

CHAPTER 448—S.F.No.476

An act relating to agriculture; commercial feed inspection fees; amending Minnesota Statutes 1971, Section 25.39, Subdivision 2.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1971, Section 25.39, Subdivision 2, is amended to read:

Subd. 2. **AGRICULTURE; COMMERCIAL FEED; INSPECTION FEES.** Each person who is liable for the payment of such fee shall file with the commissioner on forms furnished by the commissioner, a semiannual statement for the periods ending December 31 and June 30 setting forth the number of net tons of commercial feeds distributed in this state during such reporting period. The report shall be due on or before the 30th of the month following the close of each reporting period ~~and upon such statement shall pay the inspection fee at the rate stated in subdivision 1. If the tonnage report is not filed and the payment of inspection fee is not made within 30 days after the end of the reporting period, a collection fee amounting to 10 percent, with a minimum of \$10, of the amount shall be assessed against the registrant, and the amount of fees due of each calendar year. The inspection fee at the rate specified in subdivision 1, shall accompany the statement. For each tonnage report not filed or payment of inspection fees not made within 30 days after the end of a reporting period, a penalty of 10 percent of the amount due, with a minimum penalty of \$10, shall be assessed against the registrant, and the amount of fees due, plus penalty, shall constitute a debt and may be recovered in a civil action against the registrant. The assessment of this penalty fee shall not prevent the department from taking other actions as provided in this chapter.~~

Approved May 21, 1973.

CHAPTER 449—S.F.No.546

An act relating to wild animals; eliminating certain shipping coupon requirements; amending Minnesota Statutes 1971, Section 97.45, Subdivisions 4, 7, 9, 11, and 12.

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