

**8.024 ATTORNEY GENERAL**

**8.024 Additional deputies and assistants**

**Subdivision 1. Deputy; department of public welfare.** The attorney general shall appoint a deputy attorney general and an assistant attorney general, in addition to the number now authorized by law, who shall be assigned to the department of public welfare. They shall receive the same salary as other deputy and assistant attorneys general, and the compensation and all expenses and disbursements of such deputy and assistant attorneys general shall be paid from the moneys appropriated to and for the use of the department of public welfare.

**Subd. 2. Assistant attorney general, department of corrections.** The attorney general shall also appoint an assistant attorney general in addition to the number now prescribed by law who shall be assigned to the department of corrections. He shall receive the same salary as other assistant attorneys general, and his compensation, expenses and other disbursements shall be paid from moneys appropriated to and for the use of the department of corrections.

[1973 c 656 s 1]

**8.025 Part time special attorneys, payment on hourly basis beyond \$10,000**

No part time special attorney assigned to any professional or occupational licensing board of state government, after having received \$10,000 for his official duties in any fiscal year, regardless of the fund from which he is paid, shall be paid an hourly amount exceeding the equivalent amount paid full time special assistant attorneys general, plus reasonable office expenses, as approved by the attorney general.

[1973 c 720 s 72]

**8.026 Assistant, retirement associations**

The attorney general shall appoint an assistant attorney general, in addition to the number now authorized by law, who shall be assigned to the public employees retirement association, the Minnesota state retirement system and the teachers retirement association. Said assistant attorney general shall receive the same salary as other assistant attorneys general. The compensation and all expenses and disbursements of such assistant attorney general shall be paid from moneys of the public employees retirement association, the Minnesota state retirement system and the teachers retirement association.

[1973 c 753 s 1]

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**9.011 Members; duties, powers**

**Subdivision 1.** The executive council consists of the governor, lieutenant governor, secretary of state, state auditor, state treasurer, and attorney general. The governor is chairman.

[1973 c 394 s 1]

[For text of subds. 2 and 3, see M.S.1971]

**9.031 Depositories for state funds**

[For text of subds. 1 to 12, see M.S.1971]

**Subd. 13. (a)** Deposit of state funds in depositories by the treasurer under this section is subject to regulation by the commissioner of finance. He may determine the amount of funds to deposit in a depository and any other matter which he deems in the public interest. The treasurer shall comply with such regulations.

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(b) All depositories with various noninterest bearing deposits which, as a group, total over \$100,000 shall report such balances as of the close of the previous business day by 9:00 a. m. daily to the treasurer and the commissioner of finance. The commissioner of finance shall record these daily balances, which shall be a matter of public record at the legislative reference library and reported monthly to the legislative audit commission.

(c) All state accounts shall be established by competitive bid among the designated depositories. The commissioner of finance shall send written notice of his intent to accept bids for the handling of the state account, or accounts, to all designated depositories. The notice shall specify such considerations, fiscal activities, and conditions as the commissioner may require. All such deposits shall be awarded by competitive bid to the lowest bidding depository which, in the opinion of the commissioner, has the capacity to discharge the required considerations, fiscal activities, and conditions.

(d) In exceptional cases, the commissioner may dispense with the bid procedure. In such event, he shall report the circumstances and reasons therefor to the legislative audit commission within five days after establishing the account.

(e) All presently existing state accounts shall be closed, and new accounts shall be established in compliance with the bid procedure established in clause (c) no later than one year after the effective date of Laws 1973, Chapter 492.

(f) Notwithstanding any provision in this section to the contrary, the commissioner of finance may agree to pay a depository a reasonable charge or keep appropriate compensating balances for handling state funds, for cashing state warrants, vouchers and the like. Such moneys as may be necessary for such purpose are hereby appropriated annually to the commissioner of finance.

[1973 c 492 s 8]

#### 9.071 Settlement of claims; other specified powers

The council has the powers with respect to the:

(1) Timberlands provided in Minnesota Statutes, Sections 90.031, 90.041, 90.151;

(2) Lands acquired from the United States provided in Minnesota Statutes, Section 94.50;

(3) Lands subject to delinquent drainage assessments provided in Minnesota Statutes, Section 84A.20;

(4) Transfer of lands between departments of state government provided in Minnesota Statutes, Section 15.16;

(5) Sale or exchange of lands within national forests provided in Minnesota Statutes, Sections 92.30, 92.31;

(6) Approval of acquisition of land for camping or parking area provided in Minnesota Statutes, Section 97.48;

(7) Modification of iron leases provided in Minnesota Statutes, Section 93.191;

(8) Awarding permits to prospect for iron ore provided in Minnesota Statutes, Section 93.17;

(9) Approval of regulations for issuance of permits to prospect for minerals under state lands provided in Minnesota Statutes, Section 93.08;

(10) Construction of dams provided in Minnesota Statutes, Section 110.13.

[1973 c 87 s 1; 1973 c 494 s 2]