

MINNESOTA STATUTES 1953 ANNOTATIONS

611.11 RIGHTS OF ACCUSED

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Where a lawyer is assigned to defend indigent accused persons the court fixes the amount of his compensation which shall not exceed \$25 a day for the actual number of days employed. OAG July 30, 1947 (799-K).

An attorney appointed by the court is entitled to be paid the compensation determined by the court when he serves an accused by procuring a dismissal of a felony charge and submits a plea of guilty to a gross misdemeanor. OAG May 18, 1950 (779-K).

611.11 NO PRESUMPTION FROM FAILURE TO TESTIFY

When an investigation by the grand jury embraced evasions of income taxes and the question propounded to the president of the corporation with reference to expenditures made from a certain corporate account indicated that some payments therefrom might have been made to the president, the questions disclose sufficient reasonable cause for the witness to apprehend danger of incrimination if he answered or explained his failure to answer, to entitle the witness to assert his privilege against self-incrimination. *Kiewel v United States*, 204 F(2d) 1.

611.13 PUBLIC DEFENDER, RAMSEY COUNTY

HISTORY. Amended, 1951 c 657 s 1; 1953 c 84 s 1.

CHAPTER 612

OFFENSES AGAINST SOVEREIGNTY

612.01 TREASON

HISTORY. GS 1866 c 93 s 1, 2, 4; GS 1878 c 93 s 1, 2, 4; Penal Code s 35; GS 1894 s 6319; RL 1905 s 4793; GS 1913 s 8517.

612.04 WILFUL NEGLECT OF OFFICIAL DUTY

HISTORY. RS 1851 c 109 s 15; 1852 Amend p 25 c 122; PS 1858 c 98 s 15; GS 1866 c 91 s 8; GS 1878 c 91 s 8; GS 1894 s 6266; RL 1905 s 4796; GS 1913 s 8520.

612.06 FALSE REPORTS DECLARED UNLAWFUL

HISTORY. 1917 c 463; 1919 c 93 s 1.

612.07 INSUBORDINATION DECLARED UNLAWFUL

HISTORY. 1917 c 463; 1919 c 93 s 2.

The right of free speech and the right to remain silent must yield to national interest, justifiably thought to be of larger importance. The excluding of Communists from a bargaining process is legal where the Congress advises that the Communistic influence is a threat of substantive evil to the national interest. *National Maritime Union v Herzog*, 78 F Supp 146.