

exist at law. Recovery under this section shall be limited to special damages.

Subd. 2. This section shall not apply to persons having custody or charge of any minor under the authority of the welfare or corrections department of the state.

Subd. 3. ~~This section shall expire July 1, 1969.~~

Approved May 27, 1969.

CHAPTER 804—S. F. No. 678

An act relating to attorney fees; amending Minnesota Statutes 1967, Section 611.07, Subdivision 1.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1967, Section 611.07, Subdivision 1, is amended to read:

611.07 Crimes; accused; counsel for defense. Subdivision 1. When a defendant shall be charged upon indictment or information or complaint for any felony or gross misdemeanor and shall request the magistrate to have counsel appointed to assist in his defense, and satisfied such magistrate by his own oath or other required proof that he is unable, by reason of poverty, to procure counsel, the county attorney shall immediately certify to the judge of the district court of the county wherein the preliminary examination is had that the defendant is without counsel and that he has sworn, under oath, that he is financially unable to procure counsel. The district court shall then appoint counsel, not exceeding two, for such defendant, prior to his preliminary examination by a magistrate, to be paid, upon his order, by the county in which the indictment was found, or complaint issued or information filed. If no counsel is appointed prior to the preliminary hearing the court shall appoint such counsel, not exceeding two, at any time thereafter when the defendant is without counsel and has sworn under oath that by reason of poverty he is unable to afford counsel. Compensation; ~~not exceeding \$25 per day for each counsel for the number of days he is actually employed in the preparation of the case; and not exceeding \$50 per day for each day in court for counsel for preparation and appearing in court,~~ together with all nec-

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essary and reasonable costs and expenses incurred or paid in said defense, shall be fixed by the court in each case.

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CHAPTER 805—S. F. No. 712

An act relating to wild animals; requiring annual and other reports of certain persons licensed by the commissioner of conservation; amending Minnesota Statutes 1967, Section 98.51, Subdivision 3.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1967, Section 98.51, Subdivision 3, is amended to read:

Subd. 3. **Wild animals; reports of licensees.** Every person who is required to keep the records provided for in subdivision 2 shall furnish the commissioner *the following reports on forms supplied by the commissioner: (1) a notarized annual report of operations during the preceding calendar year to be submitted on or before January 15 of each year; and (2) such other reports as the commissioner may require for statistical purposes; on blanks to be furnished by the division for that purpose.*

Approved May 27, 1969.

CHAPTER 806—S. F. No. 714

An act relating to wild animals; authorizing the commissioner of conservation to issue special permits for the taking of minnows from waters designated as trout lakes or streams; amending Minnesota Statutes 1967, Section 101.42, Subdivision 5.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1967, Section 101.42, Subdivision 5, is amended to read:

Subd. 5. **Fish; minnows; permits.** Except as otherwise specifically permitted, it shall be unlawful to take minnows with a seine more than 25 feet in length or more than 148 meshes in depth of one fourth inch bar measure or more than 197 meshes in depth of

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