
CHAPTER 262—H.F.No.3321**[Coded]**

An act relating to county attorneys; authorizing county boards to provide that the office of county attorney be a full time position; amending Minnesota Statutes 1971, Chapter 388, by adding sections.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1971, Chapter 388, is amended by adding a section to read:

[388.21] COUNTY ATTORNEY; FULL TIME POSITION; ESTABLISHMENT. Subdivision 1. The county board of any county in Minnesota by resolution may provide that the office of the county attorney shall be a full time position and require that one elected to the office not engage in the private practice of law.

Subd. 2. If the office of county attorney is made a full time position, the action shall be taken at the January meeting prior to the first date on which applicants may file for the office of county attorney. The salary shall be set by the county board as provided in Minnesota Statutes, Section 388.18, Subdivision 2.

Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 1971, Chapter 388, is amended by adding a section to read:

[388.22] SALARY; APPEAL. Subdivision 1. The county board shall pay the salary of the county attorney at intervals as the board shall determine but not less than once each month.

Subd. 2. The county board by resolution shall provide the budget for the salary of the full time county attorney.

Subd. 3. The county attorney, if dissatisfied with the action of the county board in setting the amount of his salary, may appeal on the same grounds and in the same manner as provided in Minnesota Statutes, Section 388.18, Subdivision 6.

Approved March 26, 1974.

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