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## CHAPTER 5A

## SALARIES OF CERTAIN STATE OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES

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252. Amount-Payment-The yearly salaries of the tate officers and employes mentioned in this act shall be as herein fixed, and all salaries shall be payable in semi-monthly installments. ('13, c. $400, \S 1$; amended as indicated below)

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## 1. Office of Governor

Governor, $\$ 7000$; private secretary, $\$ 4500$; executive clerk, $\$ 3000$; recording clerk, who shall be also clerk of the pardon board, $\$ 2000$; executive messenger, $\$ 2000$; assistant executive messenger, $\$ 1200$; notary clerk and stenographer, $\$ 1800$. (Amended '17 c. 459, '19 c. 364; '21 c. 367)

## 2. Judicial Department.

Chief Justice, seven thousand five hundred dollars; associate justices, seven thousand dollars each; supreme court commissioners, seven thousand dollars each; clerk of the supreme court, four thousand five hundred dollars; deputy clerk, three thousand dollars; one stenographer and one assistant clerk, one thousand five hundred dollars each; supreme court reporter, thirtysix hundred dollars; reporter's assistant to be appointed by him and approved by the court, two thousand dollars; marshall, fifteen hundred dollars; janitor, twelve hundred dollars; each stenographer such sum as shall be fixed by the justice or court commissioner appointing them, not exceeding fifteen hundred dollars. (Amended Ex. Sess., '19, c. 30; '21, c. 504; '23, c. 377 ; '25, c. 268)

## 3. Office of Secretary of State

Secretary of state, forty-five hundred dollars; assistant secretary of state, twenty-eight hundred dollars; chief clerk, three thousand dollars; recording clerk, eighteen hundred dollars; assistant recording clerk, fifteen hundred dollars; general clerk, twelve hundred dollars; custodian of public documents clerk, fifteen hundred dollars; United States Government survey clerk, fifteen hundred dollars; stenographer, twelve hundred dollars. (Amended '19 c. 366; '23 c. 407)

## 4. Office of State Auditor

State auditor, forty-six hundred dollars; deputy auditor, twenty-seven hundred and fifty dollars; accountant, twenty-four hundred dollars; warrant clerk, eighteen hundred dollars; clerk of investment board, eighteen hundred dolars; stenographer, twelve hundred dollars; additional clerks, such sum as the auditor shall prescribe not exceeding in all thirteen thousand seven hundred forty dollars; assistant land clerk, fifteen hundred dollars; additional land clerks, such sum as the auditor shall prescribe not exceeding in, all fifty-four hundred dollars; mineral land clerk, twenty-one hundred dollars. (Amended '19 c. 486)

## 5. Office of Adjutant General

Adjutant general, twenty-four hundred dollars; assistant adjutant general, sixteen hundred dollars; mil-
itary storekeeper, thirteen hundred and twenty dollars; clerk, twelve hundred dollars; stenographer, one thousand dollars.

## 6. Office of Attorney General

The annual salary of the attorney general is hereby fixed at six thousand dollars ( $\$ 6,000$ ); and of the deputy attorney general at fifty-five hundred dollars ( $\$ 5,500$ ) ; and of the several assistant attorneys general at Forty-eight hundred dollars ( $\$ 4800$ ); and of the department clerk and the law clerk in the office of the attorney general at twenty-one hundred dollars ( $\$ 2,100$ ). The compensation of said officers and employes, to the extent it exceeds that now established, shall be paid until July 1, 1921, from the fund heretofore appropriated and unexpended as a special contingent fund for the attorney general's office. (Amended '21 c. 324)

## 7. Office of Insurance Commissioner

(Repealed '19 c. 336. See Insurance Commissioner)

## 8. Office of State Librarian

State librarian, three thousand dollars; assistant librarian, eighteen hundred dollars; second assistant librarian fifteen hundred dolars; librarian's stenographer, twelve hundred dollars. (Amended Ex. Sess. '19 c. 30)

## 9. Office of Superintendent of Banks

Office of superintendent of banks abolished, see supra, \$ 53-32. See, also at the beginning of chapter 28B, these statutes.

