out of his performance of his duties for the city when such reimbursement is requested by the officer or employee and recommended by the city attorney.

Sec. 3. This act shall become effective upon approval by a majority of the governing body of the city of Minneapolis and compliance with the provisions of Minnesota Statutes 1967, Section 645.021.

Approved May 27, 1969.

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#### CHAPTER 791—H. F. No. 2414

*An act relating to aircraft registration and taxation; amending Minnesota Statutes 1967, Section 360.521.*

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1967, Section 360.521, is amended to read:

**360.521 Aircraft; registration and taxation; limitation and election.** (a) None of the provisions of sections ~~360.54~~ 360.531 to 360.67 apply to aircraft or airline companies used in air commerce which have a certificate of convenience and necessity issued by the United States civil aeronautics board.

(b) All aircraft of an airline company operating without a certificate of convenience and necessity issued by the United States

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