

cannot be served personally, the court shall order three weeks published notice to be given, the last publication to be at least ten days before the time set for the hearing. Where service is made by publication the court may cause such further notice to be given as it deems just. If, in the course of the proceedings, the court shall consider that the interests of justice will be promoted it may continue the proceeding and require that such notice as it deems proper shall be served on the admitted or adjudicated father of an illegitimate child, or on any other person. *In the course of proceedings the court may enter reasonable orders for the protection of the child if the court determines that the best interests of the child require such an order.*

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CHAPTER 787—S. F. No. 1546

[Coded in Part]

An act relating to produce grading and inspection; amending Minnesota Statutes 1961, Section 27.01, Subdivision 1, and Section 27.19; amending Minnesota Statutes 1961, Chapter 27, by adding a section.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1961, Section 27.01, Subdivision 1, is amended to read:

27.01 Produce; grading and inspection; violations, definitions.
Subdivision 1. **Terms.** *Except where otherwise provided, for the purpose of sections 27.02 to 27.15 and 27.19 to 27.20 the terms defined in this section have the meanings given to them.*

Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 1961, Chapter 27, is amended by adding a section to read:

[27.069] Definition of produce for grading and inspection laws. *For the purposes of Minnesota Statutes 1961, Sections 27.07 to 27.10, and acts amendatory thereof, the term "produce" means decorative forest products and the products of farms and waters of this state.*

Sec. 3. Minnesota Statutes 1961, Section 27.19, is amended to read:

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27.19 **Violations, penalties.** Any person subject to the provisions of sections 27.01 to 27.15 and 27.19 who shall:

(1) Operate or advertise to operate as a dealer at wholesale without a license; or

(2) Make any false statement or report as to the grade, condition, markings, quality, or quantity of produce, *as defined in section 2 of this act*, received or delivered, or act in any manner so as to deceive the consignor or purchaser thereof; or

(3) Refuse to accept any shipment contracted for by him, unless such refusal is based upon the showing of a state inspection certificate secured with reasonable promptness after the receipt of such shipment showing that the kind and quality of produce, *as defined in section 2 of this act*, is other than that purchased or ordered by him; or

(4) Fail to account for produce or to make settlement therefor within the time herein limited; or who shall violate or fail to comply with the terms or conditions of any contract entered into by him for the purchase or sale of produce; or

(5) Purchase for his own account any produce received on consignment, either directly or indirectly, without the consent of the consignor; or

(6) Issue any false or misleading market quotations, or who shall cancel any quotations during the period advertised by him; or

(7) Increase the sales charges on produce shipped to him by means of "dummy" or fictitious sales; or

(8) Receive ~~produce~~ *decorative forest products and the products of farms and waters* from foreign states or countries for sale or re-sale, either within or without the state, and give the purchaser the impression, through any method of advertising or description, that the produce is of Minnesota origin; or

(9) Whoever shall violate any provisions of sections 27.01 to 27.15 and 27.19, or any rule or regulation made or published thereunder by the commissioner, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and his license may be forthwith suspended, revoked, or canceled by the commissioner, upon ten days notice and opportunity to be heard; but, upon conviction of any such offense, or upon conviction in any federal court for violation of the federal statutes relative to the fraudulent use of the mails, or conviction in any court of other criminal acts under any federal food or drug statute, or any statute of this state administered by the commissioner of agriculture, per-

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taining to the conduct of his business, the commissioner may forthwith revoke and cancel the license of the person so convicted.

Approved May 25, 1965.

CHAPTER 788—S. F. No. 1814

An act relating to taxation; imposing certain penalties and interest on personal property taxes under certain conditions; amending Minnesota Statutes 1961, Section 277.01.

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

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1961, Section 277.01 is amended to read:

277.01 Taxation; delinquent penalties. *Subdivision 1* All unpaid personal property taxes *where the amount is \$10.00 or less shall be deemed delinquent on March first 1 next after they become due, and thereupon a penalty of eight percent shall attach and be charged upon all such taxes; except when* When the amount of such tax exceeds the sum of \$10.00 the ~~same first half shall not become delinquent if half thereof is not paid prior to March first 1 and thereupon a penalty of eight percent shall attach on such unpaid first half. and the remaining half is paid prior to July first next following the year assessed; if the first half is paid prior to March first next after the tax becomes due and the last half is not paid prior to July first following, the unpaid portion of the tax shall thereupon become delinquent on said July first and the penalty herein provided for shall attach and become a charge thereupon from and after said July first. The second half of a tax in excess of \$10.00 shall become delinquent if not paid prior to July 1 and thereupon a penalty of eight percent shall attach on such unpaid second half. If the first half also remains unpaid on July 1, the delinquent second half and penalty shall attach to the delinquent first half and penalty and be included in any proceeding for the enforcement of the tax. The county treasurer shall list such delinquent second half and certify it to the clerk of the district court of his county.~~

Subd. 2. If the delinquent first half and penalty has been paid at any time prior to July 1 but the second half remains unpaid on July 1, the county treasurer shall list such unpaid second half as delinquent and certify it immediately to the clerk of the district court of his county. The clerk shall enter judgment for the unpaid tax to-

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