Superintendent of banks, forty-five hundred dollars; one deputy superintendent of banks, four thousand dollars; one examiner in charge of liquidation, thirtyseven hundred fifty dollars; one bank examiner assigned to examination in cities of the first class, thir-ty-seven hundred fifty dollars; ten bank examiners thirty thousand dollars; eleven assistant examiners, twenty-seven thousand five hundred dollars; three second assistant examiners fifty-four hundred dollars; three examiners' clerks, forty-five hundred dollars; four examiners' clerks, at an amount not to exceed fifty-six hundred dollars; one chief clerk, twenty-four hundred dollars; one first assistant clerk, fifteen hundred dollars; seven stenographers and clerks, eightytwo hundred eighty dollars; one extra clerk hire for contingencies, one thousand dollars. (Amended '21 c. 499, '23 c. 252)

## 10. Office of Public Examiner

Office of public examiner abolished. See supra, §53-44.
Public examiner, $\$ 4,500.00$; deputy public examiner, $\$ 3,300.00$; one assistant public examiner, $\$ 3,200.00$; one assistant public examiner, $\$ 2,700.00$; twelve assistant public examiners at salaries ranging from $\$ 1,500.00$ to $\$ 2,400.00$ each, but not exceeding in the aggregate the sum of $\$ 27,000.00$; one executive clerk, $\$ 1,800.00$, and such other clerks and stenographers as may be necessary, but the salaries for such shall not exceed in the aggregate the sum of $\$ 5,800.00$, which said sum of $\$ 5,800.00$ shall be paid from the maintenance fund. (Amended '15, c. 176; '17, c. 487; Superseded '19, c. 369, § 1)

Explanatory note-Section 2 Iaws 1919, c. 369 re peals all inconsistent acts and parts of acts.

## 11. Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction

Office of State Superintendent of education abolished. See infra, §§ 2958 to 2972.

Superintendent of public instruction and clerk of normal school board, forty-five hundred dollars; assistant superintendent, twenty-eight hundred dollars; second assistant superintendent, two thousand dollars; rural school commissioner, three thousand dollars; high school inspector, three thousand dollars; assistant high school inspector, twenty-seven hundred dollars; graded school inspector, three thousand dollars; special assistant, three thousand dollars; supervisor of school libraries, twelve hundred dollars; clerks not to exceed in all five thousand dollars.

## 12. Office of State Treasurer

State treasurer, forty-five hundred dollars; deputy state treasurer, three thousand dollars; cashier, twen-ty-seven hundred dollars; investment clerk, twenty-one hundred dollars, assistant cashier, accountants, stenographers and general clerks, such sum as the treasurer shall prescribe, not exceeding in all the amount appropriated by the legislature for such purpose. (Amended '17 c. 50 ; '19 c. 529 ; '21 c. 505.

## 13. Office of Railroad and Warehouse Commission.

Three railroad and warehouse commissioners, fortyfive hundred dollars each.
14. Office of the Minnesota Tax Commission

Three commissioners, forty-five hundred dollars each; secretary, twenty-seven hundred dollars.

## 15. Office of Game and Fish Commission

(Repealed '19 c. 370. See Game and Fish Commissioners)
16. Office of Dairy and Food Commissioner

The annual salary of the Dairy and Food Commissioner and the position, number and annual salary of the subordinates to be appointed by him in his department are hereby fixed as follows:
The Commissioner, four thousand dollars; assistant commissioner, three thousand dollars; secretary, two thousand dollars; chief chemist, three thousand five hundred dollars; chief clerk, thirteen hundred and twenty dollars; statistician, twelve hundred dollars; laboratory clerk and stenographer, twelve hundred dollars; one stenographer twelve hundred dollars; general clerks as in his judgment may be necessary not to exceed two at twelve hundred dollars each; two stenographers not to exceed twelve hundred dollars each; three assistant chemists and twenty-two inspectors at a minimum annual salary of fifteen hundred dollars each; but the commissioner may, in consideration of faithful and continuous service, increase the salary of any assistant chemist or inspector not more than two hundred dollars for each year such assistant chemist or inspector has been employed by the department until such salary reaches two thousand dollars, which shall be the maximum; provided, that the provisions of this act shall not apply to Chapter 97, Laws of 1913, and amendments thereto.
The expenses of the Commissioner and his subordinates necessary and actually incurred in the discharge of his official duties shall be paid in addition to salary, upon itemized vouchers approved by the Commissioner or Assistant Commissioner. (Amended '15 c. 247; '19 c. 316; '21 c. 520)

Laws 1913, c. 97 is repealed by Laws 1921, c. 495. 883 . See infra, 83870 .

