

## CHAPTER 190

### THE MILITARY FORCES

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#### 190.07 APPOINTMENT; QUALIFICATIONS; RANK.

There shall be an adjutant general of the state who shall be appointed by the governor. The adjutant general shall be a staff officer, who at the time of appointment shall be a commissioned officer of the national guard of this state, with not less than ten years military service in the armed forces of this state or of the United States, at least three of which shall have been commissioned and who shall have reached the grade of a field officer.

The adjutant general shall hold rank equal to that of the highest rank authorized for the army and air national guard in the table of organization for units allotted to the state by the department of the army, or the department of the air force, or by both such departments, through the national guard bureau. However, the adjutant general shall not be appointed to the rank of major general without having 20 years service in the national guard, of which one year has been in the rank of brigadier general.

The term of the adjutant general is seven years from the date of appointment. Section 15.06, subdivisions 3, 4, and 5, governs filling of vacancies in the office of adjutant general. The adjutant general shall not be removed from office during a term except upon withdrawal of federal recognition or as otherwise provided by the military laws of this state.

**History:** 1989 c 11 s 1; 1989 c 335 art 1 s 181

#### 190.08 MILITARY STAFF; ACTIVE DUTY ORDERS; PAY AND ALLOWANCES.

*[For text of subds 1 to 5, see M.S.1988]*

Subd. 6. The adjutant general shall receive the pay and allowances provided by law for an officer of similar rank and length of service in the armed forces of the United States. All other officers, warrant officers, and enlisted members in active service on the staff of the adjutant general shall receive the pay and allowances prescribed for personnel of similar grade and length of service in the armed forces of the United States subject to the following provisions: (1) the adjutant general by general orders may establish for pay purposes the grade authorized for any staff position; and (2) enlisted members may be paid the additional pay authorized by section 192.51, subdivision 2.

**History:** 1989 c 23 s 1

#### 190.25 LANDS FOR TRAINING ARMED FORCES.

*[For text of subds 1 and 2, see M.S.1988]*

Subd. 3. The adjutant general is authorized to sell in the manner provided by law any or all timber, growing crops, buildings and other improvements, if any, situated upon the lands acquired under the authority of subdivision 1 or which may hereafter comprise the Camp Ripley military field training center and not needed for military training purposes. The proceeds of any sales shall be deposited in the general fund.

*[For text of subd 4, see M.S.1988]*

**History:** 1989 c 335 art 4 s 65

**190.26** [Repealed, 1989 c 335 art 4 s 109]