## 17. Office of State Forestry Board

State forestry board abolished. See supra, 8 53-45. See, also, supra, §§53-19 to 53-23.

State forester, four thousand dollars; assistant forester, twenty-seven hundred dollars; secretary, eighteen hundred dollars; clerk, twelve hundred dollars; draughtsman, nine hundred sixty dollars; two stenographers, nine hundred dollars each.

## 18. Office of State Inspector of Apiaries

Inspector, fifteen hundred dollars; deputy inspectors, five dollars per day for each day actually spent in the performance of his duties, provided that the total sum paid deputies shall not exceed five hundred dollars in any one year.

## 19. Office of Board of Control

Three members, board of control, forty-five hundred dollars each.

## 20. Office of State Printer

State printer, twenty-four hundred dollars.

## 21. Office of Bureau of Labor

Office of department of labor and industries. Commissioner of labor, thirty-six hundred dollars; assistant commissioner of labor, twenty-four hundred dollars; chief statistician, twenty-four hundred dollars; statistician, seventeen hurdred dollars; assistant statistician, twelve hundred dollars; superintendent, bureau of women and children, eighteen hundred dollars; two deputy labor commissioners, not to exceed thirtyseven hundred and twenty dollars; one elevator inspector, not to exceed eighteen hundred and sixty dollars; seven male factory inspectors, not to exceed eleven thousand six hundred dollars; one railroad inspector, not to exceed seventeen hundred dollars; four female inspectors, not to exceed five thousand six hundred dollars; three local managers of employment offices not to exceed four thousand three hundred dollars; four assistant managers of employment offices, not to exceed four thousand four hundred and forty dollars; three special agents, compensation division, not to exceed five thousand five hundred and eighty dollars; one special agent, statistical division, fifteen hundred dollars; one secretary, not to exceed twelve hundred dollars; three stenographers, not to exceed three thousand and eighty dollars; four clerks, not to exceed four thousand dollars; one chief file clerk, not to exceed twelve hundred dollas. (Amended '19 c. 394)

## 22. District Court Judges

The judges of the District Court, six thousand dollars each from the state and fifteen hundred dollars additional, payable monthly from each county in their respective districts having a population of seventy-five thousand or more and three hundred dollars additional in each judicial district having an area of more than fifteen thousand square miles, payable monthly from the counties comprising such judicial district in such proportion as the assessed valuation of each county bears to the total assessed valuation of such judicial district in the preceding year. ('19 Ex. Sess. c. 30 ; amended '21, c. 431 ; '27, c. 446 , § 1, effective July 1, 1927) ' [Added to G. S. '13, § 294, by amendment as noted]

Explanatory note-This bill was passed April 12, 1927, but was vetoed by the Governor: but the Supreme Court has held that the veto was not made within the time limit fixed by the Constitution, so that the bill became a law notwithstanding such veto. See -

252-1. Salaries of employees payable semi-monthly except elective officers and appointive heads of State Departments-All employees of the State of Minnesota shall receive compensation due them for services rendered semi-monthly; provided that this shall not apply to elective officers and heads of State Departments who may be appointed thereto. ('21, c. $379, \S 1$ )
253. Salaries to be in full-The salaries provided in this act for the officers and employees named herein,
shall be in full payment for all services that may be rendered by said officers or employees either in the performance of their regular or special duties or while acting as a member or employee of any state board or commission. ('13 c. 400 § 2) [295]

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254. Fees-All fees of any nature collected by any officer or employee named in this act shall be paid into the state treasury. ('13 c. $400 \S 3$ ) [296]

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